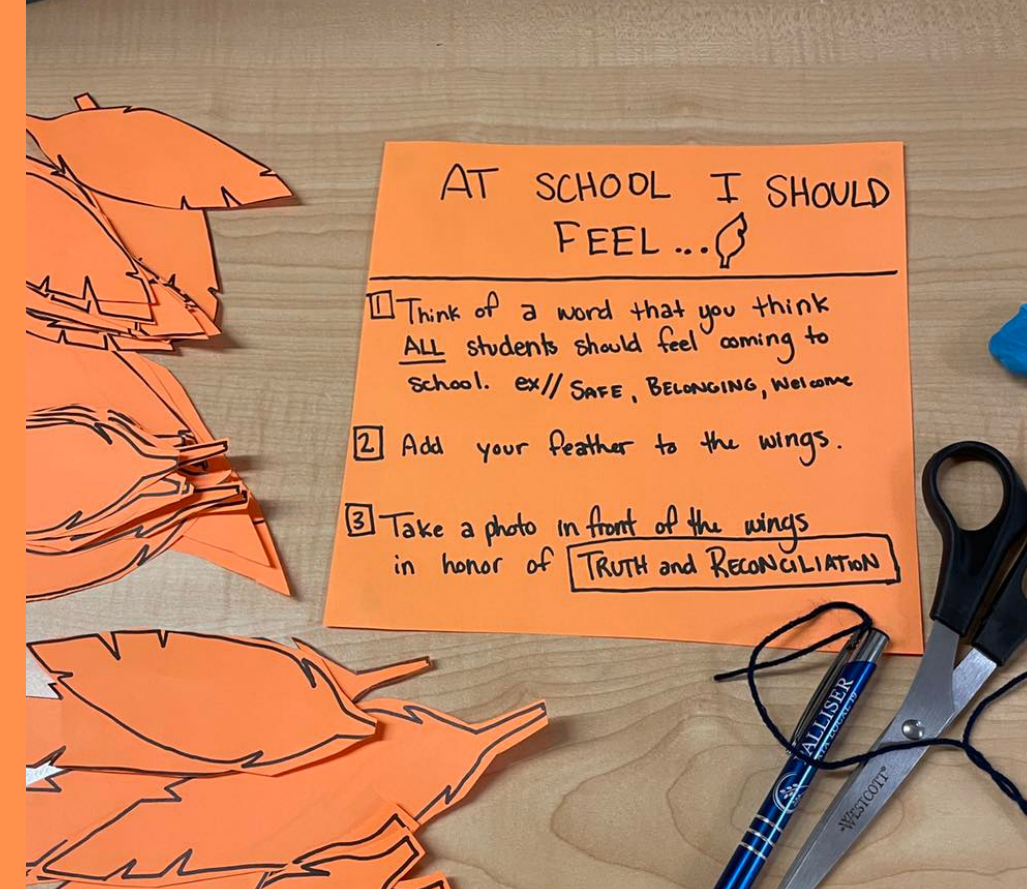


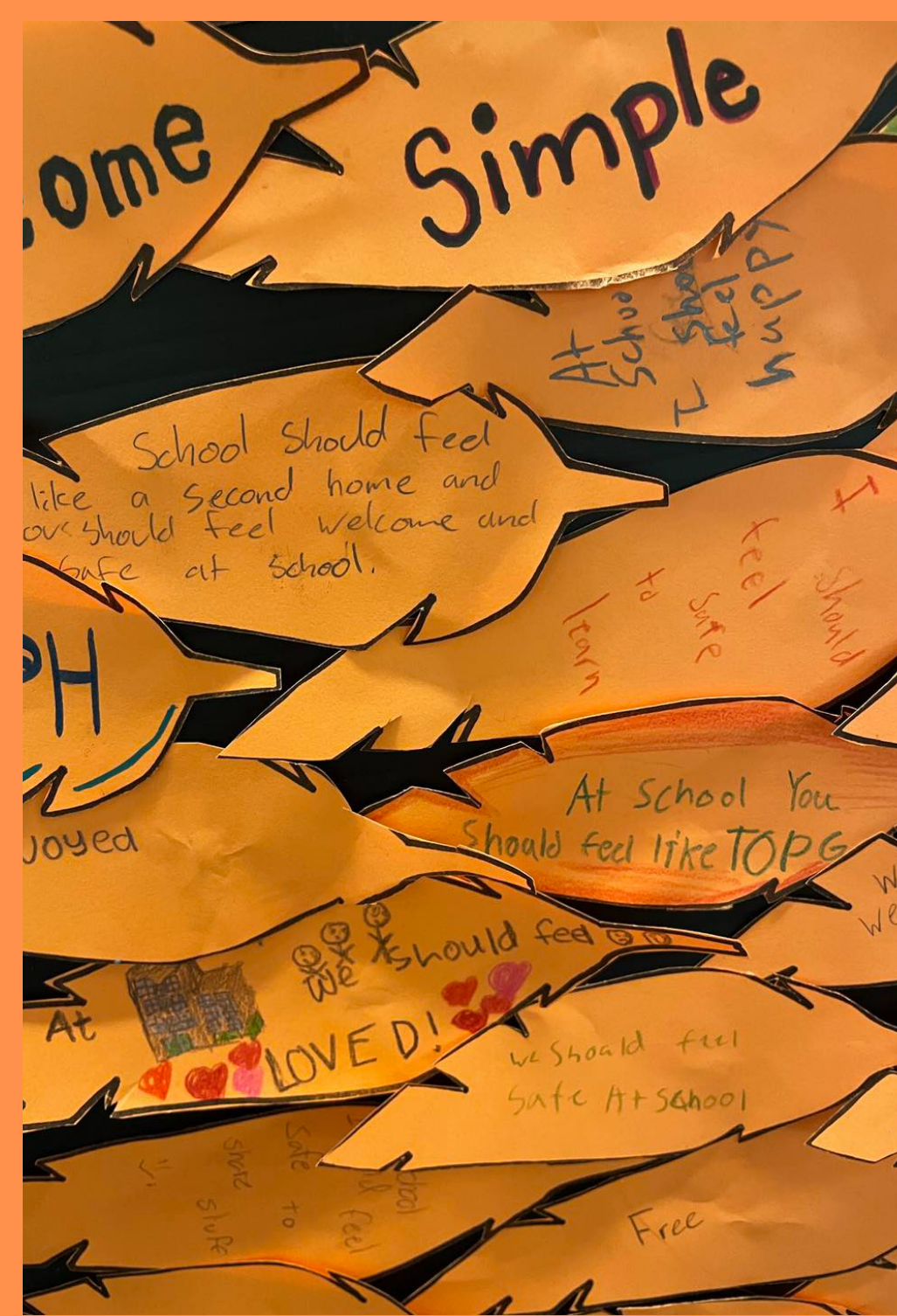
