

French as a Second Language Advisory Committee

The French as a Second Language Advisory Committee has been established to support excellence in French as a Second Language and improve student learning. The Committee will be proactive in providing advice to Senior Administration on issues related to French Programs in the Halton District School Board and will be comprised of representatives from all stakeholders.

Committee meetings will be held at least four times throughout the school year; committee will set dates and times. Meetings will be scheduled in the evenings.

The PIC Committee representatives, a board appointed Trustee, System Principal and Associate Director will participate in selection of members for this committee.

Committee Representation:

- 4 Trustees (one per geographic area selected by the Board Chair)
- 12 Parents (three per geographic area)
- 1 PIC Committee Chair or Designate
- 1 Home and School Chair or Designate
- 1 Elementary and 1 Secondary Administrator (experience in French schools)
- 4 Teachers (representing all divisions and geographic areas with experience in Immersion and Core French)
- 2 Student Representatives (Secondary Core and French Immersion)
- 1 Canadian Parent for French- Community Representative
- 1 Community Representative- Business and Industry
- 1 System Principal
- 1 French Coordinator
- 1 Superintendent or Designate (resource to committee)
- 1 Associate Director (resource to committee)

The selection committee will ensure that membership includes balance of members from all four geographic areas.

Persons interested in participating on this committee should complete this form and send to System Principal French Programs at New St. Education Centre, 3250 New St. Burlington, ON L7N 1M8 or email it to: FAC @hdsb.ca The application must be received no later than June 19,2009,before 3 pm.

Successful members will be contacted no later than June 30,2009.

Name: _____

Address: _____ .Tel:_____ email _____

School: _____

I would like to participate as a _____(parent, student, teacher, community rep, etc.)

Parent and teacher applicants please specify area of representation:

My current involvement with French Programs: Immersion Core
Grade: 1-3 4-8 9-12

OTHER: _____

In the space provided describe your experiences and/or interests that would support your participation on the Halton District School Board's French as a Second Language Advisory Committee. (Experience in schools offering French Core or Immersion, member of School Council, other experiences with French programs, affiliation with outside organizations that advocate for French Language, strong belief in promoting French language and culture, interested parent).
