

McGirr Mission Statement

As a school community of staff, students and parents, we commit to virtues such as courtesy, excellence, respect and responsibility. Through the active promotion of these values, we will instil the attitudes, knowledge and skills for lifelong learning.

NLPS Strategic Plan

The Nanaimo Ladysmith Public Schools (School District 68) has a *Strategic Plan* that guides all financial and educational decisions by the Board. The goals of our strategic plan are:

The district's goals and objectives are guided by the Board's four goals:

- Meet each student's unique needs
- The continuous improvement of instruction and assessment
- Reconciliation
- Organizational effectiveness and accountability to support student learning

McGirr School Plan and Goals 2017-2018

This school year and for the next two years, we will be focusing on the goal of Literacy (writing) and Numeracy. We will focus on improving student achievement in writing, reading and math through use of *Higher Order Thinking* (HOT) questions being asked by both teachers and students.

In the fall/winter of 2017, McGirr's complete School Plan will be posted on our school web site:

<http://schools.sd68.bc.ca/mcge>.