

2010 Grade 8 Awards of Excellence

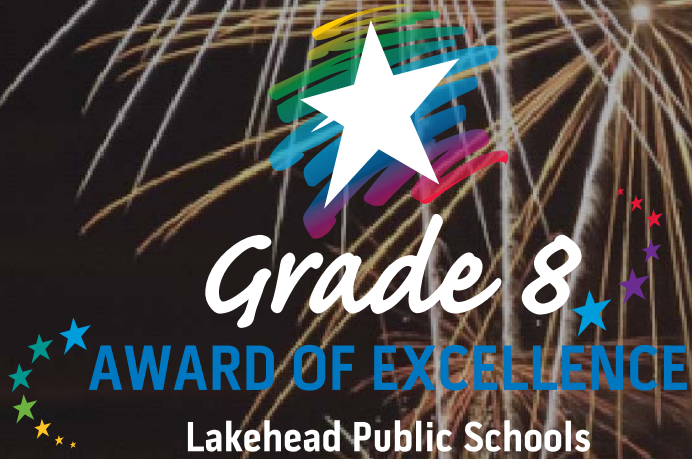
Lakehead Public Schools is very proud to introduce the Grade 8 Award of Excellence, inspired by Walter Poshtar. Walter Poshtar was a Teacher, Vice Principal and Principal for the Fort William Board of Education mainly at the Intermediate level. Mr. Poshtar saw Grade 8 students as vital, inquisitive, caring, and above all, involved in life itself. The key requirements of the Grade 8 Poshtar Award: achievement and citizenship, are integral components of this award.

The Grade 8 Award of Excellence recognizes individuals who have achieved high standards of academic excellence as well as demonstrating leadership within the school and our community. Through their daily actions within our schools and in our community, these students truly personify the Lakehead Public Schools Values of:

- Integrity
- Acceptance
- Empathy
- Respect
- Responsibility

Studies prove that students are more successful in school when they are supported by their parents and guardians. Our annual Grade 8 Awards of Excellence celebration is a testament to the dedication of the parents and guardians of the award recipients. Thank you, families and extended families, for your ongoing support and encouragement of your child's education now and into the future.

We celebrate the successes of these outstanding Grade 8 students and wish them well on their future aspirations. We know that these students will have an everlasting impact on our schools and our community.



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Student Success Stories Congratulations!

Lakehead Public Schools is committed to the success of every student.

Each and every student who attends Lakehead Public Schools has the opportunity to experience success. Through innovative programs provided by highly trained and professional staff in clean and secure schools, our students are able to begin their lifelong journey of learning and personal growth.

Success for all students is the goal for Lakehead Public Schools. Success comes in many forms and is different for each student. Recognizing and celebrating successes are important at Lakehead Public Schools. We are a community in celebration.

The Grade 8 Awards of Excellence are presented by
The Lakehead Learning Foundation
in partnership with
Elementary Teachers Federation of Ontario - Lakehead
Ontario Principals Council
Lakehead District School Board.

Emma Lockyer
Sara Alexander
Tara Jane Shapwaykeesic
Ben Neilipovitz
Samantha Belluz
Krista Lamb
Kirsten Spivak
Montana Takalo
Elora Oades
Cody Cook
Hayden Baxter
Tristen Webb
Sydney Zamojski
Halle Demchuk
Jessica Moore
Sydney McInnis
Jillian Swan
Ian Warwick
Shannon McKitrick

Agnew H. Johnston Public School
Algonquin Avenue Public School
Armstrong Public School
Claude E. Garton Public School
Crestview Public School
Edgewater Park Public School
Five Mile Public School
Gorham & Ware Public School
Ecole Gron Morgan Public School
Kakabeka Falls District Public School
Kingsway Park Public School
McKellar Park Central Public School
Nor'wester View Public School
Sir Winston Churchill Elementary
Valley Central Public School
Vance Chapman Public School
Westmount Public School
Whitefish Valley Public School
Woodcrest Public School