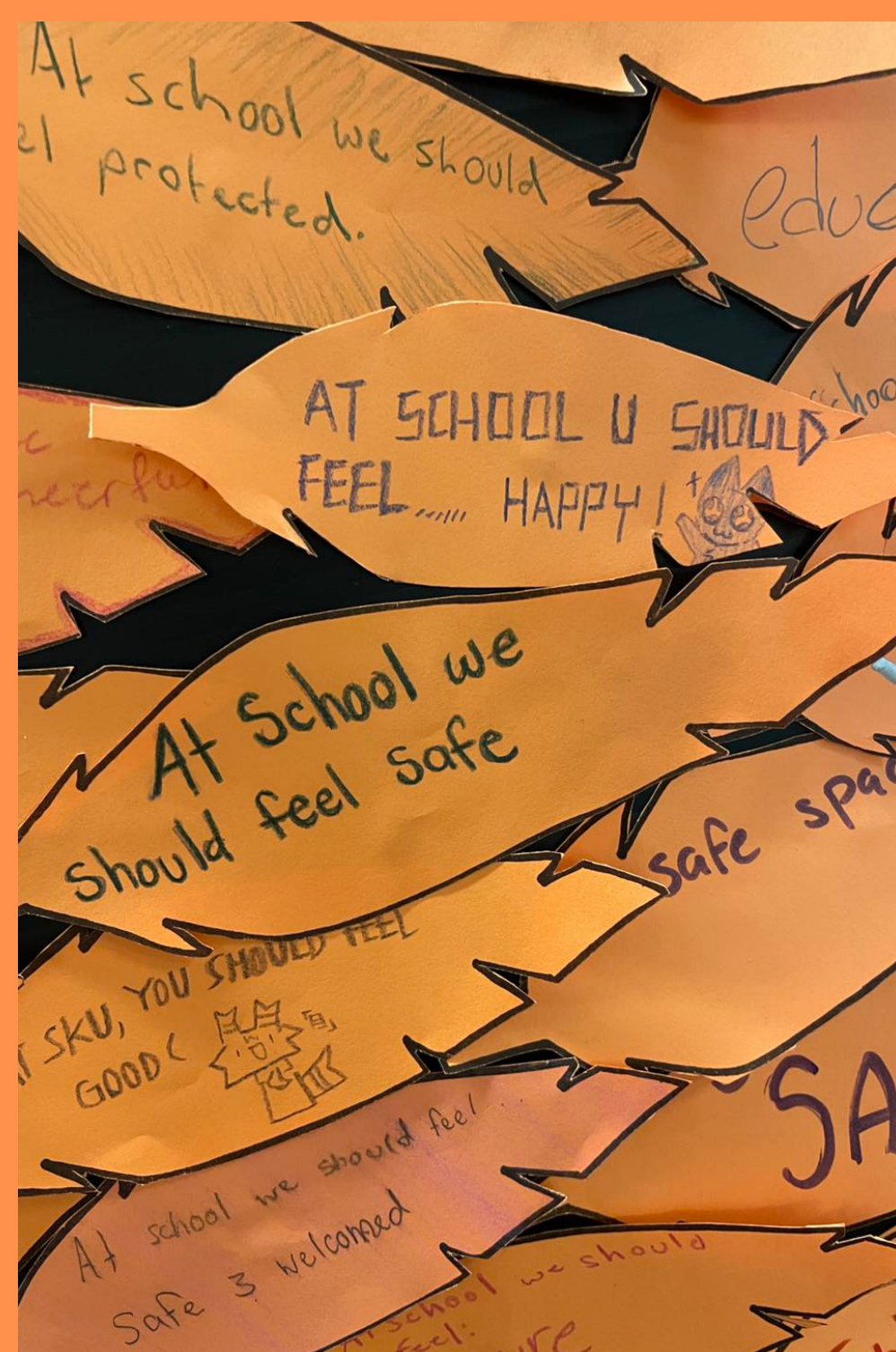
more than orange shirts:

