#### 2023-2026

## Greentree School

## Education Plan and Annual Education Results Report





Support and Accept Others
Explore Possibilities
Engage in Life-Long learning
Do the Right Thing
Strive for Success





# About Our School



Greentree School is a Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 6 school with a population of approximately 350 students.

Students are divided into two traditional grade-level classrooms each, with the addition of one classroom with both kindergarten and grade one students.

Our alternative classrooms (Pre-K, Achieving Independence and Strive) support students with diverse academic, social-emotional, and self-regulation needs.

We have been excited to add academy opportunities for our students to learn beyond regular classroom programming.

We are proud to develop our athletics programs further this year. Students can participate in Mini Dynos, Junior Dynos, and a Greentree Junior Dragons Hockey Academy. These all enhance the experience of our students.

Greentree School infuses powerful learning in thinking classrooms. We are collaborative, supportive, and welcoming. We are always excited about opportunities to enhance our school community. Greentree will be creative in ways to strengthen the connections between all stakeholders.

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# Foundation Statements

#### MISSION

**Support and accept others** 

**E**xplore Possibilities

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#### VISION

Planting the S.E.E.D.S. for life!

# Accountability Statement

The school education plan for the three years commencing September 5, 2023, was prepared under the direction of the Board of Trustees in accordance with responsibilities under the Education Act and the Fiscal Planning and Transparency Act.

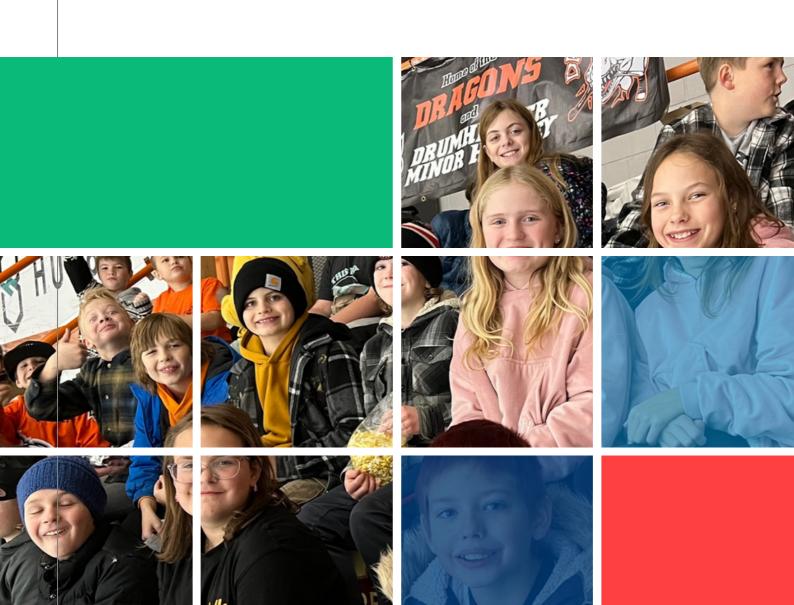
This plan was developed in the context of the provincial government's business and fiscal plans. The school has used its performance results to develop the plan and is committed to implementing the strategies contained within the plan to improve student learning and results.



# Our Community Stakeholders

Greentree School's parents are welcome and encouraged to participate in our School Council. It is an essential part of our school community. At their monthly meetings, council members connect Greentree School to the Drumheller community stakeholders to enhance our students' experiences. The school council has an impact giving voice to the budget and programming of our school, and providing feedback about new initiatives and reviewing existing practices.

This past year, our grade five students worked with a grade three class to have trees planted on school grounds. The grade five class worked through an inquiry project that included a presentation to the Drumheller Town Council. They were granted 30 trees to beautify our field and playground.

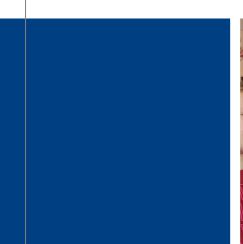


## Alberta Education Assurance Measures Overall Summary

Assurance Domain	Measure	Greentree Elementary			Alberta		
		Current Result	Previous Year Result	Previous 3 Yr Avg	Current Result	Previous Year Result	Previous 3 Yr Avg
Student Growth and Achievement	Student Learning Engagement	75.2	80.0	80.0	84.4	85.1	85.1
	Citizenship	80.0	65.3	74.8	80.3	81.4	82.3
	PAT: Acceptable	67.3	70.4	N/A	63.3	64.3	N/A
	PAT: Excellence	13.5	16.7	N/A	16.0	17.7	N/A
Teaching & Leading	Education Quality	90.3	83.3	89.6	88.1	89.0	89.7
Learning Supports	Welcoming, Caring, Respectful and Safe Learning Environments (WCRSLE)	83.5	89.9	89.9	84.7	86.1	86.1
	Access to Supports and Services	75.1	74.0	74.0	80.6	81.6	81.6

Our student growth and achievement results continue to be strong. In fact, our students have continued to achieve above the provincial average for the acceptable standard on the PATs. Furthermore, we are proud to meet our former goal of greater opportunities for students to demonstrate good citizenship.

We continue to approach education with the knowledge that Powerful Learning is the most effective way to increase student understanding. These efforts are reflected in the student learning engagement survey results particularly the quality of education at Greentree School.











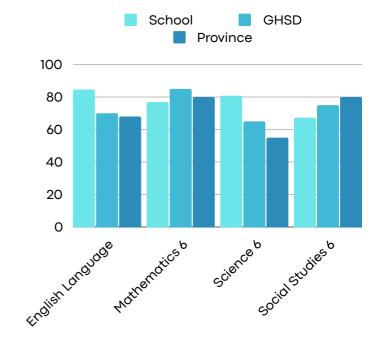


# Goal 1 Every Student is Successful

Greentree's PAT results are notable again this year. Our students' successes are due to our excellent teachers who implement powerful learning strategies across all grades and subject areas. Our safe and welcoming learning environment fosters student success.

