

Comparing Services and Programming at KiHS, Community High Schools, and Urban High Schools

	KiHS	Community High School	Urban High School
Community-based Including support from family and friends	x	x	
Ministry inspected	x	x	x
Land-based activities	X	x	Limited
Cultural activities	x	x	Limited
Access to courses at all levels (locally developed, applied, academic, college prep, university prep, workplace)	x		If provincial schools, yes
Elective courses, such as art and music	x	Limited	Sometimes
Course content tailored to community	x	x	
Intramural sports		Very Limited	x
Extracurricular activities	X	X	x
Elder support	X	x	Limited

Native language program	X	x	Limited
Field trips	X	X	x
Graduation ceremony and celebrations	X	X	x
Access to student support services (e.g., guidance, student wellness workers, speech language pathologists)	x	x	x
Special education program	X	X	x
PLAR program	X	Sometimes	x
Breakfast program	X	X	x

KiHS is a Ministry inspected school that uses a blended-learning model to delivery over 75 courses to students in 13 partner community. Similar to an urban high school, the secondary school offers locally developed, applied, and academic courses in grades 9 and 10, as well as compulsory and elective courses in grades 11 and 12, including university preparation courses. As a community-based program, it has the ability to offer students land-based and cultural activities, as well as support from local elders.