

Providing inclusive opportunities for each individual to reach their full potential...

## FRENCH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

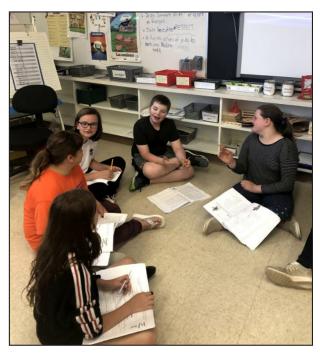
Ensemble, nous sommes capables!



Kindergarten students from St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School reading in French

All RCCDSB students from Kindergarten to Grade 12 are offered a number of French as a Second Language program options to maximize their French proficiency.

**Core French.** All programs, including Core French, are based on the Ontario French as a Second Language curriculum and are inspired by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).



Grade 6 and 7 students from Holy Name Catholic School interacting in French during class

**Extended FSL** from Kindergarten to Grade 3 is offered at:

- St. Joseph's, Arnprior
- Our Lady of Lourdes, Pembroke
- Holy Name, Pembroke
- St. Francis of Assisi, Petawawa
- Our Lady of Sorrows, Petawawa

Extended FSL is offered at Bishop Smith Catholic High School, Pembroke. The DELF assesment is available to students and both Bishop and St. Joseph's High School.

The Renfrew County Catholic District School Board offers an inclusive, rich and experiential French as a Second Language (FSL) program

Experiential learning opportunities—RCCDSB students apply French language skills in authentic settings.



Students from Bishop Smith Catholic High School on a field trip in Montreal



Students from St Michael's Catholic School enjoying lunch at the Nook Creperie in Pembroke after ordering their meals *en français*!

## Through FSL, students will:

- · strengthen first language skills
- enhance critical and creative thinking
- increase understanding of other cultures
- · become better communicators
- increase career opportunities









Listening Speaking Reading

Writing





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