INTEGRATED PROGRAMS

Creating Youth Culture: through presentations & storytelling, High school newcomer and First Nations students share their experiences with elementary students in schools and learn about each other.

Digital Storytelling Project: using the power of storytelling, newcomer and First Nations youth and seniors/elders will connect on many levels: cultural, relational, social, personal. Seniors & elders will share their experiences in traditional form while youth will use modern digital media to record and capture those experiences forever.

Youth Empowerment Workshops: Integrated afterschool activities such as woodworking, drumming and art workshops aimed at developing skills and building confidence. Delivered in collaboration with First nations communities and in partnership with White Buffalo Youth Lodge.

Youth Hosting Youth: Newcomer youth are connected to local youth including First nations and Mete’s youth to connect, learn about Canada, community resources, social activities and to practice English.

Youth Civic Engagement: Immigrant and Aboriginal youth are introduced to the three levels of government and the concept of lobbying, advocacy and civic Engagement such as We Day.

Annual Youth Summit: Organized by youth for youth; brings together Aboriginal, Canadian and immigrant youth and community decision makers to discuss issues that have a direct impact on youth.

Connecting Our Cultural Communities: CCC connects Saskatoon’s diverse culture groups including newcomers, First Nations and Métis, and raises cultural awareness and understanding amongst people. Cross cultural collaborations are encouraged and opportunity is provided for groups to come together to celebrate each other, learn to respect each other and enhance the sense of community.

Cultural Bridging: The program focuses on encouraging and facilitating positive intercultural interactions within and between communities by providing culturally responsive programming and services. Enhanced Cultural Responsiveness provides presentations, information sessions, and workshops to community agencies and institutions in the areas of cultural awareness and responsiveness to more accurately reflect the cultural diversity in the community. Topics include cultural competency, cultural diversity intercultural communication workplace diversity cultural specific information.

Volunteer Based Community Programming: various volunteer-led programming provides opportunities for newcomers and the host community including First Nations and Métis to connect and learn about each other. Programs focus on mentoring, conversation circles, storytelling, learning about Canada and community volunteer placements.

Community connection is a mutual endeavor which must include members of various communities in order to be successful.

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