

## **Harold Krische**

### **Biography**

Harold Krische has worked and learned in a variety of K to University settings in the British Columbia educational system. Harold was principal at H.D. Stafford Secondary School in Langley during a time when the school implemented a Portfolio program that was mandatory for graduation. H.D. Stafford went on to participate as a pilot school for the provincial Portfolio program, it recently hosted a provincial conference on the Portfolio and it is now in its sixth year of working with a graduation Portfolio.

During the past two years, Harold has had opportunities to interact with colleagues across the province on discussions related to Portfolio implementation and has worked with individual schools and several districts around implementation strategies. Although readily acknowledging that the *Graduation Portfolio Assessment Program Guide* presents numerous challenges, Harold is quick to point out that the Portfolio is the best educational tool that he has encountered in 25 years as an educator.