

Teachers Care to Know

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Teachers care about students
Their success and their safety too
Duty of care is essential
To every student not just a few

Teachers care in their actions
While off duty or back at school
They represent the profession
They know the law and they follow the rules

They know and care about students and development
To help them grow and learn
And valuing families as their learning partners
To communicate effectively and privately

Teachers know about learning
Planning and assessing practices they choose
Teachers know Big Ideas
Competencies and the Content they use

Teachers know their own learning
Staying current to ensure they grow
They care about their profession
Working together is the way to go

They value Indigenous culture and history
And ways of knowing, too
They care to build towards reconciliation
With First Nations, Inuit, and Metis.

Chorus (x2)
Teachers care to know
To help their students grow
Teachers know to care
Professional and always fair

