

BOARDING ALLOWANCE

2024/2025 SCHOOL YEAR

GENERAL INFORMATION

- ✓ The application must be completed **submitted by the parent/guardian**
- ✓ Proof of Residency will be checked from the school student file. You will be contacted to submit proof of residency if the address stated on this application form is different than the proof of address in the student file.
- ✓ Incomplete applications WILL NOT be processed.
- ✓ Grade 10 students wishing for a different program/course than their catchment school offers must have an approved school of choice application before a boarding allowance application is submitted.
- ✓ An email with a letter of approval or denial will be sent to the parent/guardian, and if applicable, the First Nations Band Education Coordinator. If you do not receive an email within 2 weeks of submitting your Boarding Allowance Application, please contact the Education Department to confirm that your application was received.
- ✓ All contractual arrangements for boarding a student are between the parent/guardian of the student and the boarding parent. The School District's obligation is limited to payment of the boarding allowance to the parent/guardian or First Nation Band. The boarding allowance rate for 2024/25 is \$500.00 per month based on the student's attendance. The boarding parent should inform the school of a student's absence.
- ✓ Payments are made by direct deposit or cheque **TO THE PARENT/GUARDIAN OR FIRST NATION BAND**. Payments are made by the 15th of the following month. (Example: Boarding allowance for May will be received on June 15th). The parent/guardian or First Nations band is to pay the boarding parent
- ✓ If you would like to pay the boarding allowance directly to their First Nation Band you will be required to complete and submit the Payment Authorization to First Nation Band form available on our website.

The school district reserves the right to verify the accuracy of information submitted on this application.