ORANGE SHIRT DAY AT CALGARY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

How should students feel at school?



Students were given an opportunity to think of a word that describes how students SHOULD feel at their school. This created a meaningful visual display and important reminder about the experience of children in Residential Schools.



K-6 chapel

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Stories that teachers read to their classes

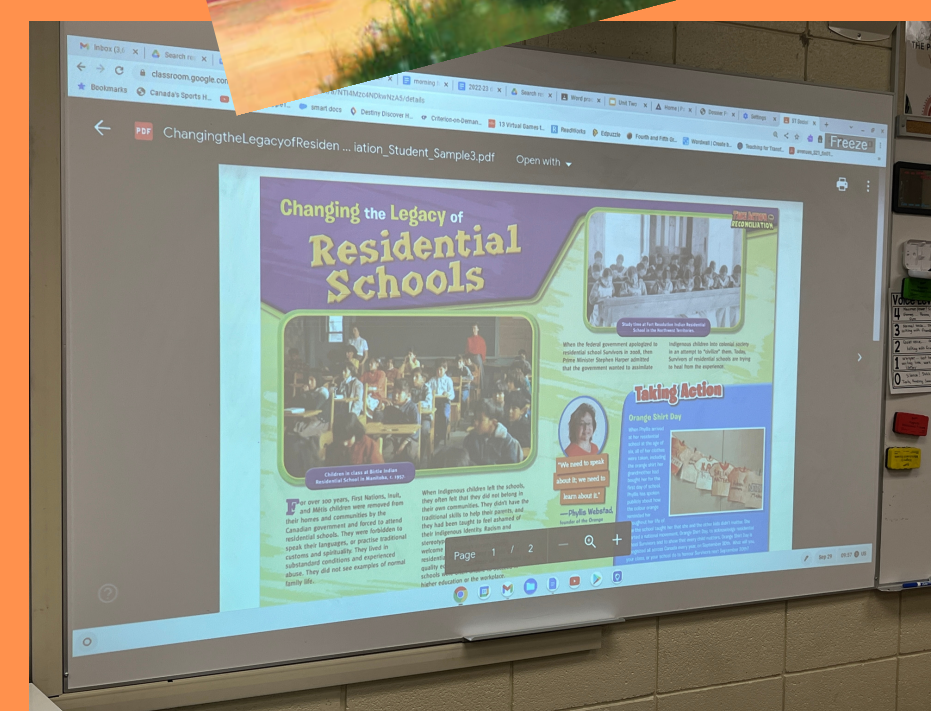


Grade 6 student sharing homemade bannock and jam with the class



Secondary students took part in conversations and practices that addressed reconciliation and what it means. They were also given opportunity to express grief and lament the injustices perpetrated to our indigenous siblings, often in the name of Christianity.

Cut-out hands bore the name of children that never returned home from Residential Schools in Canada.



Through art, stories, music, talking and listening, elementary students engaged in learning about the meaning of Orange Shirt day and the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

Pastor Rachel shared with the students during chapel: **"Hard things get easier when we do them together."**

Wearing orange shirts is just a start, but it is a powerful reminder that we are working at this together. CCS students are Justice Seekers who seek to remember and do better.

Truth and Reconciliation Resources:

[Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada: Calls to Action](#)

[The Witness Blanket interactive website](#)

[The Metis Alberta Website - Truth and Reconciliation page](#)

[What Does Reconciliation Mean?](#)
An explanation for kids, by kids.

