

E2 Society for Twice Exceptional Learners was founded by a group of parents in 2015. These families were looking for alternatives to the public school system, as their children were not able accepted in those spaces because of their challenges to adapt to a traditional classroom setting. The goal for these parents, was to create a school environment where twice-exceptional learners are welcomed, can become members of a community of peers, and are encouraged to pursue their passions while still being exposed to a well-rounded curriculum. E2 Academy opened to students in September 2015

In 2015, the school began with 1 teacher and 7 students. The same year our organization was accredited by the Alberta Education and today we are functioning under the the rules and regulations of the Private School Act of Alberta. This allows our students to be able to finish their credits in order to eventually graduate with a high school diploma.

During 2016, E2 Academy became a charitable non-profit organization and began to receive funding from Alberta Education. Their mission was to establish a first-of-its-kind centre of excellence in Alberta for the education of twice-exceptional children with complex needs and to deliver a unique talent and strength-based program of instruction adapted to the needs of twice-exceptional learners.

In addition to offering E2 Academy for 26 students from grades 1-12 in our facility, in September 2017 E2 Academy was approved to offer Home Education Programming through E2@Home. This allowed us to offer home schooling to grade 1-12 students across Alberta.

In 2019, E2 Society had 20 staff, 30 school students, 15 home school students and our goal is to keep growing in order to provide more services to new families and children in need of a specialized education. The students are benefiting from a strength-based program that offers individualized instruction to meet their intellectual, learning, and social-emotional needs.