



ANISHINABEK EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE

Community Needs Survey

Age

- Under 18 18-28 29-39 40-50 50+
- Male Female

Location:

First Nation Affiliation:

Highest Level of Education:

- No Ontario Secondary School Diploma Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- College Diploma University Diploma

1. Do you feel that there is a need for any of the certificate/diploma programs currently available at the AEI within your community? Check any that apply:

Diploma

- Native Community Worker
 Native Early Childhood Education
 Practical Nursing
 Social Service Worker

Certificate

- Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders
 First Nations Child Welfare Advocate
 Personal Support Worker
 Pre-Health Sciences

2. If there is no demand for any of the AEI programs mentioned above, please list any programs you feel are needed in your community below:

3. Are there any post-secondary institutions near you that offer the program(s) you think are needed in your community?

Yes No

4. Would you be interested in taking courses through Contact North/Online?

Yes No

5. For those of you who have completed your post-secondary education, do you plan on returning to your community in search of employment?

Yes No

a) If yes, what educational background do you have?

6. What employment positions would you feel that your community could benefit from? (e.g. office manager, health department, trades etc.)?

7. Primary cause of unemployment and/or lack of education resources in the community?

- Low access within own community for desired positions or programs
- Qualifications/education level
- Remote community/accessibility too far
- Lack of sufficient wages
- Lack of jobs, positions available
- Other

8. Potential barriers causing unemployment/underemployment or low education?

- Quality of current education access
- Personal health barriers– disabilities, poor health, mental health
- Learning disabilities
- Criminal convictions
- Transportation problems
- Family barriers – lack of access to child care for dependents
- Alcohol and drug abuse by youth
- Alcohol and drug abuse by family
- Lack of opportunity to develop skills needed
- Lack of support or accommodation
- Lack of academic preparation
- Financial resources
- Other

9. List of resources that are lacking in the community to allow potential educational growth?

- Access to various programs offered – college
- Reliable access to internet/phone
- Quality secondary education
- A school/learning centre

- Quality and/or qualified instructors
- Weak program delivery
- Other

10. What are the potential barrier gaps that will limit their success for greater growth?

- Access to band or government funding/limitation of funding
- Learning abilities
- Access to higher level education
- Lack of support services
- Relocation and/or transportation
- Other

11. What are the current employment gaps that are directly affecting the hiring process within the community? What area would this gap be associated with?

- Lack of education by applicants
- Lack of skill qualifications
- Previous work experience
- Lack of applicants applying
- Other

12. What community education services are needed or need updating?

13. What types of workplace training do employers and managers want for their employees or hiring candidates?

14. Other Comments