



What is an Aboriginal Education Enhancement Agreement AEEA?



How it is relevant to SD#22?



What is its purpose at Alexis Park?

WHAT IS AN AEEA?

- ↳ A written document with an MOA/MOU signed and submitted to M of Ed
- ↳ Recognizes and respects the traditional territory it resides and serves in
- ↳ Defines aboriginal student success for school aged children enrolled in SD#22
- ↳ It includes **everyone** in the process and delivery at all levels, continuously (SD#22, students, parents, aboriginal communities)
- ↳ It hears and ☺ listens to everyone's experiences
- ↳ It directly recognizes and acknowledges the importance of culture, language, and academics for aboriginal students
- ↳ It is supported by Aboriginal Targeted Funds to administer, cultivate, enhance, and guide it
- ↳ It builds on existing success and defines new ones
- ↳ It is unique, custom built, and perennial
- ↳ It is a commitment for today and beyond
- ↳ It actualizes aboriginal achievement

WHAT IS IT IS NOT

- It is not more work for teachers ♦
- It is not the sole responsibility of the Aboriginal Programs department and its staff ♦
- It is not a top-down process ♦
- It is not a hard process ~ it is easy ♦
- because it's based on our love of working with children ♦
- It doesn't point fingers ♦

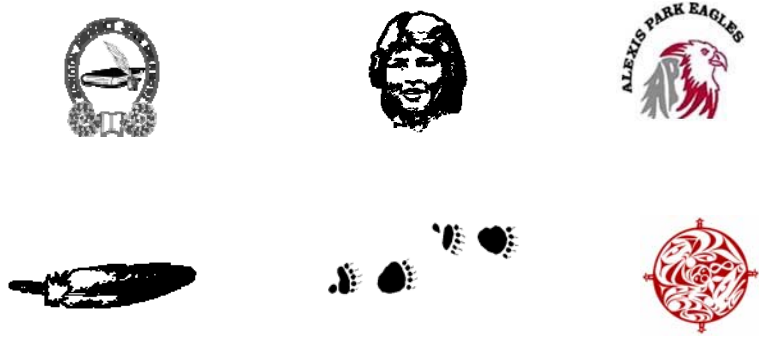
HOW IS IT RELEVANT TO SD#22?

- ✍ It is 13 years past due (over 30 AEEAs have been signed provincially)
- ✍ It is part of the Target Funds conditions
- ✍ Ready to commit and begin (Paddles Up!)
- ✍ It will support and expect every school's and alternate program's participation
- ✍ It agrees to maintain the outcome of the AEEA and all future AEEAs

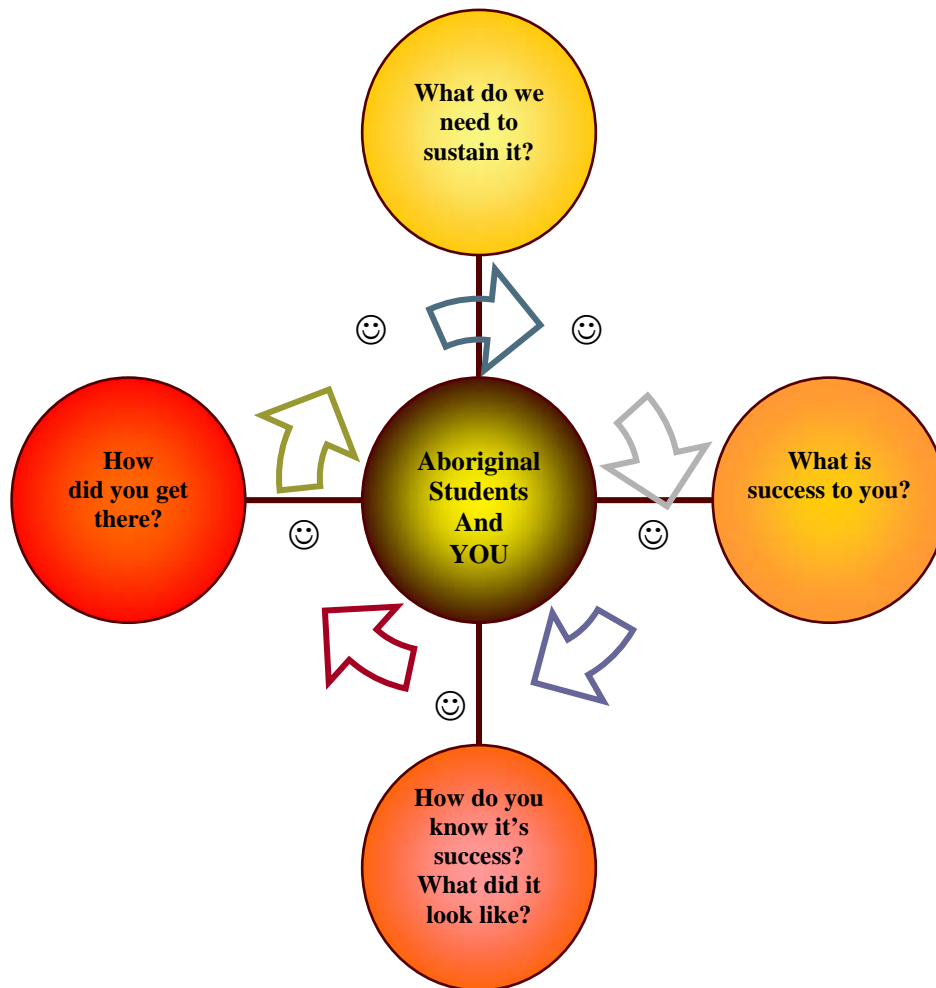
WHAT IS ITS PURPOSE AT ALEXIS PARK?

