# Schools and Scouting

Attention

Principals, Grades 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 Teachers

## Scouts Canada's Schools and Scouting program gets top marks!

Partners in Education

Schools and Scouting, Partners in Education is an innovative outdoor education program offered by Scouts Canada



'The power of this experience for students and staff is immeasurable.'

Principal Bruce Murton Dr. A.R. Lord School

For over 15 years, this program has been designed to supplement and complement Grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 curriculum topics as mandated by the BC Ministry of Education Personal Learning Outcomes (PLOs).

**School and Scouting** is recommended by schools, teachers, and boards.



We offer: ✓ Curriculum complementary programs

- √ Team building exercises
- ✓ Personal skills development
- 6 Pre-camp learning sessions (1 hour each)
  - 2 1/2 days residential outdoor experience at camp.

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### Why Schools and Scouting, Partners in Education?

#### Because...

- ✓ We offer curriculum matched outdoor programs that are really fun
- √ We provide in-class camp preparation sessions
- ✓ We will organize and run
  the camp program
- √ We make it easy!



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#### Here are even more reasons:

- ✓ We're outside! The outdoors is an excellent alternative learning environment and classroom.
- ✓ Our trained, screened and specialized staff provides the program, allowing teachers to play a role providing support and encouragement to students.
- ✓ Schools and Scouting programs focus on self development enhancing your students' self esteem and motivation.
- ✓ And always we have fun doing it! We create those cherished "at camp" memories for everyone.

"I have taken students to several camps and Schools & Scouting is definitely one of the best! The camp was successful at integrating fun with education, and the six in-class lessons tied in well with our curriculum! Under the enthusiastic and encouraging support of the Camp McLean Program Staff, my students, many of whom were first time campers, were given opportunities to play, explore and be themselves! It was great observing their wonderment, leadership abilities and other strengths emerge and develop as they collaboratively engaged in outdoor activities!

They certainly learned valuable skills different than those taught at school. All elementary schools should definitely be involved with an overnight camping experience like this one! Schools & Scouting created memories that will last a lifetime!"

Philip Wong, M.Ed. AHP Matthew Elementary

#### What do your children do at camp?

- √ Team Building
- ✓ Outdoor Cooking
- √ Fire-Building
- √ Pioneering
- $\checkmark$  Map Reading and Orienteering
- √ Hike Planning
- **✓ Outdoor Safety**





- ✓ Songs, Skits and Campfires
- ✓ Archery
- √ Shelter Building
- ✓ Forest Lore **NEW!**
- $\checkmark$  Environmental Awareness NEW!
- $\checkmark$  Camping Skills NEW!
- $\checkmark$  Land and Water Ecosystems NEW!





It starts with Scouts.