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Orange Shirt Day

Nbsiing welcomed June Commanda to join us as we honoured Residential School survivors. June led our students in a walk to the NFN Residential School Memorial. Chi-miigwech June for joining us today and for your continued support for Nbsiing.

We were grateful to also have the support and presence of Virginia Goulais and were happy that other community members were able to join us for our walk through Duchesnay.



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PJ & Loungewear Day

Pyjama day was a massive success this year!

From fluffy slippers to onesies and even a student who brought an entire bed to school (talk about dedication!), our students showed off their spirit in style.



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Orange Shirt Day Promotion Event

Nbisiiing hosted Near North DSB schools this month to create orange signs in honour of Orange Shirt Day. The goal of the event was to spread the message of reconciliation and hope across our communities. Miigwech to our elder, Peter Beaucage, for being with us, starting and ending the day in a good way.

Each visiting school took their signs back to their school and set up their displays to remind their communities that Every Child Matters.

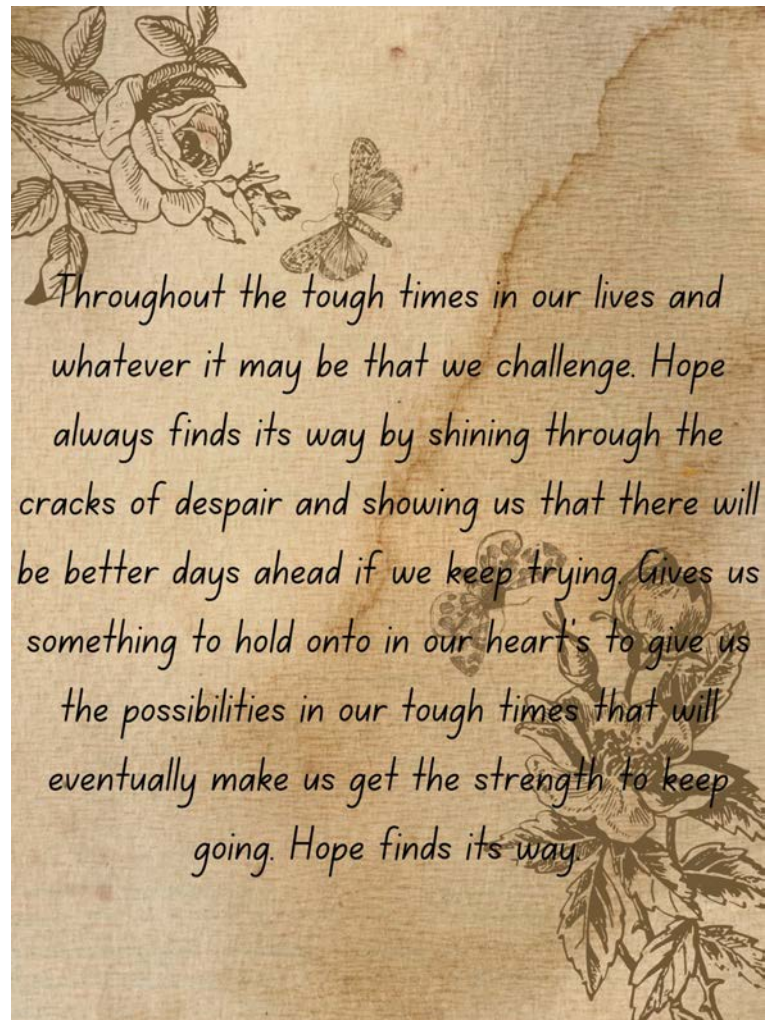
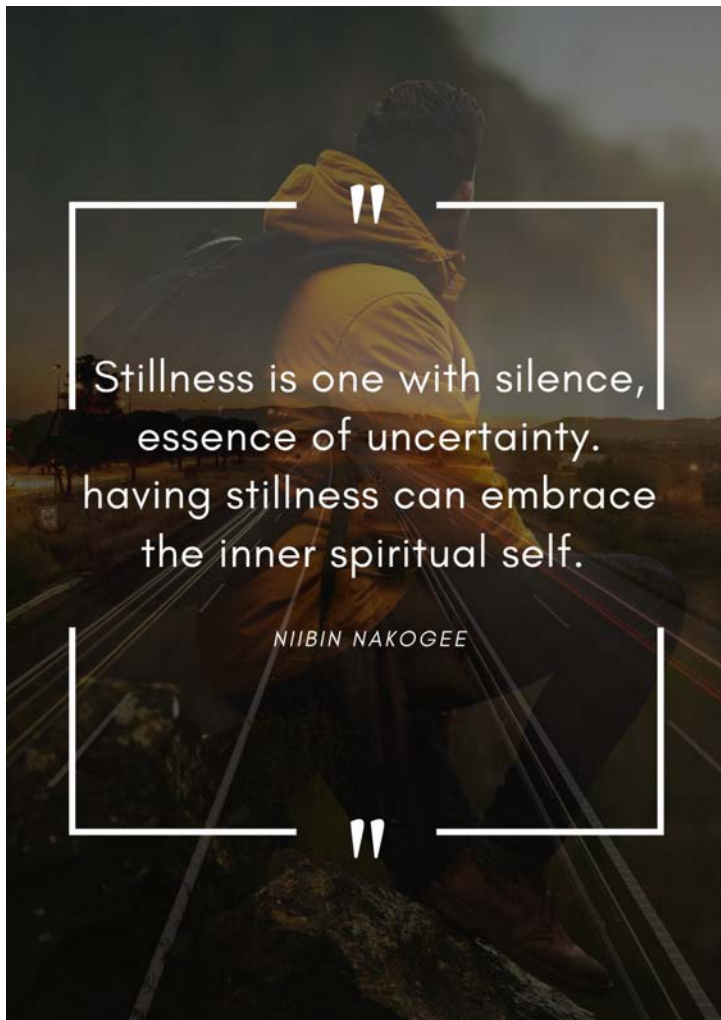


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English Class (NBE3CU)

Our grade 11 English class spent September studying meditative poetry by author Richard Wagamese. We learned the power of story-telling through musings from his book 'Embers'. We ended off the unit making our own musings, and exploring diverse approaches to poetry.



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Medicines with Glenna

Our classes spent a few days this month learning about traditional medicines, identifying and harvesting them on a medicine walk, preparing them, and making medicines with the guidance of Glenna Beaucage.



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Senior Level Baking

Our senior-level baking class has been on fire in the kitchen! In just their first three weeks of school, they've whipped up delicious bread, mouthwatering chocolate chip cookies, irresistible cinnamon buns, fry bread, and baked bannock! We cannot believe that they are only beginners in the course!

The students have been using the Duchesnay Hall's kitchen while our school's kitchen is under repair. These talented students don't just excel at baking; they also rocked at setting up the new kitchen and adapting to a change of scenery like true pros.

Chi-miigwech to these future culinary masters, and their amazing teacher Albina for bringing some extra sweetness and warmth to our day. You've definitely made us proud!



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Photography Class (TGP3M/4M)

Our grade 11 & 12 students have been having fun experimenting with their new cameras.

The have been chasing both wildlife and perfect angles during these past few weeks, even trying out their hand at a few editing softwares.