[We Won't Forget you](#)
Music video by N'we Jinan Artists

[Orange Shirt Day](#)
A collection of videos narrated by Phyllis Webstad discussing the history of Canada and Residential Schools

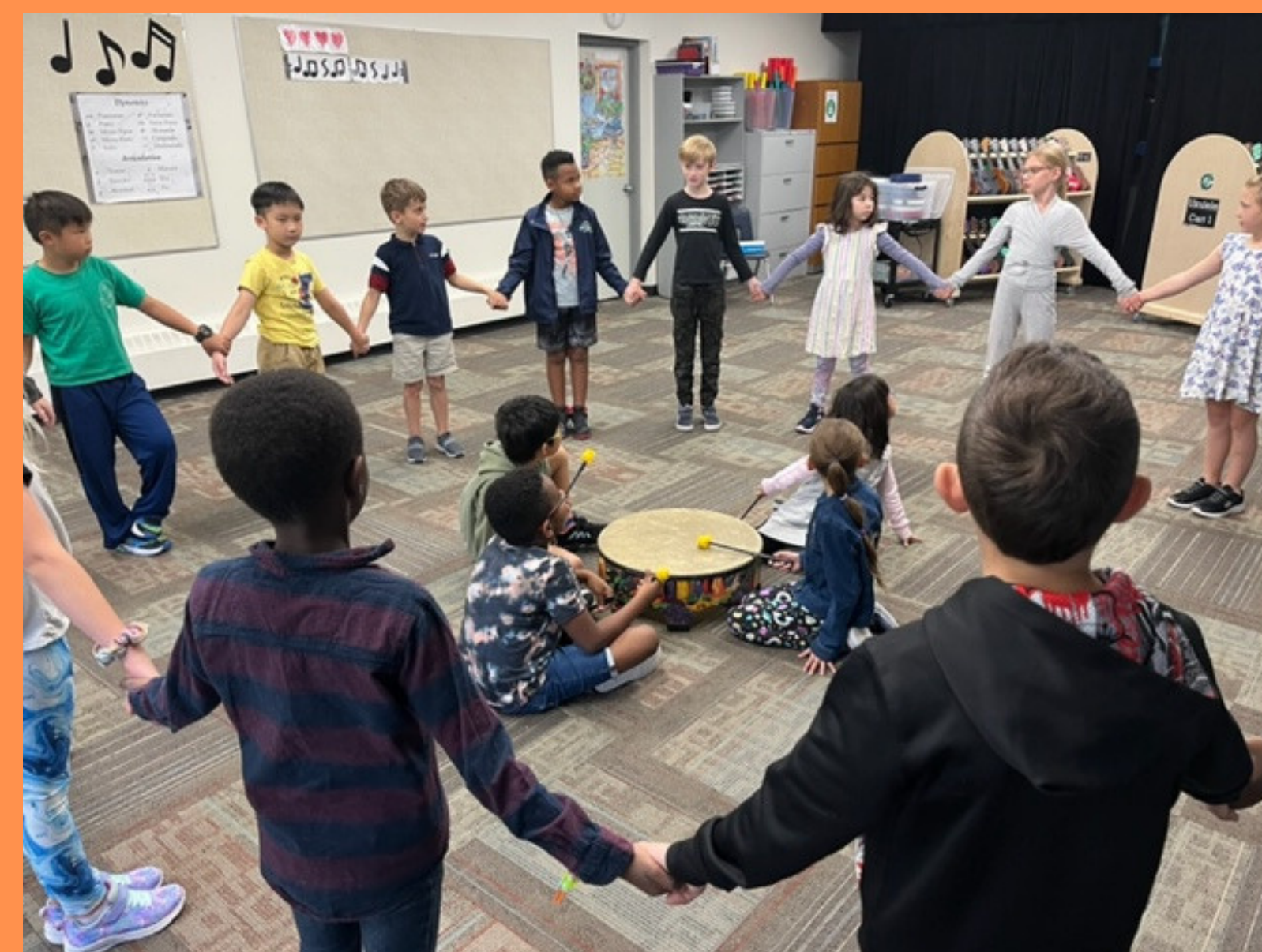
[4 Canoes](#)
Palliser has purchased access to 4 Canoes which has a wealth of digital resources that cover Indigenous perspectives. Each 4 Canoes edition highlights a different Indigenous Nation and incorporates science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics (STEAM) education. Students and families can also access this content.

[Molly of Denali](#)
This is an illustrated video for Grades 1 - 3 students gently explaining Residential Schools and the importance of Truth and Reconciliation in a way younger children can relate to



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NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION



Division one music classes participated in a round dances for Truth & Reconciliation. We are learning about Indigenous culture so we can be kind and respectful friends and neighbours.