## **DIRECTOR'S FIVE-DAY FORECAST**

## October 20, 2025

## This week...



**Morning Coffee** 

## T'oósí nìchidinitłódí ch'át'ághà "Leaves Falling"

"For me, becoming isn't about arriving somewhere or achieving a certain aim. I see it instead as forward motion, a means of evolving, a way to reach continuously toward a better self. The journey doesn't end." Michelle Obama's quote in *Becoming* emphasizes that education is not merely a destination marked by accolades, but rather a continuous journey of growth and self-discovery. In the context of our work, "becoming" reflects the dynamic nature of teaching and learning, where both educators and students are encouraged to evolve, adapt, and strive for improvement.

In our classrooms, this means fostering an environment where curiosity and exploration are valued over endpoints. It invites us to embrace challenges as opportunities for development, recognizing that each experience—successful or difficult—contributes to our collective growth. This attitude is essential not only for our students but also for us as educators, reminding us that we are all on our own journeys of learning, furthering our skills, and cultivating our understanding. Let's support one another in striving for continuous improvement, creating an environment where growth is not only expected but celebrated.



Last week, I had a successful planning meeting with staff from the Indigenous Knowledge and Wisdom Centre and the Grey Eagle Resort and Casino in preparation for the 2026 First Nations Educators' Conference, which we will be co-hosting from February 3 to 5, 2026. The conference theme is still in development, and some outstanding keynote speakers have been confirmed. Conference registration has not yet opened; however, all our instructional staff will be attending. Once general registration opens, I anticipate that a call for presenters will be issued, so keep an eye out for further updates! I look forward to continuing to collaborate with the technical committee as we work together to make this important event a success.



October 20 - Picture Day at MHHS

October 21 - Boys Volleyball Tournament at CBBMS

October 22 - Education Leadership Team Meeting

October 23 - Chiila Halloween Family Fun Craft Night (4:00 to 6:00 p.m.)

October 24 - Professional Development Day



Date	Time	Location
October 20	AM/PM	Education Office
October 21	AM/PM	MHHS/CBBMS/Chiila
October 22	AM/PM	Offsite
October 23	AM/PM	Education Office/BAEC
October 24	AM/PM	CBBMS/Education Office