SCHOOL GROWTH PLANS 2022/2023



School: Nakusp Secondary

Principal/Vice-Principal: Peter Gajda & Jaime Sing

A. Goal 1

 We will have built better connections between teachers, support staff, the PVPs and students in order to support students in developing the emotional well-being for learning.

B. Rational (Why have you chosen this goal?)

• Relationships help build a foundation that supports student success both personally and academically.

C. Action Plan (List specific actions, school level and district level resources or structures used)

- Sports teams
- House teams
- Wellness classes
- School wide google classroom
- Scroller/News sharing
- Yearbooks for all

- Daily check-ins/brain breaks
- Hot breakfast and lunch program
- Open Parachute
- SEL Staff Meeting focus
- NI Days with Peter Dubinsky and 2nd with Sheldon Franken
- Weekly counsellor/admin meeting

D. Evidence / Data (How are you measuring success?)

- Strong school wide attendance
- Few office referrals and suspensions
- Student survey results show just over 70% of our students are connected to 2 or more adults in our building, with almost 40% connected to more than 4 adults in our building.
- Better use of Vulnerability Data and counsellor/admin meetings, as well as standing staff meeting discussion time for concerns & interventions

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A. Goal 2

· Literacy skills for students will improve.

B. Rational (Why have you chosen this goal?)

- Thinking, reading and writing in all disciplines is essential to every day life skills.
- Allows for increased academic rigour.

B. Action Plan (List specific actions, school level and district level resources or structures used)

- Literacy focus in all classes across all disciplines
- Battle of the Books
- Preparation time for GLA 10 and 12
- Increase in the number of books for school and classroom libraries.

C. Evidence / Data (How are you measuring success?)

• GLA 10 and 12 scores have remained strong

2023	n	1	2	3	4
GLA 10	26	0%	31%	69%	0%
GLA 12	15	0%	11%	72%	17%

• Increased use of library

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A. Goal 3

Numeracy skills for students will improve.

B. Rational (Why have you chosen this goal?)

- Math thinking skills are essential to many daily tasks and are required real lifeskills
 - o Shopping, working, finance planning.

C. Action Plan (List specific actions, school level and district level resources or structures used)

- GNA 10 preparation
- Channel students to FPC 10 and FND 11 rather than Workplace Math 10/11
- 1:1 intervention support for struggling math students
- Tutors and homework club opportunities
- Financial literacy lessons for senior students
- Vertical surface math opportunities
- Implementation of effective assessment practices

D. Evidence / Data (How are you measuring success?)

- Increased enrollment in FPC 10 vs Workplace Math 10
- Majority of students meeting expectations in District/Ministry Assessments

2023	N	1	2	3	4
Math 8 District	30	7%	60%	30%	3%
GNA 10	19	0	53%	37%	10%

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