

INQUIRY LEARNING & a School Directed Program

The School-directed program is Phoenix's alternative to classroom-based instruction.

Students can use a wide variety of resources to achieve outcomes including books, CDs, worksheets, inquiry project work, one-on-one with their certificated teacher, Phoenix classes or a combination of the above.

What is inquiry-based learning? Learning begins with what students know. They take time to ask questions and then gain new perspectives by making observations, synthesizing information and drawing conclusions. They then share what was learned.

The parent's role is to provide daily support, instruction, access to resources, encouragement and supervision of the child.

Your Phoenix teacher provides free diagnostic testing, makes helpful suggestions regarding student progress and assists with resources selection (prescriptive). She gives regular feedback to guide student learning and support parents' instruction (evaluative).

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2009-2010

*General Program
Information*



Come Soar With Us!



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WE OFFER . . .

KINDERGARTEN A certificated teacher delivers the program all day Tuesday, Wednesday afternoons and all day Thursday. Parents are invited to stay but not required. Kinder cash given. Regular attendance expected.

HOME EDUCATION (ALL GRADES) Allows parents to plan, deliver and assess their child's own education program. This option gives the most flexibility but the least funding. Parents are responsible for submitting an education plan and maintaining a portfolio of the student's work. A teacher meets twice a year.

SCHOOL DIRECTED (Grades 1-9) Allows for the teacher, student, and parent to work together using the Alberta Programs of Study. Free diagnostic testing included. Provides the most funding but requires regular submissions and contact with your teacher.



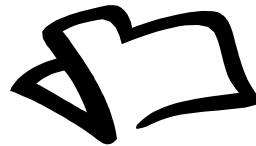
You choose what works best for your family!

We can also accommodate high School students. Please make an appointment to see a teacher.

Why Choose Phoenix?

We believe that Phoenix is unlike any other school in the province of Alberta! We are a private, non-denominational school operated by a charitable, non-profit society.

Phoenix understands the passion behind every parent's wish to do what's best for their child. We know the questions, concerns, fears and self-doubt parents have



You are not just a number to us!

when starting out because we've experienced it first-hand. Phoenix understands that parents new to home-based education require additional support and information.

We also know that longtime home-based educators wish to spend as little time doing paperwork as possible and that all families need flexibility in programming options, on-going support and a place to meet and share.

WE GIVE HUGS! NEED ONE? JUST ASK!

How is that possible? We operate out of the Phoenix Center for Learning. We are available 4 days a week for coffee, support and . . . HUGS!

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/phoenixeducationfoundation/>

Support, Friendship and Hugs!

Parent Workshops

Our school enlists parents as partners in their child's education and helps families adapt to the process of educating their children in the home. We host workshops on:

- September 19, 2009
- February 12, 2010

Community Classes and Events

Phoenix provides students with access to hundreds of organized field-trips, social events, special interest classes, curriculum camps, theatre productions, gym and health classes and more. Education was never so much fun! See our program guide for more information.

Resource Funding

Funds available for programs vary depending on the program a family chooses.

- **Kinder \$445.00**
- **Home Ed \$725.00**
- **School-Directed \$1500.00**
- **Blended varies**

