

DAY SCHOLAR CLASS ACTION UPDATE

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CLASS DEFINITIONS

- **Survivor Class:** any student who attended an approved Indian Residential School between 1920 and 1997
- **Descendant Class:** any child of a Day Scholar (biological, traditionally or legally adopted)
- **Band Class:** any Band with an approved Indian Residential School that taught Day Scholars on or close to band lands, or that had Day Scholars

BACKGROUND

- August 25, 2012 –Class action filed in Federal Court on behalf of Day Scholars who attended residential school but did not receive the Common Experience Payment
- June 3, 2015 – Federal Court certifies Class Action for Survivor Class, Descendent Class and Band Class
- May 24, 2016 – Plaintiffs met with Minister Bennett who agreed to appoint a Ministerial Special Representative (“MSR”)
- October 31, 2016 – after months of following up the MSR is appointed
- September 5, 2017 – Memorandum of Understanding signed to find a fair settlement in a timely manner

PRESENTLY THE DAY SCHOLAR CLASS ACTION IS GOING TO COURT !

- 3 Nations TteS, SFN and JBC-advancing this case.
- The Day Scholar class action is not settled
- Currently the Day Scholar Class action is going to Trial .
- The time frame is uncertain
- TteS,& SFN are deeply involved with documentation & preparing for trial.
- The focus is in completing the court documentation process.

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