

Gitksan Wet'suwet'en Education Society

BC Adult Dogwood Diploma Program

Program duration:
September 7th 2026 — May 31st 2027

Empower Your Journey. Reclaim Your Future

Are you 18 or older and ready to take the next step in your educational journey?

The Adult Dogwood Diploma Program at Gitksan Wet'suwet'en Education Society (GWES) has been revamped to reflect the strengths, traditions, and voices of our communities.

This provincially recognized diploma gives adult learners a second chance to graduate with purpose and pride. Our new full-time schedule offers a holistic learning experience that blends core academics with Indigenous knowledge, Elder teachings, and cultural enrichment — preparing you not just for graduation, but for life.



*Have questions or ready to apply?
Reach out to us — we'd love to hear from you!*

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APPLICATION / ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

Completed application package

Recent official transcripts

Copy of BC Medical Card

Copy of Birth Certificate

Copy of Status Card (if applicable)

Accuplacer test results

****ALL new students must write the Accuplacer test prior to being admitted to the program****

Program Outline

Semester 1

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| 3.00 credits | ENGL 050 | Writing Skills |
| 3.00 credits | INST 050 | Indigenous Studies I |
| 3.00 credits | STSC 101 | Strategies for Success 101 |
| 3.00 credits | MATH 055 | Introduction to Algebra |

Semester 2

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| 3.00 credits | ENGL 060 | Literature & Composition |
| 3.00 credits | INST 060 | Indigenous Studies II |
| 3.00 credits | MATH 055 | Introduction to Algebra II |

A total of 21 Course Credits

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| Text Books (deposit) | \$ | 100.00 |
| Graduation Fee | \$ | 75.00 |
| | \$ | 175.00 |