

#### One step more...

Does involvement in school life stimulate you and you'd like to try another way of participating? The Governing Board is just the place for you! See the QFPC's pamphlet to find out more.



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# To lend schools a helping hand...



**QUÉBEC FEDERATION OF PARENTS' COMMITTEES** 

### ALL ABOARD FOR THE PPO!

#### Would you like:

More parents to get involved in school life?

■ Parents to get clear and accurate information about school and school services?

Parents to get more support for the role they play?

■ The school to make greater use of parents' potential and skills?

Join your school's PPO or create one

#### **What is a Parent Participation Organization (PPO)?**

The PPO is reserved for parents only, parents who care about student success and want to be part of school life. PPO parents:

- are involved in drafting, carrying out and evaluating the school's educational project;
- give their opinion on the improvements that should be made in the school;
- carry out various projects and activities in tandem with school staff.

## HOW IS A PPO CREATED?

#### When?

At the annual assembly of parents in September.

#### How?

The people at the annual assembly choose the name, composition, and rules of the PPO. PPO members are elected at this meeting.

#### What then?

PPO members meet at the school and work with the principal to determine a work plan.

#### The general assembly can form:

- One PPO for each immovable, if the school has more than one
- One PPO for each level of instruction, if the school offers elementary and secondary instruction.

#### For more information, see the:

- QFPC's training sessions and Leaflet 1 entitled The Parent Participation Organization
- Education Act, sections 96 to 96.4

The PPO, Let's Go!

