



Indigenous Literacy Enhancement Project

BOOK VENDING MACHINE APPLICATION

Application Information

School/Centre: _____

Contact Name: _____ Date: _____
First Name Last Name

Address: _____ Phone: _____
Street Address

_____ Email: _____
City/Town/Community Province Postal Code

Date Available: _____
Desired date for machine to be delivered (i.e. Winter 2024 / Fall 2024 / Winter 2025)

Type of Organization: School Friendship/cultural centre Other (specify): _____

Primary Demographic(s) Served (i.e. Cree, Anishinaabe, Haudenosaunee, Assiniboine, Metis, Inuit, etc.): _____ Language(s) Spoken: _____

Grade Level/Age Served: Preschool (0-3) Grade K-5 (age 4-10) Grade 6-8 (age 11-13)

Total # of Children Served MONTHLY (grades K-8): _____ Do these children attend your program(s) regularly or do you have a "drop-in" approach? Drop-In Regular Attendance

Rationale

Why is this project needed in your school/centre?

Why is your school/centre the best place for a book vending machine?

Explain your commitment to literacy among your students/community:

Requirements

The following are necessary requirements of a partnership between Start2Finish and your school/centre:

We have sufficient space for a book vending machine in our school/centre: Yes No

We will care for the machine and ensure it is kept safe from vandalism, theft, etc.: Yes No

We agree to designate a project leader (staff person) within our school/centre and to stay in regular communication with Start2Finish to share timely information about inventory status/requests and project updates: Yes No

We will incorporate and/or adapt one of Start2Finish's other complementary Indigenous-developed literacy programs/resources into our existing services wherever possible:* Yes No

*Start2Finish's programs combine literacy, fitness and social-emotional learning (trauma-informed mentoring) to help promote the physical, mental, social-emotional and academic well-being of children. All of our programming is offered free of charge to Indigenous schools and cultural centres. We work in collaboration with communities to tailor the curriculum and resources according to community needs and ways of doing and being. **A commitment is required in order to work together to create a program(s) that will facilitate the desired outcomes for the clients you serve.**

These programs/services include:

- **Brainworx! Learning Enhancement Program** – Online or in-person program offered twice/week after-school for 30 minutes
- **Brainworx! Lunch Club** – In-school version that can be facilitated once/week during the school lunch hour
- **Connected North sessions** – One-time online sessions that can be selected and scheduled during classroom hours
- **THRIVE!** – Social-emotional learning resources that can be incorporated into existing classroom curriculum
- **Running & Reading Club** – In-person after-school program run by local trained Start2Finish volunteers once/week for 2 hours (*separate application process required*)

Signature

I certify that the information I provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, and that I have been authorized to complete this application on behalf of my school or centre. If my school/centre is selected to receive a book vending machine, I agree to the above Requirements as answered "Yes" to the questions listed.

Full Name: _____ Date: _____

On Behalf of (School/Centre Name): _____ Signature: _____

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Date Application Received: _____ Authorized Person: _____

Application Decision: Approved Declined Delivery Date: _____