



AREA 2- DAUPHIN RIVER



Traditional Community Name:

Isickachewanoong
(Where the River Empties Into the Lake)



Population:

Approximately 30



Dauphin River School:

Grades: Kindergarten to Grade 8

Enrollment: Approximately 34

Staff: Approximately 13



Access:

Gravel Roads



Indigenous Language(s):

Anishinaabemowin (Ojibwe)



Average Temperatures:

January

High -11 °C Low -20 °C

Extreme Low -33 °C

June

High 23 °C Low 11 °C

Extreme High 33 °C



Treaty Territory:

Treaty 2



Location:

378 km north of Winnipeg
on the western shore of
Lake Winnipeg

ABOUT THE COMMUNITY

The name of Dauphin River encompasses a pair of closely intertwined communities located where the mouth of the namesake river empties into Lake Winnipeg. Boasting some of the best fishing spots in the province, the local community is welcoming to tourists and newcomers alike who are looking to experience the area's verdant nature and enchanting waterways.

There are few amenities available in the area surrounding Dauphin River School, aside from a public community hall and playground. Local residents go to the nearby community of Gypsumville located about an hour away for necessary services including a post office, grocery store, and gas station.

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING IN DAUPHIN RIVER

There are four housing units for staff located within the community. However, because of the Dauphin River's small size, occupancy of these units may be filled by members of the community. In such cases, staff may be placed in housing located in Gypsumville, a 45-minute drive away.

Wireless internet is available, but is the responsibility of the tenant and may be inconsistent.

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

Following years of uncertainty in the wake of a major flood that had displaced much of the Dauphin River community back in 2011, Dauphin River School was recently rebuilt to fulfill the needs of the community. Equipped with multiple classrooms, a gym, a special education and resource room, as well as a high-speed fibre-optic telecommunications line, Dauphin River School is a cornerstone of the local community, and a crucial touchpoint in ensuring proper education for the next generation.

REASONS TO JOIN FRONTIER SCHOOL DIVISION

- Our 39 school communities are populated with friendly people and are located in some of the most scenic areas of the province.
- There are many opportunities to engage with local Indigenous Elders and Knowledge Keepers and to participate in local cultural events and activities.
- Frontier School Division is dedicated to the preservation and revitalization of Indigenous languages and cultures, as well as advancing the calls to action of the Truth and Reconciliation Committee.
- We provide our teachers with PD and other supports to ensure our students receive a quality, inclusive education that includes Indigenous perspectives, local language(s), and cultural programming.
- Frontier School Division has a unique 3-tiered, grassroots governance system to help provide meaningful, appropriate, and locally relevant education in our schools.
- Frontier School Division spans nearly 75% of the province and is organized into 5 Areas.



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