

This 13 Minute DVD features our students, teachers, principals, MASS members and members of our broader community - all speaking passionately about how Manitoba's public schools have and are making a difference. The back cover featured here lists the voices you will encounter in this DVD.

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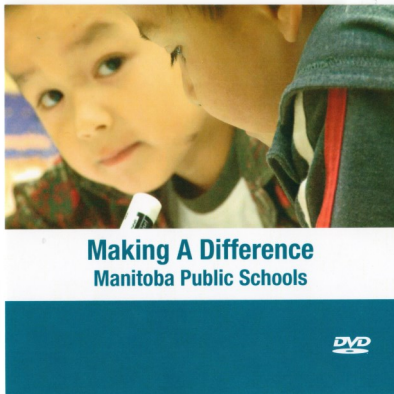
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The inside cover featured here provides questions for discussion, which may be used in conjunction with the DVD by facilitators to engage board, staff, parents and students in meaningful discussions about the importance of strong and vibrant public schools in Manitoba.

MAKING A DIFFERENCE: Manitoba Public Schools
Discussion Questions

1. When you watch this video what phrases and images come back to you from your school experience?
2. Share a story in your personal experience that illustrates the importance of public education.
3. Public education is the only societal institution where all children are welcome to gather for a common purpose - to become educated. Why is this important?
4. Public education is committed to encouraging children in a balance of intellectual and social development, social consciousness, and preparation for employment.
What role should public education play regarding social justice?
5. Public education at its best liberates the mind to produce an educated citizen.
What examples come to mind where our public schools have exemplified this ideal?
6. What does it mean to be an educated person?
7. Imagine Canada without a strong public education system.
What would happen if we didn't have public education?
8. What is our role or responsibility, collectively and individually,
in actively supporting public education?