

MANITOBA

## FIRST NATIONS

SCHOOL SYSTEM

## TEACH FOR FIRST NATIONS



Manitoba First Nations Education Resource Centre Inc. is guided by the following vision and mission statements:

#### VISION

Support First Nations to develop and implement a comprehensive holistic educational system inclusive of First Nations languages, world views, values, beliefs, and traditions with exemplary academic standards, under First Nation jurisdiction.

#### MISSION

To help First Nations improve education for all learners to achieve: mino-pimatisiwin.

Cree, Ojibwe, Ojibwe-Cree

To help First Nations improve education for all learners to achieve: honso aynai.

Dene

To help First Nations improve education for all learners to achieve: tokadakiya wichoni washte.

Dakota

## **WELCOME**



On behalf of the Manitoba First Nations Education Resource Centre (MFNERC) Board of Directors, I am pleased to present you with this Ginew school information package. I extend my appreciation to everyone involved in gathering and providing information to make this project possible.

Teaching at Ginew school will provide you with a unique and valuable career, as well as many new life opportunities. The Manitoba First Nations School System (MFNSS) is excited to work with you as you begin a new journey in your teaching career.

Ekosani,

Chief Clarence Easter Chemawawin Cree Nation

Chairperson | Board of Directors



On behalf of the MFNERC and the MFNSS, we are excited to share this information package with teachers who are interested in joining us to work with First Nations students in Manitoba.

This information package aims to connect motivated and knowledgeable teachers to our innovative school system. This particular package highlights the many benefits of working with the community of Roseau River Anishinabe First Nation and the opportunities available at Ginew school.

We hope to hear from you soon, and look forward to answering any questions you have about the exciting career opportunities available.

Ekosani,

Lorne C. Keeper Nisichawayasihk Cree Nation

**Executive Director | Manitoba First Nations Education Resource Centre** 



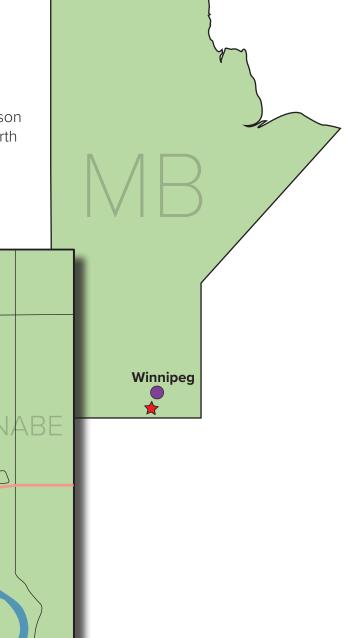
Ginew School

#### Where is Roseau River Anishinabe First Nation?

Nestled along the Red River, Roseau River Anishinabe First Nation is three km east of Highway 75, on Provincial Road 201.

#### **Service Centres**

Nearby communities are Letellier and Dominion City. Emerson is 20min (26km) south and Winnipeg is 1h 20min (97km) north of the community. Winkler is approximately a 40min drive (60km).





#### Mission statement

The seven teachings: Love, Humility, Honesty, Wisdom, Courage, Truth, Respect.
Students should be students their whole lives, to continually learn, to appreciate the environment, and to find their place in the world.

#### **Demographics**

Students: 108 Staff: 30 Teachers: 13

#### **Grades**

Nursery - Grade 8

#### School time

Breakfast program – 8:30 a.m. Class starts – 8:50 a.m. Class ends – 3:30 p.m.

#### **Community Population**

Registered – 2,683 On-reserve – 1,193

#### Language

Ojibway

#### Council

Dakota Ojibway Tribal Council

#### **Treaty**

Treaty 1

#### **Temperature Range**

Average Summer: 19° C

Average Winter: -20  $^{\circ}$ C (windchill can feel like -30  $^{\circ}$ C)



Having appropriate outdoor winter clothing is necessary.





#### Classes offered

Ginew School offers language and culture classes to their students.

