

STORY OF CHANGE

Thriving
communities

Resilient local food systems

Thriving land
and waters

Right relationship with the land

Healthier people -
mental, physical,
spiritual and emotional

LONGER TERM IMPACTS

Academic success

Sustainable
food production

Community knowledge,
skills and relationships

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY-BASED OUTCOMES

Public Health

- Access to and enjoyment of health-promoting and culturally relevant foods
- Access to land, growing, preparation and other food infrastructure
- Mended relationships with food
- Healthy school food environment

Environment

- Engagement in stewardship
- Relationship to the land and waters
- Access to more sustainably produced foods

Community Economic Development

- More community jobs
- More food bought from the community including underrepresented food providers
- More food produced / harvested by the school community

Education

- More interest in school
- Enthusiasm for health-promoting foods
- Stronger mental, physical, emotional, spiritual wellbeing
- Food skills and confidence
- Sense of cultural safety and belonging

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY-BASED ACTIVITIES

Healthy, local food

- Improved meals and snacks
- Culturally relevant foods
- Tastings, celebrations
- Infrastructure, equipment
- Involvement of children and youth

Hands-on learning

- Field trips to farms, forests, shores
- Harvesting and preparing plants, game, fish, medicines
- Land-based learning
- Connecting with nature

School and community connectedness

- More local food
- Connections between schools and food providers
- Learning from the land and waters
- Learning from and building relationships with the community

TRANSFORMING HOW FOOD IS EXPERIENCED, LEARNED AND CELEBRATED IN ALL SCHOOLS ACROSS CANADA

SCHOOL COMMUNITY CAPACITY

INSTITUTIONAL
SYSTEMS/POLICY

INVESTMENT

VALIDATION

INSPIRATION

KNOWLEDGE

SKILLS

RELATIONSHIPS/
CONNECTIONS

ACTIVITIES / OUTPUTS

Stories, case studies,
videos

Local and national
gatherings

Sharing
impacts

Informing
Policy Change

Webinars

Connecting
people together

Grants

Newsletters, blog posts,
social media

Toolkits, Guides

Online
Resource Centre

Indigenous School
Food Circle

Evaluation process
and tools

Farm to School Month

ADVISORS

BOARD

PEOPLE AND RELATIONSHIPS

SCHOOL COMMUNITIES
(EDUCATORS, FAMILIES, STUDENTS, ELDERS, KNOWLEDGE KEEPERS,
PUBLIC HEALTH, FOOD PROVIDERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS...)

PROJECT PARTNERS

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