



Parents, Vote for AF-fcpe !

An independent and apolitical association, respectful of the rules of associative life
Working together for the Lycée Français International de Tokyo, a top tier French public school in Japan

The Lycée Français International de Tokyo is going through a historical transition. The AF-fcpe is fully mobilised, alongside all the actors of the school community, to put forward novel and realistic solutions, which will contribute to define the LFIT's unique identity and preserve its fundamental strengths and attractiveness.

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Our commitments for 2012-2013

For a school that is open to Japan and to the world

- At the elementary level, working closely on the implementation of a new system of language options ("parcours langues") and the Japanese and English [bilingual sections, as opposed to streams](#) which tend to create "ghetto-classrooms" and prevent exchanges between pupils of various backgrounds
- In the secondary school, aiming for Japan-educated students to be able to reach the Japanese language [C1 level](#) (between advanced and native) according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR)
- Development of a post-baccalauréat programme
- Creating a structure to welcome pupils whose families do not live in the Tokyo area
- Establishing relationships with local Japanese schools and with other international schools
- Participation in the "Salon étudiant du LFIT" (University Fair)
- Working in close collaboration with all the parents' representatives to advance common goals

For school that is accessible to all

- Defending [financial stability](#) while avoiding school fee hikes, thanks to economies of scales achieved with the relocation of the elementary and secondary schools to a single site
- Promoting a freeze in school fees hikes planned for 2013 (immediate action at the 2012 October board meeting), taking into account the current economical context and the recent suppression of the "Prise En Charge" (PEC)
- Towards [a fairer system of scholarships](#), accessible to a larger number of families
- Reopening of the "bibliothèque familiale" (family library) with a fee structure that is acceptable to all families
- Promoting actions for sustainable development at LFIT
- We are happy to be able to offer discounts on school books and material to all AF-fcpe members (Omeisha in Iidabashi)

Our main successes in 2011-2012

School life

- Actively participating in the reform of language teaching at the LFIT: creation of language options in the elementary school ("parcours de langue"); preparing for the arrival of the English bilingual classes in the secondary school ; better preparation for the Japanese OIB (Option Internationale du baccalauréat); working on the implementation of English OIB
- Promoting access for all to post- baccalauréat information and participating in the "Carrefour des Métiers" (Career Fair)

Financial accessibility

- Successfully interceding with the French government in order for the (suppressed) PEC budget to be transferred to the scholarships budget, and for late scholarship applications to be considered at a 2nd scholarship commission
- Obtaining a reduction of school cafeteria fees
- Active lobbying efforts geared towards elected French government official during their state visits in Tokyo

Our permanent actions

- Representing parents in all the committees and commissions of the LFIT and regular and scrupulous reporting
- AF-fcpe is a member by rights of the local commission for scholarships, while FCPE is a member of the French national commission for scholarships
- Facilitating integration in the host country, welcoming new families, communication
- Acting to promote language and health education; being vigilant about food safety and school cafeteria fees
- Showing solidarity with Japan through our active participation in our "Les Amis du Tohoku" (friends with Tohoku) NGO

