

EDUCATION PARTNER ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2026

3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

In person: School Board Office, 811 Stanley Street, Nelson BC

Via video conference: [Zoom](#) - Webinar ID: 657 3277 9733 – Password: 495118

1. Call to Order

2. Acknowledgement of Aboriginal Territory

We acknowledge, respect and honour the First Nations in whose traditional territories the Kootenay Lake School District operates and all Aboriginal people residing within the boundaries of School District No. 8.

3. Receiving Presentations/Delegations - Nil

4. Changes or Omissions to Minutes (p. 2)

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5. New or Ongoing Business

A. Inclusive and Caring Communities

- Specialist and Assistive Technology Services in SD8

B. Connected Learning

- Sustainability for Learners

6. Comments or Questions from the Public Regarding Items in this Agenda

7. Meeting Schedule & Reminders

The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for May 19, 2026.

8. Adjournment



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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2025**

- Board:** S. Nazaroff, Committee Chair
D. Lang, Board Chair
J. Bremner, Vice Chair
M. J. Blackmore
S. Chew
K. Etheridge (*via video conference*)
A. Gribbin
M. Shunter
L. Trenaman
- Partners** J. Basil, IEC (*via video conference*)
K. Centrone, CUPE (*via video conference; until 4:15 PM*)
J. Foster, KLPVPA
N. Nazaroff, DPAC
- District Staff:** C. MacArthur, Secretary-Treasurer
J. Brooks, District Numeracy Teacher Coordinator
B. Eaton, Director of Instruction – Innovative Learning
D. Holitzki, Assistant Superintendent
C. Kerr, Director of Operations
C. Makeiv, District Literacy Teacher Coordinator
T. Malloff, District Principal
C. Singh, Director of Human Resources
S. Bruskowski, Executive Assistant
- Regrets:** T. Smillie, Superintendent
L. Carriere, Director of Aboriginal Education

- 1. Call to Order**
The meeting was called to order at 3:00 PM.
- 2. Acknowledgement of Aboriginal Territory**
- 3. Receiving Presentations/Delegations**
- 4. Changes or Omissions to Minutes – Nil**
- 5. New or Ongoing Business**
 - A. Numeracy Continuous Learning Implementation
 - From data to action



Assistant Superintendent Holitzki outlined how the Numeracy Continuous Learning Report aligns with school learning plans and the District’s Strategic Plan, noting that progress on the Strategic Plan is monitored through the annual cycle of learning reports.

Assistant Superintendent Holitzki, District Principal Malloff, and District Teacher Coordinators Brooks and Makeiv presented the annual school learning cycle and the SD8 K–12 Literacy and Numeracy Assessment Inventory, which informs school-based learning processes across the District.

Attendees engaged in learning activities and discussions on assessment tools, including the Number Sense Assessment (NSA), Foundation Skills Assessment (FSA), and Student Numeracy Assessment and Practice (SNAP).

CUPE Representative K. Centrone left the meeting.

In closing, the committee reflected on the activities, emphasizing student engagement and the use of varied learning strategies and models.

6. Comments or Questions from the Public Regarding Items in this Agenda – Nil

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8. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:28 PM.

Committee Chair

Secretary-Treasurer

