



FRENCH LANGUAGE TEACHERS SHORTAGE

:The shortage of teaching staff threatens the sustainability of French-language education services in Ontario.

The government's insufficient effort has made the situation worse

- ▶ **Solution:** Increasing the number of spots in French teaching training is crucial.
- ▶ **Urgency to Act:** Any delay will further degrade the quality of students' education.



CAPITAL INVESTMENT

Urgent Need for New Facilities:

- ▶ Steady demographic growth (2 to 3% annually for over 10 years)
- ▶ Overcapacity in the majority of schools
- ▶ Lack of services in several regions

Right to Equitable Facilities: Every Ontario student is entitled to accessible, equivalent, and fair facilities.



SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION

Constant Underfunding:

- ▶ Over 95% of students in French-language Catholic school boards use school transportation.
- ▶ The funding deficit has worsened over the past three years due to changes in the ministry's funding formula.
- ▶ This underfunding leads to cuts in educational services.

Unacceptable and Unfair Situation: The French-language system is unfairly penalized.



GOVERNANCE

Respect for the Autonomy of French-language Catholic School Boards:

- ▶ Several amendments to the 2023 Bill 98 aim to improve education in Ontario.
- ▶ Each school board is governed by elected school trustees.
- ▶ They play an essential role in leadership and local governance.
- ▶ This exclusive right to manage school boards must be respected.



76 801
Students



296
Schools



10 902
Staff



The Choice of 7 out of 10 parents