



# REGROUPEMENT LAVALLOIS POUR LA RÉUSSITE ÉDUCATIVE

November 2019 Newsletter



## Annual consultation meeting

On November 1, the Regroupement lavallois pour la réussite éducative (RLPRE) held its **Annual General Meeting** and **Consultation Forum**. More than 65 members and partners attended the event, which provided an opportunity for networking, information sharing and reflection on the importance of inter-sector partnerships in supporting student retention and educational success.



During the Consultation Forum, **Michaël Gaudreault**, a teacher and researcher with the ÉCOBES research and transfer center, gave a presentation on territorial factors influencing academic achievement and student retention in Laval. Follow the links to access his [presentation](#) and an [executive summary](#). (All links are in French only)

With the goal of informing and inspiring the partners, the promoters of eight Laval community initiatives were invited to present their projects as well as their approaches, challenges and benefits. To learn more about these projects, [go here](#).



The day was also an opportunity for the RLPRE to report on its achievements in 2018–19, a year marked by the launch of multiple collective projects. To view our 2018–19 **Annual Report**, follow [this link](#).

Read the news release [here](#).

## Twenty-five projets (new or renewed) to foster educational success

Following the call for projects issued in June, the RLPRE project selection committee has recommended 25 projects to the ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement supérieur for funding. The list of selected projects can be found [here](#).



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## Reading is... sharing!

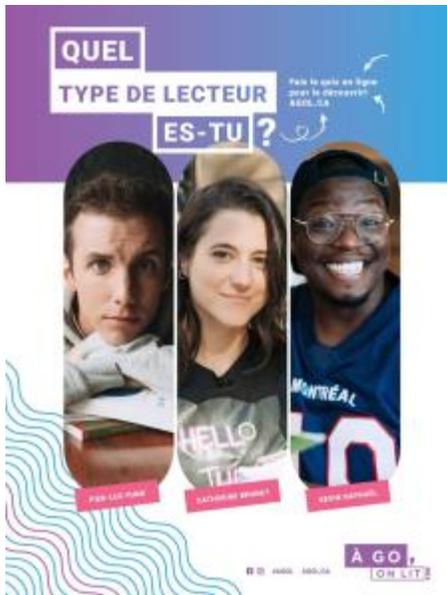
When a toddler shares a story with his or her dad or early-childhood educator, it sparks some of life's first joys linked to reading and writing. Later, we share our thoughts about the news, our ideas, and our favourite books. Sharing turns reading into a social activity and provides ways to spend precious moments among family and friends. Whether it's a traditional paper book or a digital screen, alone or in a group, reading is sharing!

This fall, the *Lire, ça se vit!* campaign is inviting everyone to share the joys of reading. Visit [lirecasevit.com/partager](http://lirecasevit.com/partager) to learn all about the activities planned and find reading suggestions for all ages!



Lire c'est...  
partager





## À GO, on lit! The joys of reading... shared!

À GO, on lit!, an initiative to encourage young people aged 14 to 20 to read more, is part of the range of activities and tools offered as part of the *Lire, ça se vit!* campaign. On October 7, the RLPRE took part in the inter-region kickoff event where young people, including several Laval residents, had a chance to [discover their reader profiles](#) and meet [celebrities](#) (and avid readers) like influencer PL Cloutier, comedian Kevin Raphaël and author Patrick Sénécal.

[See photos](#)

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## Simplify your messages to reach a wider audience

Write messages that will be better understood by the families you work with, your members, and your users. By simplifying your communications, you can amplify the number of people you'll reach—including those with less developed reading skills. **Integration workshops** are also available for those looking to further their learning and put techniques acquired during the **introductory workshop** into practice.

### Several dates are available

Next introductory workshop: January 28, 2020

Next integration workshop: December 3, 2019

[Learn more](#)

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## Bilingual kids, multilingual communities - free training session

As part of the *Mes langues, mes livres* project, the free training session *Enfants bilingues, milieux plurilingues : pratiques innovantes pour une intégration réussie* will be given from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday, November 28, at the Laval Multicultural Library. This free session for counsellors encourages the intercultural approach and the development of family literacy to promote the integration of allophone children. The project is an initiative of the Table des partenaires en éveil à la lecture et l'écriture, of which the RLPRE is a member.

[Learn more](#)

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## Adolescence and the risks of school abandonment

Adolescence is associated with an extremely high dropout risk. As recent research conducted at Université de Montréal shows, however, there is still time to intervene with at-risk students during this period of their lives, and ensure they stay in school. To learn more about the researchers' findings and the strategies they propose, go [here](#).



## Free passes to the Museum of Fine Arts

Access to cultural activities and venues is a plus when it comes to promoting academic achievement. Thanks to a generous donation from the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, the RLPRE has family passes available for Laval-based organizations who work with families, making it easier for them to access the MMFA's artistic, cultural and historical exhibitions. If your organization would like to obtain passes, please reach out to us by phone at 450 662-7000, ext. 1270, or via e-mail at [irclaval@cslaval.qc.ca](mailto:irclaval@cslaval.qc.ca).

## Positive reinforcement to help kids (and adults) progress

Whether it's to reward efforts on an oral presentation, a driver's ed exam, an internship, or in a cross-country race, positive reinforcement can make all the difference and is valuable at any age! Use our free cards to give the kids and adults around you an encouraging pat on the back. They're available in a choice of three colours with a space to write your personalized messages.

[Order here](#)



## Become a member of the RLPRE

Membership in the RLPRE is free, and a way for you to be part of regional movement toward academic and educational success among Laval residents, younger and older alike. Fill out [the form](#) to complete your membership request.

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