

GETTING OFF TO A GOOD START AT SCHOOL!

CHILDCARE SERVICES

SCHOOL

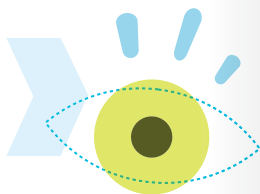



**A BRIGHT
FUTURE**
BEGINS AT SCHOOL.
LET'S ALL DO
OUR HOMEWORK.

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THINGS YOU CAN DO TO PREPARE YOUR CHILD:

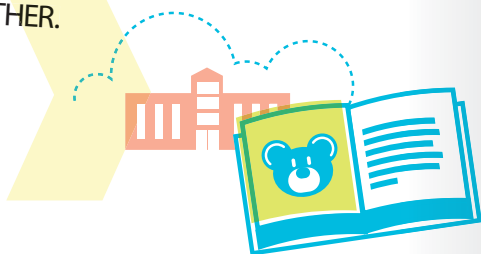
VISIT THE SCHOOL'S **DAYCARE** TOGETHER.



PARTICIPATE IN ACTIVITIES ORGANIZED BY THE SCHOOL TOGETHER.



GO TO THE
NEIGHBOURHOOD
LIBRARY
TOGETHER.



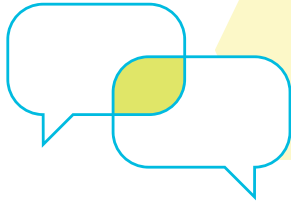
READ YOUR
CHILD **A STORY**
EVERY DAY.

PLAY WITH **WORDS**,
SOUNDS, **NUMBERS**
AND **LETTERS**.

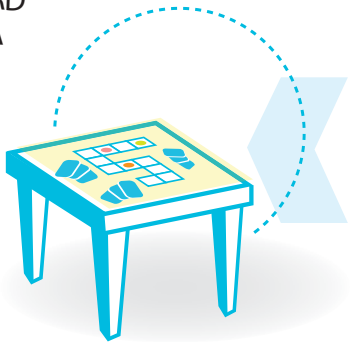


ENCOURAGE YOUR
CHILD TO **SHARE** HIS
OR HER TOYS.

GET YOUR CHILD TO
**EXPRESS HIS OR HER
FEELINGS** ABOUT SCHOOL
AND BE REASSURING,
IF NEED BE.



PLAY BOARD
GAMES AS A
FAMILY.

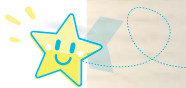


LET YOUR CHILD DO
THINGS **BY HIMSELF
OR HERSELF**, SUCH
AS PUTTING AWAY TOYS
OR GETTING DRESSED
WITHOUT HELP.

**CONGRATULATE
YOUR CHILD EVERY DAY!**

WHAT YOU CAN DO AS A PARENT TO GET YOUR CHILD READY TO START SCHOOL:

- ▶ Encourage your child to play with others.
- ▶ Encourage your child to say what he or she feels, while still showing respect for others.
- ▶ Encourage your child to become more autonomous.



Starting school is an important step. Being well prepared will help your child succeed.

YOU CONTRIBUTE TO YOUR CHILD'S SUCCESS WHEN:

- ▶ You suggest activities that require him or her to be attentive.
- ▶ You talk about school in a positive way.

**I HAVE MY CHILD'S SUCCESS
AT HEART!**

**I KNOW MY CHILD
WILL SUCCEED!**

USEFUL LINKS:

Fédération des comités de parents du Québec

WWW.fcpq.qc.ca

Ministère de l'Éducation, du Loisir et du Sport

WWW.mels.gouv.qc.ca

Ministère de la Famille et des Aînés

WWW.mfa.gouv.qc.ca

Ministère de la Santé et des Services sociaux

WWW.msss.gouv.qc.ca

Checklist:

- ▶ Inform the school if your child has **special needs**.
- ▶ Make sure your child can **see** and **hear properly**.