

Why Join Home and School?

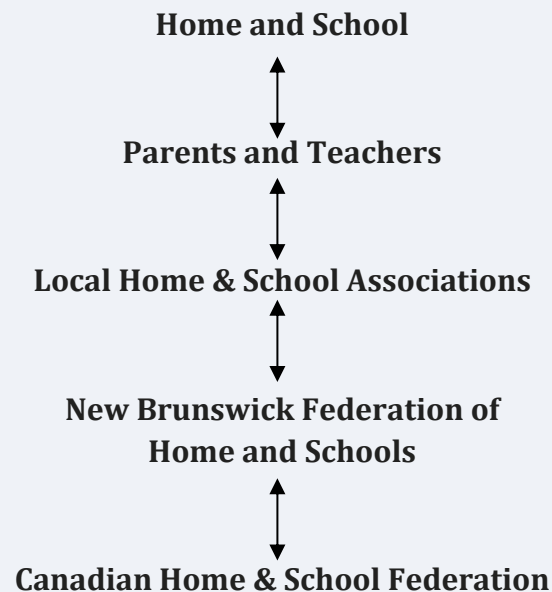
BECAUSE...

- We provide parental input by sitting on the Minister's Provincial Curriculum Advisory and Testing and Evaluation Committees, among others.
- We provide a forum for discussion between the home and the school.
- We promote quality education for all students in the public school system.
- We are an independent voice that can lobby the government on issues that you, as parents, bring forth at meetings.
- We are a strong, unified voice having representation locally, provincially and nationally.
- We provide information on many educational issues affecting the quality of education and schools for children.
- We are partners with other education stakeholders such as the New Brunswick Teacher's Association and the Government of New Brunswick.
- We are involved in fund-raising for our schools.
- We are involved in our children's education, the key to their success.

Parent Volunteers Do Make a Difference

Thirty years of research proves that when parents are directly involved in their child's education and their child's school:

- The child does better in school.
- The school has a higher level of achievement overall.
- It shows your child that education is important.
- It has beneficial effects that last throughout your child's academic career.



Home and School Objectives

To obtain the best for each child according to their physical needs.

To promote the welfare of children and youth.

To raise the standards of home life.

To promote the care and protection of children and youth.

To foster cooperation between parents and teachers in training and guidance of children and youth, both during and after the school period.

To give parents an understanding of the school and its work, and to assist in interpreting the school in all its aspects to the public.

To confer and cooperate with organizations other than schools which concern themselves with the care and training of children and youth in the home, school and community; and with the education of adults to meet these responsibilities.

To foster high ideals of citizenship and to promote, through educational means, international goodwill and peace.

Together we can....

- Work towards the best quality education and environment for all children.
- Build a parental education support culture where parents recognize the importance of their involvement in education.
- Provide ongoing and current training for all parents on a wide variety of child related issues.
- Encourage partnerships with the community and local businesses.
- Organize leadership training programs for members.
- Ensure that your voice is heard at all levels of government.
- Access information from Canadian Home and School Federation and its members.
- Celebrate the successes of our children, teachers/staff, volunteers and communities.

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of parents and teachers/staff working together.
It is a volunteer, non-profit, non-partisan
association made up of individuals
like you and me.*