↳ To be defined ↔ To be present ↔ To be actualize ↪

WHO IS INVOLVED?

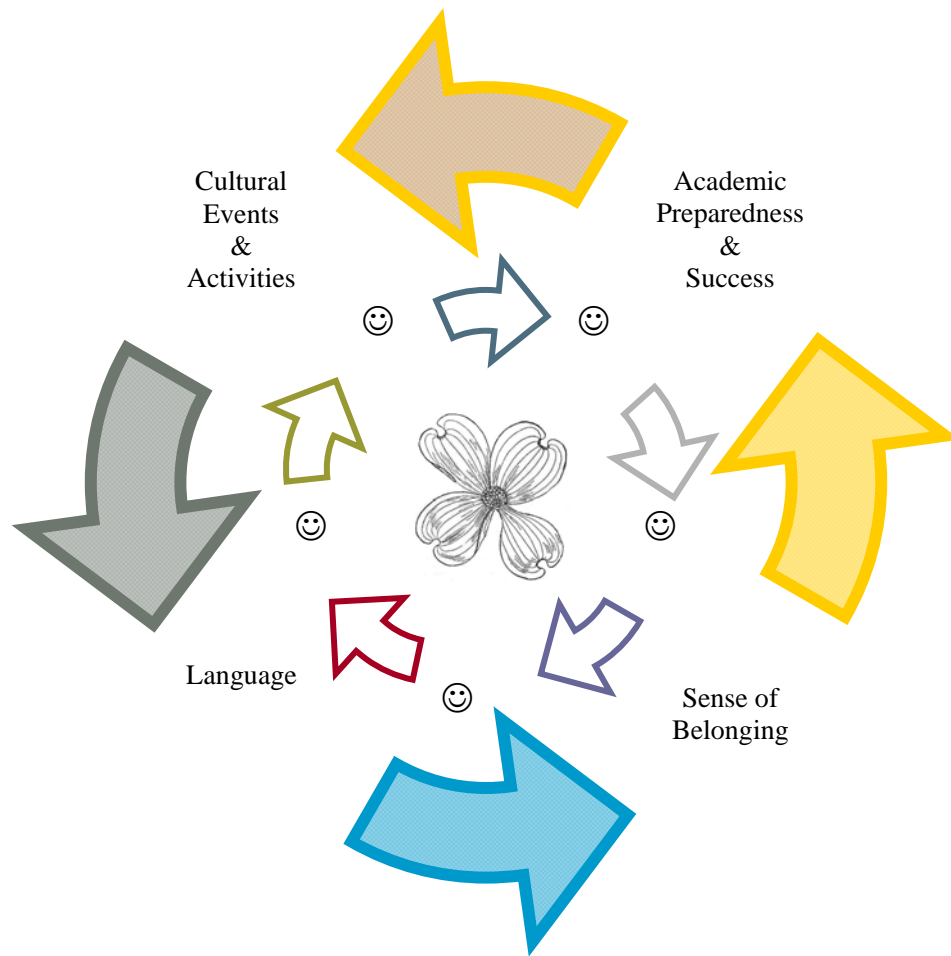


DEFINE SUCCESS



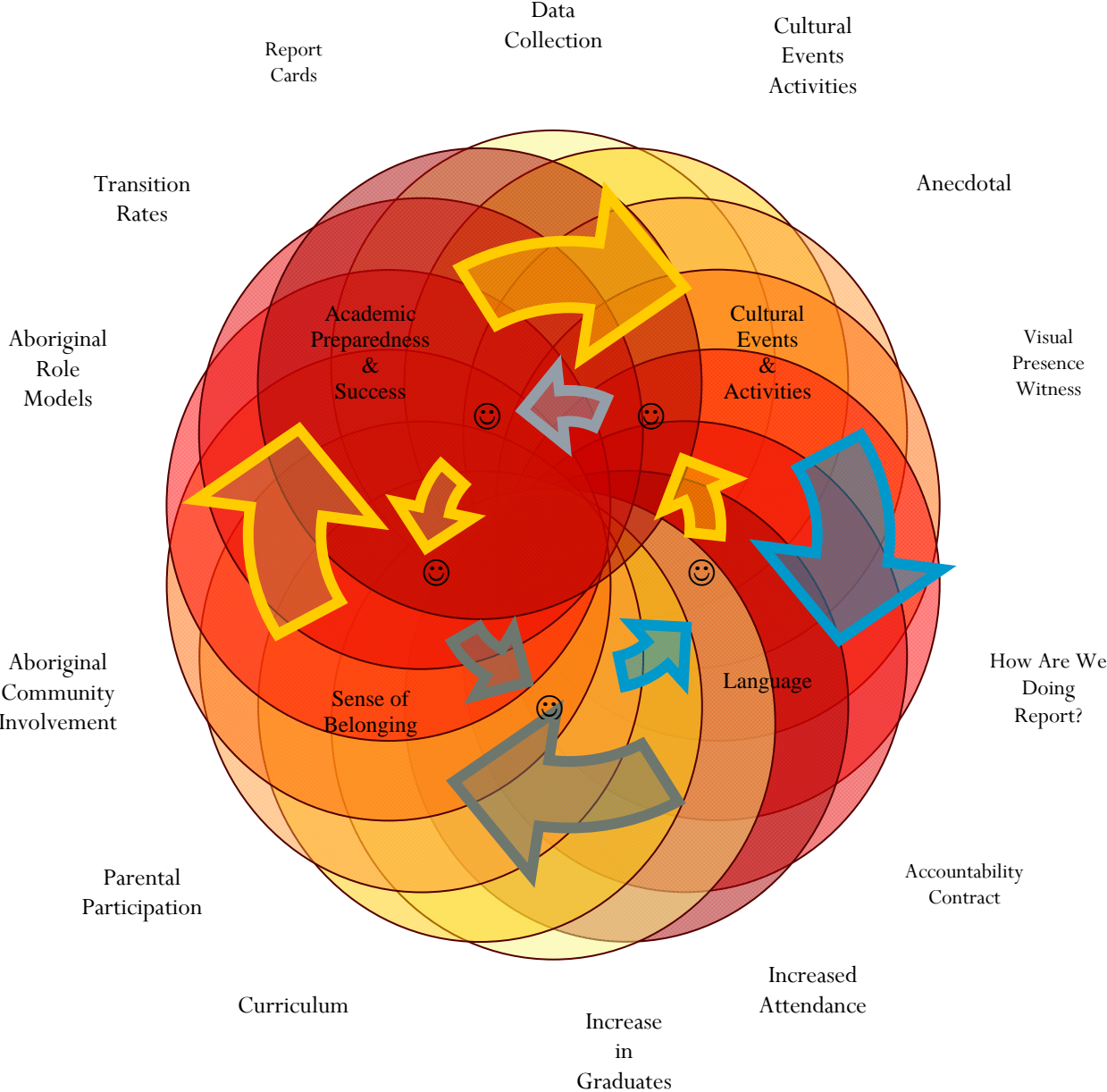
ACTUALIZE SUCCESS

SUSTAIN SUCCESS



More flexible life patterns could . . .
nurture and renew our spirits
through opportunities to actualize personal dreams
(Fred Best).

