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Mrs. Margaret Byl
and Mrs. Hania White
Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario
552 Ridge Road
Stoney Creek, Ontario
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Dear Mrs. Byl and Mrs. White:

On behalf of the Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, I would like to acknowledge receipt of your letter of June 13, 2017, with which you enclosed a resolution of the Codrington Women's Institute advocating lifestyle skills training.

Thank you for sharing your curriculum recommendations with the Prime Minister. While you may be assured that the resolution has been carefully reviewed, the matter you have raised does not fall within the constitutional jurisdiction of the federal government. As you may know, education in Canada is largely a matter of provincial responsibility. If you have not done so already, you may wish to pursue your enquiries with the appropriate provincial authorities.

That being said, as a copy of your correspondence has already been forwarded to the Honourable Jane Philpott, Minister of Health, I am certain that she will have appreciated receiving this information.

Once again, thank you for writing to the Prime Minister.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "M. Bredeson".

M. Bredeson
Executive Correspondence Officer

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