Anecdotal Report

School/Site: Fred C Cook Public School	**Address:** Bradford, ON
Date (with Year): Sept 24, 2025	**Program/Project (if applicable):** P4C

Start & End Times: 9:30-2:30	**Purpose of field visit:** Planting/mulch and measure		
Team Lead/Teacher/Supervisor Name(s): Ms. Geertsema – Teacher plus Anne Write – Principal (the P4C Green Spark)	**# ACER Staff:** 1 - Alice	**# Volunteers:** 1	**# Students:** 33

Temperature (°C)**:**	18-20
Cloud conditions:	*NOTE % cloud coverage, cloud type(s)use 180 degree sky scan for % report* *~ 30% at the start but increasing by afternoon*
Other notable weather conditions:	Raining by mid afternoon
Overall site condition:	Area chosen: Bottom of slope on south side of school in grass in front of pollinator gardens Behind the special class portable and on east berm for spruce trees Fence behind these gardens is school boundary
Soil condition:	Moist and loam
Tree/shrub status:	Freshly delivered 1 and 2 gallon trees from our supplier (3 of each of ACER's 5 indicator species plus a red maple)
Ground flora condition:	Grassed area
Animal/Insect sightings:	Earthworms
Ecosystem indicators:	Mature trees elsewhere on the schoolyard
Planting technique:	According to ACER protocol
Psycho-social group dynamics:	Very active young select class of 30 top students and 3 grade 8 giggly girls to help
Other factors that may influence the data:	Students were shown how to measure the trees but were unable to finish before it started raining; the teacher indicated she would complete measurements with the students and submit them back to ACER
Other notes:	Delay in planting date due to changes to town bylaws re planting area

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