
Regional Executive Director of Education

December 2, 2020

Families,

In October, families, staff, students and community members were invited to provide feedback on the potential consolidation of Gaetz Brook Junior High and Eastern Shore District High in the new high school.

On behalf of the Halifax Regional Centre for Education, I want to extend a heartfelt thanks to everyone who took the time to offer their thoughts and ideas. More than 450 participants provided feedback through the options provided. In particular, our virtual town hall hosted through Thoughtexchange was popular with 354 participants providing 540 thoughts. These thoughts generated 12,628 ratings which indicates a high level of interaction among those who participated.

Next Steps

The report with a recommendation is due to the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development on December 18, 2020. Once submitted to the Minister, it will be posted on the HRCE website and a link to the report will be shared with families.

Thank you once again for taking the time to provide us with your feedback. It is valued and appreciated. You will also find a copy of the letter attached.

Stay safe. Stay well.



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