May 24, 2013

Dear Council Members,

I am writing to thank you and representatives from your organizations for participating in the April 29, 2013 meeting of the Advisory Council on First Nation, Métis and Inuit Education. I was very grateful for the chance to directly hear your comments and suggestions. For those who were unable to attend, I look forward to future opportunities to meet.

I would also like to thank Elder Sault for his thoughts and for reminding us all of the importance of understanding history and the environment we share.

As suggested at the meeting, I will be establishing a Working Table to help inform the development and implementation of the Ontario First Nation, Métis and Inuit Education Policy Framework. I look forward to communicating with you in the coming weeks as the Working Table begins their work with the ministry.

I look forward to continuing to engage with the Advisory Council as we work together to support First Nation, Métis and Inuit learners in Ontario and celebrate their successes.

Sincerely,

Liz Sandals
Minister