



Cooke City School Learner Profile 2025

Students in the Cooke City School District will leave this district with a solid academic foundation, critical thinking skills, a lifelong love of learning and a skillset that will remain with them for a lifetime. Cooke City students have a unique opportunity in this isolated, environmentally and culturally rich location. As they get to know their surroundings better, students learn to see their natural environment as an educational platform from which they are able to create meaning that is relevant to their lives. Cooke City students have an appreciation for the vast natural and cultural resources that surround them. By hiking, camping, fishing, and studying in this unique environment, the Cooke City students develop skills and a sense of self that extends to a level of comfort in self-expression that is unusual in children this age. Additionally, these students have an appreciation for many art forms, from indigenous art to film making. Cooke City students develop into confident, life-long learners, and well-rounded, engaged global citizens. When they leave Cooke City School, the students carry with them a sense of responsibility for their world and a desire to be involved in making their communities even better by using the problem-solving skills they have developed. The discovery-based experiential learning and multi-sensory activities outside the classroom at Cooke City School develop a spark of curiosity in students, which enriches their lives and their continued educational journey.