



SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.85
INDIGENOUS PROGRAMS

Join our

ELDERS IN RESIDENCE PROGRAM



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN SHARING YOUR KNOWLEDGE?

The Elders in Residence Program is intended to provide the support of elders and knowledge keepers in classrooms and in schools to support learning. The role of an elder can be to enhance cultural perspectives and share wisdom and teachings, promote awareness of cultural traditions, encourage the used of Kwakwala in schools, or a as a mentor and guide for all students.

HIGHLIGHTS AND ACTIVITIES:

- Legends & Storytelling
- Kwakwaka'wakw History
- Regalia Making
- Harvesting & Preparing Traditional Foods
- Language Revitalization
- Song Teaching & History
- Protocol Teachings



All Role Models must clear a Criminal Record Check.

Contact Dee Nickerson to get started dnickerson@sd85.bc.ca | 250-949-6618