

## Foothills Academy Acknowledgment of Traditional Lands and Territories

In the spirit of reconciliation, Foothills Academy acknowledges that we live, work, and play on the traditional territories of the people of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Niitsitapi of the Blackfoot Confederacy, comprised of the Siksika, Piikani, Amskaapipiikani, and Kainai First Nations, the Dene people of the Tsuut'ina First Nation, and the Îethka Nakoda Wîcastabi, comprised of the independent Bearspaw, Chiniki, and Goodstoney First Nations. This region is also home to the historic Northwest Métis and to the people of the Otipemisiwak Métis Nation, Battle River Territory (Nose Hill Métis District 5 and Elbow Métis District 6).

We acknowledge the many First Nations, Métis, and Inuit peoples whose footsteps have marked these lands for generations. We are grateful for the traditional Knowledge Keepers and Elders who are still with us today and those who have gone before us. We also acknowledge all urban Indigenous people who call Calgary home. We recognize the land as an act of reconciliation and gratitude to those whose territory we reside on or are visiting.