

## Division NEWS

## New Staffing Announcement - École Jasper Elementary School

**Immediate Release: June 9, 2025** - Grande Yellowhead Public School Division (GYPSD) is pleased to announce that Ms. Becky Koss has accepted the position of Principal of École Jasper Elementary School (ÉJES), beginning the 2025–2026 school year.

Ms. Koss has been serving as the Assistant Principal at ÉJES and has taken on the role of Acting Principal since the spring. Her commitment to student success and school leadership makes her well-suited for this new role.

Originally from Red Deer and raised in a family of educators, Ms. Koss was inspired early on to pursue a career in education. After relocating to Jasper in 2002, she taught at both the elementary and high school levels before taking on a full-time Grade 1 teaching position. Following five years in the classroom, she stepped into school leadership as Assistant Principal, embracing the opportunity to support the broader school community.

Ms. Koss is passionate about fostering student learning and creating a supportive, inclusive environment for students, staff, and families. She looks forward to continuing this work in her new role as Principal.



Outside of school, Becky enjoys hiking, skiing, and golfing in the National Park. She also loves to travel, particularly to Europe, where she visits family and friends.