

Kitikmeot Corporation and Nunasi Corporation
Implement the “Kitikmeot Reads” Project

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During the week of September 25th, the “Kitikmeot Reads” project was initiated at all 8 schools in the Kitikmeot Region.

The Kitikmeot Reads program was funded by Kitikmeot Corporation and Nunasi Corporation, organizations that are committed to education and literacy



in the Kitikmeot Region. The program offered all K-12 students in the Kitikmeot Region the opportunity to select \$30 in free books from a special catalogue.

Kitikmeot Corporation and Nunasi Corporation have formed a partnership to support lifelong learning and are very proud to have the opportunity to introduce this initiative. Children across the Region were all very excited to receive their books. About 5,000 books were distributed, covering about 1,600 students.

Genesis Group, a Nunasi-owned company located in Yellowknife, coordinated the project. Canadian North and Unaalik Aviation/Kenn Borek Air collectively sponsored shipment of the books, and we greatly appreciate their contribution to the project. In Cambridge Bay, Peter Taptuna (Chairman, KC Board), Henry Ohokannoak (KC Board Member) and Keith Peterson, our MLA, were on hand.

Both Nunasi Corporation and Kitikmeot Corporation are very proud of this project, and the strong impact that we believe it will have on literacy in our Region.