OGPS Inclusion Subcommittee

The School Council is committed to fostering a culture of inclusion for all students, staff, and the broader school community at OGPS. To bring about tangible change in our school community, an Inclusion Subcommittee has been established with specific aims, including:

- Investigating ways to enhance our current understanding and inclusivity of our local First Nations heritage, and integrating this knowledge within our school community.
- Exploring avenues to improve our awareness and inclusivity of LGBTIQA+ members within our community.
- Increasing our understanding and inclusivity of individuals with disabilities, neurodiverse students, and those requiring support with mental health in our school community.
- Developing a culturally, racially, religiously, and gender-inclusive environment.

The Inclusion Subcommittee was formed in August 2020 as a reflection of the school's commitment to inclusivity and is currently chaired by Anita Mullick, a parent member of the School Council. The subcommittee will convene monthly to discuss and propose recommendations to the School Council regarding the achievement of our stated aims. Our objective is to build a Subcommittee membership that authentically represents the diversity within our school community, including parents, carers, teachers, and students.

We welcome your thoughts, ideas, insights, and knowledge. As a member of the OGPS community, this is an opportunity for you to actively contribute to the initiatives developed by the Inclusion Subcommittee and represent true diversity for all our children. Our meetings are presently scheduled monthly, one or two weeks before the School Council meetings. If you are interested in joining the Inclusion Subcommittee, please email anitamullick@hotmail.com.