



# School of Education Terrace Campus January 2017 Newsletter



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## School of Education Terrace campus approaching 10 Year Celebration! Cont.....

It is hard to believe that the Terrace Campus Bachelor of Education K-7 program has been in place for ten years! I remember when the proposal was first officially reviewed by what was known as the British Columbia College of Teachers (BCCT). Patti Coldicut, BCCT rep, lead their team and had asked a northwest advocating group, which had gathered at the old UNBC Campus on Park Avenue, to outline the reasons we wanted a Teacher Education Program based in Terrace.

Leslie King, the UNBC campus Chair at the time, began by describing the northwest region and in her opening remarks she emphasized the isolation of the area from the rest of the Province; however, the BCCT team seemed to understand this isolation more since their plane couldn't land in either Terrace or Prince Rupert. The meeting, therefore, quickly shifted from an in person meeting to a telephone conference. The missed landing served to underline the isolation factor of the area, a large percentage of teachers who did not originate from the area were leaving. The need for a stable teaching force and those who were committed to the students of the northwest region was strengthened by the teachers who were not willing to move. This group of teachers were those who were from the area and completed a teacher program in the northwest, this was seen as an advantage.

UNBC had established themselves with other professional programs such as: Bachelor of Social Work, Master of Education and Nursing. Offering the B.Ed. program in the northwest became part of its mission. BCCT was convinced and thus permitted the program to be established at UNBC Northwest campus.

*Dr. Ed Harrison, B.Ed. Coordinator/Faculty*

## Linda's Links

### <https://www.responsiveclassroom.org/the-first-12-weeks-of-pe/>

The Responsive Classroom website provides an approach that looks at academic, social and emotional growth. It focusses on the how children learn. Read about one PE teacher's condensed plan for the first 12 weeks.

### <http://www.educationworld.com>

An online resource for educators that is updated daily – eg. lesson plans, printables, worksheets, tips, reviews.

*Linda Lee*

## Come Join Us On Campus!

### Public Presentations

#### January 11<sup>th</sup>

“Cultural Identity Expressed in  
Regional Housing: A Case Study  
from South Africa”

Presenter: Adam Perry  
12:00 - 1:00 pm

#### January 18<sup>th</sup>

“Tahltan Language Revitalization”

Presenter: Judy Thompson  
\*evening session, TBA

#### January 25<sup>th</sup>

“Historical Features and Sites on  
the Skeena River”

Presenter: Rob Bryce  
12:00 – 1:00 pm



## Bachelor of Education 2017 Intake

If you are interested in taking the B.Ed program, it is strongly recommended that you meet with Cathy Lambricht (Macintosh).

Please contact:  
[catherine.macintosh@unbc.ca](mailto:catherine.macintosh@unbc.ca) or  
phone: 250-615-3325

## Important Dates!

#### February 13<sup>th</sup>

Family Day  
University Closed

#### February 14<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>

Mid-Semester Break  
(except B.Ed. Students)

#### February 23<sup>rd</sup>

Last day to withdraw from January Semester courses without academic penalty. 50% tuition refund



We would like to WELCOME back our Master of Education in Counselling students! The cohort started this past September in the new intake. UNBC is very excited to have you here!!

## Bachelor of Education K-7 Terrace September 2017 Intake

Applications are now being accepted at the Terrace campus, please contact:

Cathy Lambright  
[catherine.macintosh@unbc.ca](mailto:catherine.macintosh@unbc.ca)  
 or call 250-615-3325

### Shout out!

**Thank you** to all the teachers who visited our present cohort and brought their experiences, amazing classroom photos, student projects, and stories of special students! We can find many ways to grow together for NW children. Our new teachers really appreciate the time, thought and effort it takes to come in to campus and add to their toolbox. Please let us know when you or colleagues have flagged your principal for a student teacher placement, we can then follow up.

We hope you had a healthy and peaceful winter break,

*B Ed students and faculty*



Our **Bachelor of Education** students return for a 5-week intensive course work load, upon completion they will begin their final practicum which consists of 10 weeks. We would like to wish them every success in this term and their final practicum!

*B.Ed. Faculty and*