

Memorandum

To: Principals
From: Sharon Whalen, Director, Programs and Services Division
Re: Confederation 75 Materials
Date: October 1, 2024

Please find enclosed resources to support recognition of the 75th Anniversary of Confederation in schools. These are provided in collaboration with the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts and Recreation.

These materials provide opportunities to recognize the historical significance of Newfoundland and Labrador's Confederation with Canada and to celebrate the diverse tapestry of peoples in our province. These resources and suggested activities are intended to foster student exploration of their own place and experience in Newfoundland and Labrador's story.

Lesson plans and activities to support use of these resources are provided on the K-12 Professional Learning site. Also hosted on that site are additional ideas and activities to help explore 75 years of Newfoundland and Labrador's Confederation with Canada.

You will find materials appropriate for use in a variety of subject areas and grade levels by visiting:

English & French <https://www.k12pl.nl.ca/index/confed75.html>

Resources are provided as follows:

One copy per K-6 English classroom

- Room on Our Rock
- Down by Jim Long's Stage

One copy per Grade 4-6 classroom for English, French Immersion and French First Language

- Facts vs Opinions vs Robots
- Walking Together

One copy per K-3 English classroom

- Get Me Another One
- Nutshimit: In the Woods

One Copy per K-3 classroom for Early French Immersion and French First Language

- Nutshimit: Un bain de forêt
- Rends-moi mon papa!

High School: Quantity based on student enrollment

- The Only Living Father (play by Tom Cahill)
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