

## Road to the 2019 World Juniors

The Road to the 2019 World Junior Championship will encompass an eight (8) week road tour of the Province of British Columbia. In total, 40 communities will be visited and receive a legacy from the event. The community engagement was the centre piece of the proposed legacy.

The plan for each stop of the Road Tour is to visit an elementary school to deliver a 45-minute presentation. The presentation will include following details:

- Promotion of sport participation and healthy living
- Demonstrate basic hockey skills utilizing floorball equipment
- Deliver the Hockey Canada World Junior educational school program
- Allow for pictures with the BC Hockey mascot

A component of the Road Tour will be the creation of an art piece that will be presented to Team Canada at the end of the Tour. Each School will have the opportunity to add to the piece and create a connection to the World Juniors and Team Canada.

Floorball 'In our Schools Program' BC Hockey is committed to doing the most for all students to experience life's learning outcomes through a hockey component that complements the Ministry of Education, Health and Education curriculum. It is through this commitment that a curriculum was introduced into classrooms. The curriculum encourages participation in and appreciation of Canada's national game while promoting healthy living.

The gym-based program can be implemented utilizing floorball equipment. For each school that is visited, a curriculum will be provided to give teachers the ability to implement a program.

The purpose of the Program is:

- To introduce BC students to Canada's national game
- To support the physical education curriculum with a hockey component
- To have local hockey leaders with educational background mentor classroom teachers
- To help students to learn to play
- To demonstrate a partnership with the Ministry of Education, school districts, schools and communities
- To promote healthier lifestyles with increased physical activity
- To improve academic achievement through healthier bodies
- To reduce absences during school and throughout careers

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- To positively contribute to lifelong physical activity
- To complement the hockey efforts of local communities
- To promote Hockey Canada's Skills Academies
- To affect student's attitudes toward lifetime activities
- To explore the untapped potential and opportunities for post-secondary students
- To lessen the dependency on health care
- To complement the efforts of minor hockey associations
- To experience life's learning outcomes through a hockey experience
- To build values and virtues in students

### **Proposed School Visit Schedule**

<b>Item</b>	<b>Start Time</b>	<b>End Time</b>
Arrive at elementary school	9:00 AM	9:00 AM
Meet with physical education and administration staff	9:15 AM	10:00 AM
Presentation set-up	10:00 AM	11:00 AM
School presentation	11:00 AM	11:45 AM
Clean up and tear down	11:45 AM	12:30 PM