#### **Events**

Roseau River Anishinabe First Nation is a welcoming and supportive community that regularly hosts events for its residents. Some of these events include school barbecues, a monthly breakfast, and cultural days. The Gathering of Friends Celebration is held every year which includes sharing stories, songs, ceremonies and traditions with the neighbouring communities. The celebration also features a powwow demonstration and is one of the highlights of each year.

#### **Competitions**

Ginew School has a variety of sports teams that often compete with other schools. Some of these sports include baseball, basketball, volleyball, and track and field. Students also participate in science fairs with students from other schools.



#### Student facilities

Students have access to a gymnasium, computer lab, library, cafeteria, and a students with special needs room.

#### **Teacher facilities**

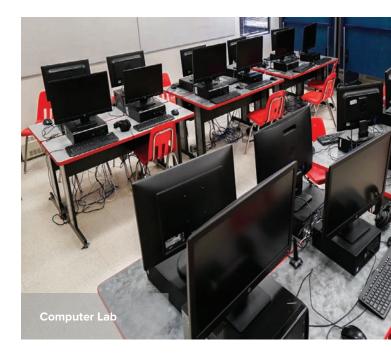
Teachers have access to a staff lounge and all student facilities.

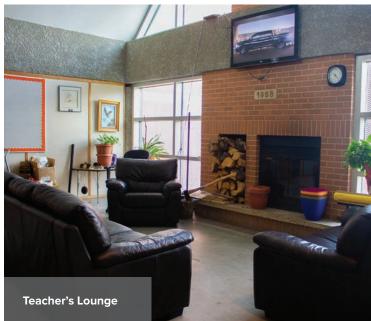
#### **Renovations/upgrades**

Ginew School recently upgraded their security system by adding new cameras to the school grounds.

#### Wi-Fi/cellular service

Wi-Fi and cellular service are available in the school and throughout the community.











## What is Ginew School looking for in a teacher?

Ginew School seeks to hire teachers with a passion for educating First Nations students. Teachers are asked to assist with extracurricular activities and support after school programs.

#### Average day

Teachers start at 8:30 a.m. and end at 4:00 p.m. Throughout the day, teachers take care of students by nurturing them with a positive education experience. Teachers act as role models by demonstrating strong leadership skills.

#### Other responsibilities

Additional teacher responsibilities include lunch and recess duties, field trip supervision, and assisting with extracurricular activities.



#### **Teacherages**

There are no teacherages, but living accommodations can be found in nearby communities within a 10 to 100 km radius.

#### Wi-Fi/cellular service

Wi-Fi and cellular service are available in the school and community.



# ROSEAU RIVER FIRST NATION Community Life



#### **Highlights**

Roseau River Anishinabe First Nation is surrounded by open fields and rushing rivers. There are opportunities for hunting, fishing, and other outdoor activities.

#### **Community life**

Roseau River Anishinabe First Nation proudly celebrates their culture by hosting numerous cultural events throughout the year. Residents of the community enjoy celebrating their language and culture.

The main hubs for the residents of Roseau River are Ginew School and the restaurant in Letellier. The community is also located close to the American border, so traveling to the United States for shopping is another opportunity.

#### **Services**

Roseau River Anishinabe First Nation offers many essential services, such as a gas station and general store. Additional services such as restaurants and grocery stores in Letellier, Dominion City, Winkler and Winnipeq.



# Community Directory

#### **Band Office**

Phone: 1-204- 427-2312 Fax: 1-204-427-2584

#### **Education Authority**

Phone: 1-204-427-2490 Fax: 1-204-427-2398

#### **Health Centre**

Phone: 1-204-427-2384 Fax: 1-204-427-2484

#### **RCMP**

Phone: 1-204-427-3383 Fax: 1-204-427-3389

#### **School**

Phone: 1-204-427-2490 Fax: 1-204-427-2398



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### For employment opportunities please contact:

#### **Human Resources**

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