



PARENTS, VOTE FOR YOUR REPRESENTATIVES ON LFI TOKYO SCHOOL BOARDS!

From **October 10 to 12**, you will be called upon to vote for your representatives to the **Conseil d'école** (Primary School Council) and the **Conseil d'établissement** (School Board). An electronic vote will be organised by the LFI Tokyo. **The participation rate in these elections is decisive in order to influence decisions that will directly affect your children.**

Parents are essential actors in school life. Thanks to your vote, you will allow elected representatives to attend the deliberative boards and therefore sustain a transparent governance of the institution's management.

What role do your representatives play? They are your voice in the school boards, providing feedback and making proposals based on your suggestions; they weigh in on issues that affect your children's education and well-being at school. They inform you in return and circulate information between parents (minutes of meeting, café-lycée).

Who are they? The members of the board of the Parent's Association (FLT-Families of LFI Tokyo) are parents just like you, with children in primary and secondary school, volunteers elected by you to represent you, to advise you and to inform you. FLT is affiliated with Fapée (Federation of parents' associations for overseas French schools), represented in most of French schools overseas.

REPRESENT – INFORM – TAKE ACTION – 2018-2019 FLT OBJECTIVES

AFFORDABLE SCHOOLING FOR ALL

Objective: to allow access to an LFI Tokyo education, regardless of income.

Commitment:

-*Financial aids:* provide assistance with French government scholarships applications; support applicants' claims at the local and national scholarship boards; raise awareness among public officials about Japan's cost of living and subsequent impact on families' ability to finance the cost of their children's education;
-*Tuition and budget monitoring:* efforts to minimize school fees for all school children in the LFI Tokyo, seeking help for families in great difficulty. We make sure that spending increases are fair and justified.

-*Fundraising:* organise fundraising events (e.g. : raffle during the school festival), to finance pupil's activities.

-*Vigilance on the future of the AEFÉ:* effort for the durability of the commitment of the French State, for a quality education accessible to all.

CONTINUOUSLY ENHANCED CURRICULUM OFFERING

Objective: access to high-quality curriculums allowing students to progress at varying paces.

Commitment:

-In kindergarten: follow-up of the multi-age project.

-At the primary level: attentive follow-up of the reorganization project of language teaching so that all children can benefit from an education according to their needs and the educational project of the family, without leveling of the offer.

-In secondary school: brain-storming on the possible orientations throughout the schooling and post-bac. Monitoring of the American OIB (*International Option of the Baccalaureate*) and of the Eastern section.

BETTER COMMUNICATION BETWEEN LFI TOKYO AND FAMILIES

Objective: enhance communication between school (management and teachers) and parents; offer customized and informed responses to questions raised by families (academic orientation, canteen, transportation, extracurricular activities, security issues...).

Commitment:

- Continuous information thru comprehensive information bulletins in 3 languages sent to FLT members (minutes of school meetings, briefing notes, etc.);
- Raise awareness on the prevention of high-risk behaviours involving alcohol, drugs and tobacco, bullying and theft.
- Advice for newcomers (lycée-café, contact with the "old"families).

One parent = one vote
EACH PARENT VOTE
We are counting on you!



FLT-FAPEE TEAM 2018-2019

(First row, from left to right) H. EL-NASHAR, P-F. VILQUIN, P. HARANG-BRUNET, T. DESBIEF

(Second row, from left to right) M. POLESE, A. IGUIDIER, M. DARTOIS-AKO, V. BRANCOURT-ITO, P. BERGERET, T. LAUNEY, J. GAY, R. CARRAZ, S. VELASCO

and (not on the picture) C. ADOUANE, N. DI COSTANZO, S. SERVERIN
Thanks to E. Beaufort for taking the picture

All parents - whether they are members of our association or not - are welcome to vote for the FLT-fapée list.

If you are not a member yet, please consider becoming one and reap its benefits! **Subscription is ¥1000/family!**

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