We will focus efforts on deepening the conceptual understanding of the Social Studies curriculum.

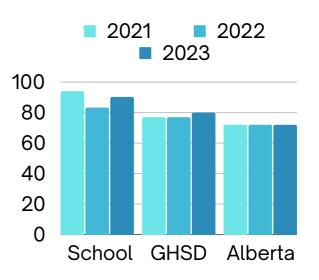
#### **Grade 6 PAT Results**



#### **Student Learning Engagement**

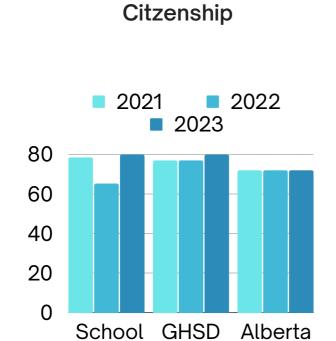
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#### **Education Quality**

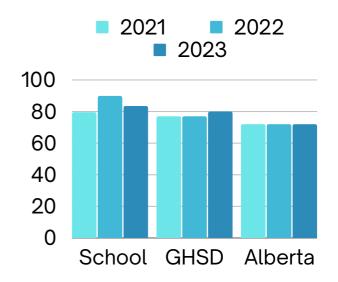








#### Welcoming, Caring, Respectful and Safe Learning Environment













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Goverance	Parental Involvement	72.5	64.2	75.2	79.1	78.8	80.3

#### **Our Results**

Our results show a need to further develop stakeholder engagement at Greentree School. We are excited to create more opportunities for families to volunteer at Greentree School and become more involved in school and community events, both organized through our school and our school council.

Greentree's families are encouraged to be part of our community as parent volunteers, as a member of our School Council, and are welcome to discuss their child's education during parent-teacher interviews or when concerns arise.









### Goal 2 Stakeholder Engagement

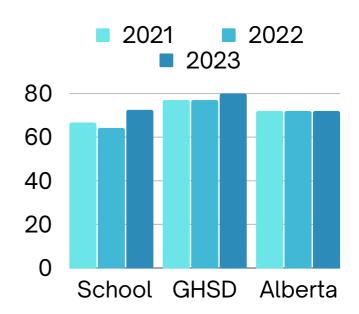
#### **Strategies**

Greentree School will investigate ways to facilitate more opportunities in which parents can be involved in their children's school success.

We will actively reach out to families when there are opportunities to be involved using classroom newsletters, social media posts, and School Messenger.

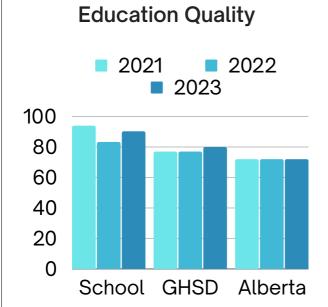
Furthermore, to make sure our families are informed about the various ways they can have an impact on their child's success, we will more readily share relevant communication regarding parental involvement in our school community.

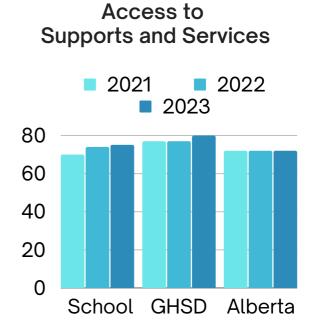
#### Parental Involvement











#### **Our Results**

Greentree School staff work diligently to provide dynamic and engaging learning opportunities, both inside and out of the classroom. Through our academies, athletics, and extra-curricular clubs, and Greentree is proud to offer quality learning opportunities to students.

We strive to provide equitable access to supports and services to all students and will continue to meet the needs of all learners at Greentree School.



#### Goal 3 **Literacy and Numeracy** Success for all Learners

#### **School Strategies**

Greentree School, as part of Golden Hills School Division, will continue to offer Early intervention programs to provide a strong foundation for literacy and numeracy skill development. To help classroom teachers support learners, we have weekly Resource Team Meetings where our counsellor, administration, teachers, and school consultant, a registered psychologist, meet to discuss how best to support each student, including involving wrap-around services where necessary. There are two alternative classroom options for students who struggle in a traditional setting: Strive and Achieving Independence. This year, after recognizing the increasing mental health concerns of students, we have increased our counselling availability to full-time.



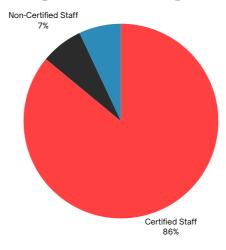








### **Operating Budget**



### **Facilities and Capital Plan**

We continue to improve our building and site at Greentree School to increase efficiency as well as create a more welcoming and safe environment.

Chairs were purchased by our School Council, to improve the comfort of guests at school events. Greentree School Council also replenished the wood chips in our playground.

An accessibility door has been installed in our front entrance to ensure all students, with ranging mobility levels, can feel welcome and easily enter our school.

Trees, donated from the Town of Drumheller, were planted in collaboration with an inquiry project with our grade 5 and grade 3 teachers, Molly Moar and Megan Mason, and their students.

We anticipate playground climbers to be installed in our field to ease playground congestion and provide students with more opportunities for enjoyment and play.





### **School Highlights**

Greentree School is a wonderful place to learn and grow. We are so proud of all of the wonderful and unique opportunities we offer to our students. We are always looking forward to create more diverse and meaningful experiences for Greentree Students.



