

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

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Bienvenue!

Welcome!



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.

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.

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.

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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**I WANT TO IGNITE MY
FUTURE!**

