I AM LEARNING FRENCH BECAUSE ...... MY BRAIN GETS A BOOST!

FRENCH IMMERSION BENEFITS STUDENTS:

- learning a second language has a positive effect on first language achievement;
- exposure to another language and culture encourages respect for diversity;
- enhances children’s listening and learning skills;
- contributes to a flexible thinking process; and
- gives children access to greater educational and career opportunities.

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French Immersion at ÉCOLE QUEEN ELIZABETH is vibrant:
- Kindergarten - Grade 8 program in one school, at one time;
- Immersion learning is a priority;
- Students receive instruction from specialized teachers;
- Learning supports are provided for students as needed;
- Access to enhanced programming opportunities in other areas;
- Bussing available;
- QE is one of the best facilities in WRPS with a fabulous playground and multi purpose court; and
- Provides family-focused supports for children’s learning.

NOUVEAU pour 2017-2018:
- Kindergarten - Grade 8 facility;
- Construction of a Kindergarten classroom;
- Open registration for Kindergarten—Grade 5;
- Learning assistance plans for newly enrolled students;
- French language learning support teacher;
- School council; AND
- A newly constructed playground and multi purpose court.

STEPS
Students learn a second language much like they learned their first language: through interaction with meaningful content and the desire to use language to communicate ideas.

The more students hear and use French in all subject areas, the better they understand it; the better they understand it, the more successful they become in all subject areas.

Working Together
Even if families don’t speak French, together we can make your child’s French language experience positive.
- Sharing French language resources;
- Accessing a parent resource center;
- Supporting parents to introduce children to word games (crossword puzzles, word searches and Scrabble);
- Providing opportunities to watch French TV and videos, borrow or buy French books; and
- Participating in school-hosted activities in French.

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