

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FIRST NATIONS ADVISORY COMMITTEE</b> <b>SCHOOL PRINCIPAL'S REPORT</b></p>
<p><b>School: H.B. Beal Secondary School</b></p>
<p><b>PART 1 – Student Achievement</b>  <i>Quantitative achievement data for students from communities (aggregate, as available); review of most recent FNMI Student Success Team Meeting (secondary), date of next meeting (secondary); next steps, other data sources regarding student achievement and well-being for community students</i></p> <p>April 10 &amp; 16 – FNMI SST Academic Blitz Days for Grade 9/10s and Credit Recovery students.  25 students invited who are currently at risk of not earning all of their credits.  Additional Blitz days planned for May.</p> <p>*** These sessions are being mandated as much as possible and classroom teachers are in full support and have provided SST with outstanding expectations. No new content will be delivered during these 'blitz days' in order to ensure the rescue efforts are meaningful and students feel safe to attend.</p>
<p><b>PART 2 – Initiatives to Support First Nations Students</b>  <i>Cultural events, student activities, staff development, parent and community engagement</i></p> <p>March 28th – Took 20 FNMI students to CASS for a presentation by Anishinaabe author/playwright Drew Hayden Taylor</p> <p>April 4th – Indigenous studies classes attended the SeeMe workshop (MMIWG) and participated in the Blanket Exercise at Atlohsa</p> <p>April 13 – GPP3OF Fundraising event at the Oneida Spring Bazaar. FNMI Leadership students have been making beaded lanyards and will be making other crafts to raise funds for the Spring Gathering.</p> <p>April 24th – FNMI students from Beal will be participating in Saunders' Annual Water Walk from the forks of the Thames to the Board office</p>
<p><b>PART 3 – School News</b>  <i>School-wide events and updates</i></p>

April 13th – FNMI Leadership class will be selling crafts and bake goods at the Oneida Homemakers Spring Bazaar to raise funds for our upcoming Spring Gathering (Pow Wow)

May 23 – Beal is planning an Indigenous Spring Gathering for students and staff on Thursday, May 23rd during Aboriginal Awareness Week. The FNMI Leadership class and the school committee are leading this initiative. The gathering will be from 10:00 – 1:30pm. Once we have drum groups confirmed, we will send out a poster. Everyone is welcome to attend!