



# Feeding Futures

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## Strategies for Enhancing Community Food Accessibility

- Local and fresh mandate
- Fruit/vegetable accessibility
- Food vouchers
- Targeted support
- Community partners
- Purchasing and deliveries
- Staffing



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## Food Access in Our Schools

- Daily breakfast programs at Sutherland, Carson Graham, Argyle & Cleveland
- Grab & go snacks available at many elementary schools




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## Food Access in Our Schools

- Fresh fruit available at all schools
- Community partners delivering food to schools
- Local charities supporting schools



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## Letter of Support




I want to thank you for helping organize the food recovery to be delivered to Squamish Nation, S7ilhen Food Pantry for the months of June, July and August. I cannot tell you enough how much this donation has helped our community. Many of our families live with food insecurity. Being able to attend the food recovery days allows our family to take meals and meal ingredients they may not have had.

On delivery days we informed our community and posted some video clips on social media and the community happily came! Everyone was amazed to see how much recovered food there was and they were so excited to receive it. Some of the deli prepared meals were frozen and used in the Pantry for our Elders who need extra food support, those who are sick and those who do not have the means to cook (homeless or in hotel).

Thank you again for your support!

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Tannis Louie  
Food Coordinator

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## Our Goals:

- Continue with universal accessibility.
- Supporting all district programs for Indigenous students
- Providing fresh and local fruit & vegetables
- Working with community partners to help support families
- Purchase an electric truck for delivering food to schools

Level	All Students	Total
Elementary	All Students	1,788
Secondary	All Students	907

This school year, how often have you felt hungry because there was not enough food to eat?



Students responding Most of the Time/All the Time Or Agree/Strongly Agree

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## Promoting Food Security and Equity in Schools

- Food insecurity knows no boundaries
- Food connects people
- Food security supports learners
- Providing food for all helps reduce stigma
- Ensure everyone has access to fresh fruit every school day
- Indigenous students and those in need/care have access to a cafeteria lunch of their choice



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