

Department of Education & Economic Development
Director of Education Update
September 2024

New Students

*The Fall semester has begun and we currently have 255 students enrolled in post-secondary studies and being supported by the NG Education Division Funding Program. 202 are being supported full-time and 53 are receiving part-time benefits.

There are still a few 12 late applications being processed so these numbers will increase over the next couple of days as applicants' required documents are received.

We also have 3 active clients on the Self-Employment Benefits Program. 2 clients just finished and 1 more is approved to start.

We also have 3 active clients on the Work Experience Program, 2 of which are new graduates from carpentry and electrical trades programs.

We had 4 clients served under our Job Starts Supports program and 2 clients served under our mobility assistance program.

Summer Work Experience Program

*We have just concluded our Summer Work Experience Program. We had 60 positions total: 53 in Nunatsiavut, 5 in ULM and 2 in the Canadian Constituency. We are waiting for the reports back and can provide more detail in the next assembly report.

Career Fair 2024

* We have now rescheduled the career fair for October 1-3, 2024. Currently there are approximately 40 beneficiaries confirmed to attend, including the high school students in Makkovik. Approximately 25 presenters have confirmed to either have a booth at the trade show, be a presenter, or both. We are excited to have this event start up once again after being dormant for so long, but we are aiming to have this an annual event.