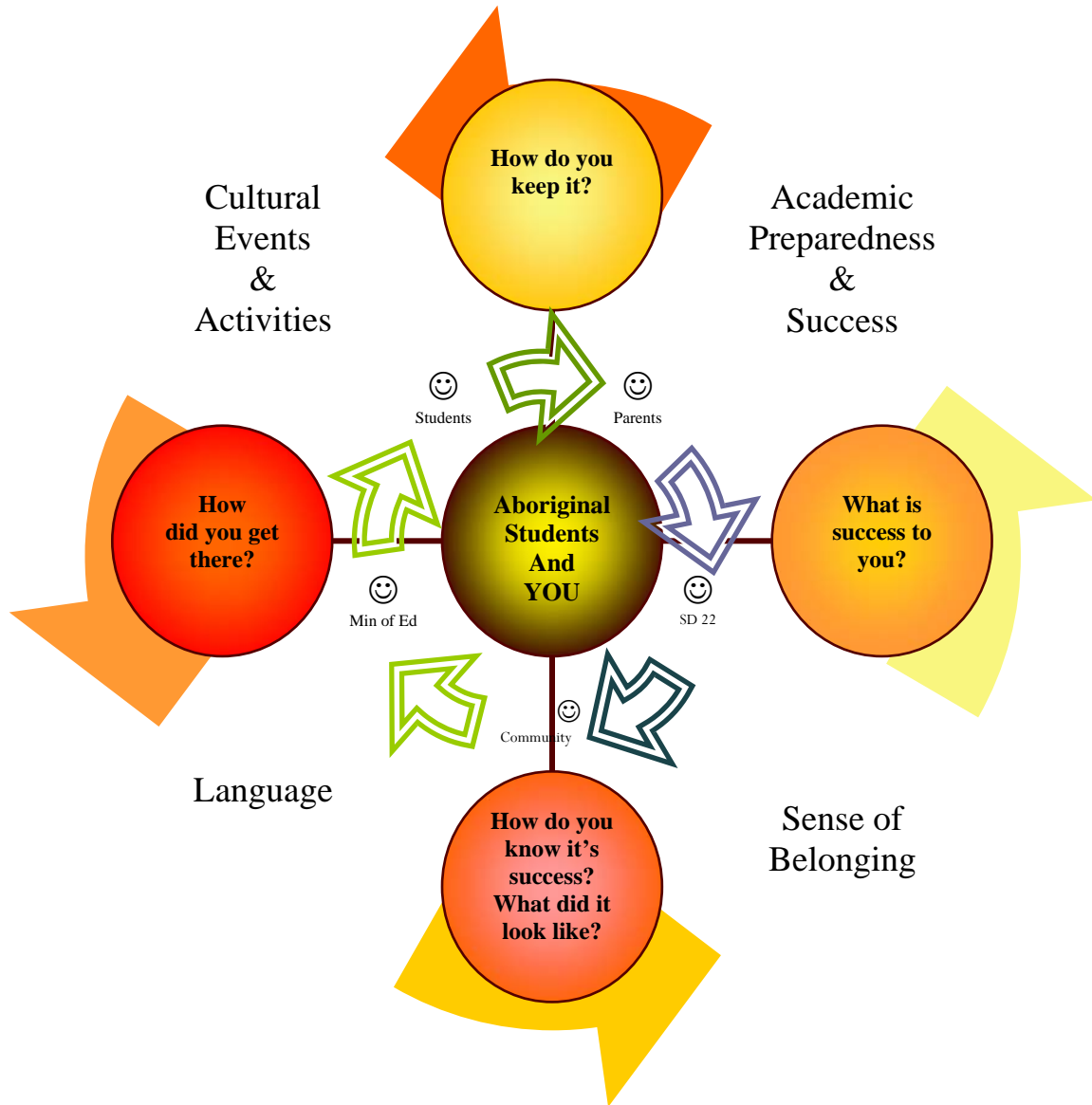
"I JUST WANT TO KEEP LIKING SCHOOL"



EASY

AEEA E A S Y

Every Aboriginal Student ~ Yes



Education + Assessment = Success ~ Yearly
Enhancement Agreement Scrutinized ~ Yearly
Enhancement Agreement Successful ~ Yearly

Paddles Up! We've charted a course to West Vernon and beyond!

YOU'RE INVITED

January 24, 2007

Wednesday

West Vernon Elementary

3.30pm ~ 4.30pm

AEEA ~ Steering Committee Meeting

