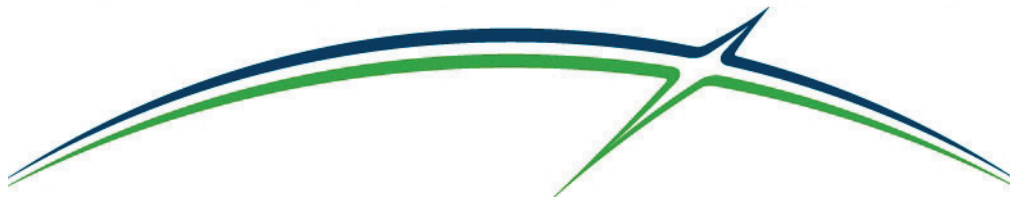


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At the 2010 Arctic Winter Games in Grande Prairie, athletes will achieve their dreams and inspire the world with their unique skills and abilities. EnCana is helping to bring the excitement of the Games to local students as part of our community investment program, which supports both education and sports. It's part of our community spirit – and our commitment to communities where we live and work.



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## 2010 ARCTIC WINTER GAMES School Program

The Arctic Winter Games School Program invites children from around their region to be a part of the Games, by learning about the sports, cultures, traditions, and communities of the circumpolar North.

There are many opportunities for schools to get involved, here are a few suggestions:

- **Invite the Games Crew to school events or classes**, for:
  - Visits by the Games Mascot, Aluk the *Pachyrhinosaurus*
  - Demonstrations of Arctic Sports and Dene Games
  - Cultural class-time activities including photographic, performance, culinary & visual arts
  - On-site Volunteer Registration for youth aged 12-17, and school staff
  
- **Keep Your Mind on the Games**
  - When developing your lesson plans look for opportunities to expand your curriculum to include the history, geography, currency, sports, and cultures of the nine circumpolar contingents
  
- **Adopt a Contingent**
  - Involve your students in supporting participants from your adopted contingent through class projects (ie. pen pals, welcome postcards) and school events (ie. welcome celebration)
  - Generate excitement for your students and staff when they *attend* the Games. ‘Cheer On’ your adopted contingent, or show support by wearing the contingent’s colours or pins throughout the Games

### Contingents Include:

• Alaska	• Nunavut
• Greenland	• Sapmi (Norway/Sweden/Finland/Russia)
• Northern Alberta	• Yamal-Nenets (Russia)
• Northwest Territories	• Yukon
• Nunavik (Northern Quebec)	

- **Help Spread the Word**
  - Encourage staff, parents and students to volunteer for the Games
  - Include mention of your Games initiatives in school newsletters and websites
  - Display any venue signage proudly, let the public know how you’re involved