

# Kici Anishinabek

Resident Elder for Good Spirit School Division



The Kici Anishinaabek provides leadership in the inclusion of Indigenous culture, content and perspectives for Good Spirit School Division (GSSD) to support:

- The GSSD motto of “Students Come First”;
- The *Inspiring Success First Nations and Métis Pre-k-12 Education Policy Framework* and its vision of “A Provincial Prekindergarten to Grade 12 education system that foundationally places Indigenous knowledge systems, cultures and languages within the structures, policies and curricula to ensure an equitable and inclusive system that benefits all learners”;
- The GSSD vision of “Learning Without Limits...Achievement For All”; and
- The GSSD mission of “Building Strong Foundations to Create Bright Futures”.

The Kici Anishinaabek:

- will advise Division leadership.
- accordingly to ensure that First Nations and Métis languages and cultures are valued and supported.
- will participate in various school division leadership meetings to support thinking and decision-making toward equitable opportunities and outcomes for First Nations and Métis learners.
- will engage in conversations with Division Leadership to support shared management of the provincial education system by ensuring respectful relationships and equitable partnerships with First Nations and Métis peoples at the provincial and local level.
- may be called upon to provide input around culturally appropriate instruction, resources and authentic assessment measures that foster improved educational opportunities and outcomes.
- will work collaboratively with school division personnel at school division meetings, professional development and division events to ensure that all learners demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the worldviews and historical impact of First Nations and the Métis Nation.

