EVENT NOTICE – Monday, October 26, 2026
Fargo Public School District #1

The following information is for media outlets for the purpose of assigning staff coverage to the event.

FERGUS FALLS HIGH SCHOOLERS VISITING FPS ADULT LEARNING CENTER FOR INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION FIELD TRIP

Students from Fergus Falls High School and the Fargo Public Schools Adult Learning Center have a unique opportunity to learn from each other and see the world through the eyes of individuals who have led very different lives.

WHAT: Intercultural Communication Field Trip
WHEN: **Wednesday, October 28** from 9 a.m. to 11:20 a.m.
WHERE: Agassiz, 1305 9th Avenue South, Fargo
CONTACT: **Jennifer Frueh**, Adult Learning Center Director, fruehj2@fargo.k12.nd.us or 701.446.2806 for more information.

Mindy Christianson's Intercultural Communication class from Fergus Falls High School is taking a field trip to visit the Adult Learning Center to gain insights on the lives of individuals with very different life experiences from their own. It will give both the high schoolers and the ALC learners an opportunity to learn about each other's cultures and lives. The ALC has partnered with Fergus Falls High School on this program since 2014.

Many ALC students are multilingual learners or new Americans who are recent immigrants or have come to the area through refugee resettlement. The high schoolers will sit in on multilingual learner classes and witness individuals learning English language skills that will help to prepare them for employment or post-secondary education or training. They will also learn about the process of refugee resettlement and what it is like for refugees to be forced out of their homes and resettled in a new foreign home.

The high schoolers and ALC students will join in small groups to have conversations and learn about each other face-to-face. They will have opportunities to ask each other questions about their home countries and their own cultures. The high schoolers will have the opportunity to ask the adult learners about their home countries and their experiences moving to a new country and the ALC learners will be able to ask the high schoolers what it is like growing up in the United States.

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