The Aboriginal Resource Centre (ARC)

The ARC is a safe and inclusive space where Indigenous students can find a welcoming open-door policy at each CNC campus.

ARC staff liaise with CNC student service areas, as well as local Indigenous communities and organizations, to support student success and belonging. We encourage you to connect with ARC staff, participate in cultural events and activities, and access programs and services throughout your student journey at CNC.

Aboriginal Student Services

The Aboriginal Resource Centres provide unique resources, cultural events, and in-house services to support your learning and success. The following services are available to all Indigenous students at CNC, no matter the home campus.

Burns Lake

Tiz Beyikh Place of the Talking Stick

The Burns Lake campus is on the unceded and occupied traditional territories of six local First Nations: Cheslatta Carrier Nation, Wet'su-wet'en First Nation, Lake Babine Nation, Skin Tyee Nation, Nee Tahi Buhn Band, and Ts'il Kaz Koh Nation. We acknowledge their gra-ciousness for welcoming knowledge-seekers to their territory.

The CNC Lakes campus Aboriginal Resource Centre (ARC) is a safe and inclusive space where you can experience a friendly, and wel-coming, open-door policy. The ARC features a quiet space and a comfortable lounge area for you to have lunch and socialize. We also

Fort St. James

Kyle Aslin, a 31-year-old Fort St. James resident and member of the Tl'azt'en Nation, took the Job Options Program at his hometown campus

The Fort St. James campus sits on the traditional and unceded territory of the Nak'azdli First Nation. We also serve the First Nation communities of the Yekooche, Takla, Tl'az'ten, and Binche Whut'en.

The ARC staf at CNC Fort St. James actively work to promote and support Aboriginal student success. You will have the opportunity to participate in culturally relevant activities, and access resources when you need them. Receive assistance with sponsorships and get connected with student and community services that support your success.

Highlights

- Land based healing activities:
  - Medicine learning
  - Yoga
  - Painting
- Fireweed Safe Haven cooking and baking classes

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Mackenzie

Dana'Chea!

The Mackenzie campus sits on the traditional and unceded territory of the Macleod Lake Indian Band and also provides services to the Tsay Key Dene and Kwadacha Frist Nations.

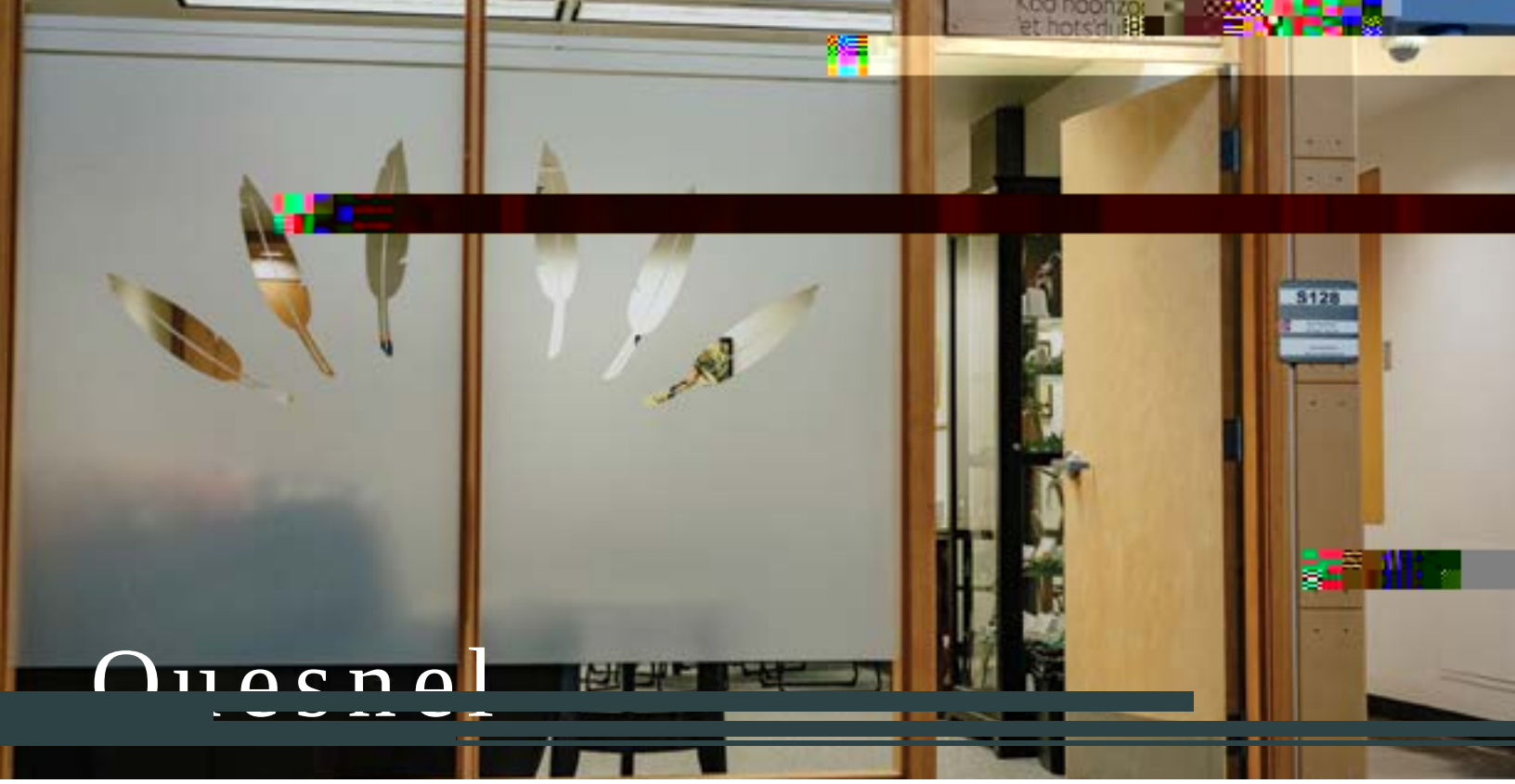
The Aboriginal Advisor/ Liaison at CNC Mackenzie o fers students access to information about entering college, choosing career paths, and accessing funding to attend school. Working together, we can help you be successful at CNC.

Highlights

At CNC Mackenzie, you can access a variety of services, events, programs and workshops designed for Aboriginal students.

- Cultural awareness
- One-on-one mentoring
- Indigenous beading & storytelling workshops
- Cultural art projects and workshops
- Indigenous guest speakers

Prince George



Quesnel

Dahooja!

The Quesnel Campus sits on the unceded traditional territory of the Lhtako Dené First Nation. We also serve the First Nation communities of Nazko, ?Esdilagh and Lhoosk'uz Dene.

In collaboration with the Aboriginal Advisor/ Liaison, CNC Quesnel provides culturally safe services and facilities to Aboriginal Students. We offer students access to information about entering college, choosing career paths, and accessing funding to attend school. Working together, we will assist you in your educational journey at CNC.

Highlights

- Indigenous workshops such as beading and ribbon skirt/ shirt making
- Greenhouse Project – grow traditional medicine plants
- Craft supplies for Indigenous students
- Culturally safe quiet space
- Elder in Residence Program
- Ceremonial smudging
- Carrier Language courses

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Learning together, changing lives, creating futures.

lhulh whuts'odutel'eh (we will learn together),
lhk'enazdulkat (we change ourselves),
nus 'uztelelh (we will create the future).

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