

# Minnekhada Middle School

## Neighbourhood Learning Centre

### Community Consultation and Open House

In anticipation of Provincial approval and funding for the seismic replacement of Minnekhada Middle School, School District No. 43 (Coquitlam) would like to invite the community to a Neighbourhood Learning Centre (NLC) Community Consultation and Open House.

Pending approval and funding, NLC space in Minnekhada Middle School will comprise 15% of the total square footage. The idea is to find unique and innovative ways to design schools with both school and community use in mind. As Minnekhada Middle School is a designated Community School, this space will support the programs that mutually benefit both the school and the community. Some examples of NLC spaces could include: enhanced curricular spaces, an enhanced gym, enhanced arts spaces, or meeting space for community groups. Goals of the event are:

- to share the results of the Neighbourhood Learning Centre (NLC) public feedback received through our online survey;
- provide an opportunity for the community to provide additional feedback on this key public site; and
- summarize the conceptual school design process so far and next steps.

**When: Wednesday, April 27, 2016, 5 – 6:30 pm**

*(CHP Architects will present at 5:15 pm. There will be placards to view and school district personnel to ask questions to throughout the event. We welcome everyone to stay for the Grade 5 Open House beginning at 6:30 pm).*

**Where: Library, Minnekhada Middle School, 1390 Laurier Ave. Port Coquitlam**



For detailed information from the Ministry of Education on NLC's: [www.neighbourhoods-of-learning.gov.bc.ca](http://www.neighbourhoods-of-learning.gov.bc.ca)

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