



CPF *Canadian Parents for French* *Prince Edward Island*

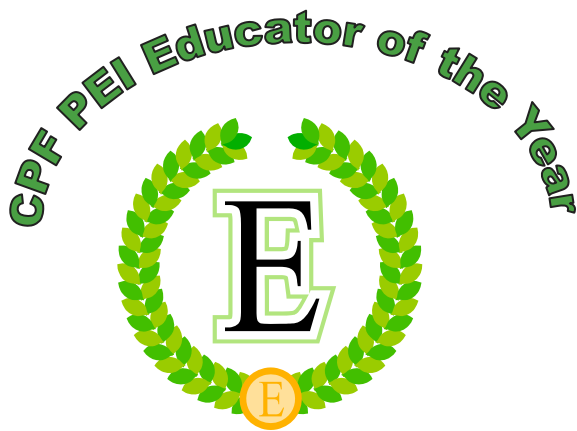
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Providing opportunities for young Canadians to learn and use French



Time to nominate your favorite teacher or administrator!

We are seeking submissions for our annual **Educator of the Year Award**. The award is presented to a person who has shown exceptional support and dedication to the quality and availability of French language education in Island schools and whose endeavors have had a positive influence on the education of our students.



Last year's recipient was Dr. Miles Turnbull, Dean of the Faculty of Education at UPEI. One of his nominators said of Dr. Turnbull “*Anyone who has taken a course with Miles Turnbull, or who has heard him speak is struck by his passion for the French language and his sensitivity to the diverse needs of language learners.*”

Be a nominator! Get acknowledgement for one a French teacher that you have thought made a difference in your school or in your child's life!

Prizes include a \$950 [A MimioTeach Interactive System](#) for the classroom. a \$100 personal prize and \$200 for class-

room materials or teacher education, as well as an award and banner to place in their classroom.

Anyone can nominate. Deadline for submissions **is February 28, 2014**. For nomination information, please go to pei.cpf.ca or mail your nominations to Canadian Parents for French PEI, PO Box 2785, Charlottetown, PE, C1A 8C4.



Dr. Miles Turnbull

Please nominate one of your Core/Immersion teachers or administrators for this prestigious award.

CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH

concoeurs d'art oratoire

Canada's French Public Speaking Contest



Do you have something to say? Can you say it in French?

The Canadian Parents for French - PEI 2014 Provincial Concours d'art oratoire is open to all students in Grades 10, 11 and 12.

The Grade 11/12 is **your** opportunity to compete for prizes, including scholarships valued at \$2000 to \$10,000 at University of Prince Edward Island, University of Ottawa, Université Saint-Anne and Moncton University. One winner in each category in the CPF PEI Concours d'art oratoire is eligible to advance to the CPF National Concours and vie for scholarships worth from \$6000 to \$20,000 to the same Universities..

The grade 10 group compete for prizes, cash, even a **camp week holiday in Îles-de-la-Madeleine and places at the Encounters With Canada program worth over \$600**

This is a wonderful opportunity to practice your French, meet other French students and be recognized for your efforts!

CPF - PEI Concours d'art oratoire: University of P.E.I., Saturday, March 29, 2014

Grade level: 10, 11/12 Categories: *Core French, Special Core French, Early French Immersion, Late French Immersion and Francophone*

What are you waiting for? For more information and/or an application form, contact your French teacher, or call Gail at (902) 368-3703, via e-mail at concoeurs@cpfpei.pe.ca, or visit our web site at pei.cpf.ca.

On this Valentines' Day we want to say a BIG thank you to all our CPF volunteers, teachers, administrators, consultants and parents!



Are you or your child interested in improving or maintaining your french?
Interested in starting a college degree or changing careers?
Consider Collège Acadie Î.-P.-É. next September!

For more information, visit www.collegeacadieipe.ca
or call our toll free number: 1-877-854-3010.





laquelle (lah-ke) : which Laquelle is the feminine form of "lequel." *la raison pour laquelle* = the reason for which *dans laquelle* = in which
Il faut écrire une histoire--mais laquelle? (I) need to write a story--but which one?

A well kept secret—*The language portal of Canada*

“a knock-out resource for second-language users.....”

Has the cat got your tongue, or are you tongue-tied? Got a word on the tip of your tongue? Why not at the tip of your fingers? And in French, too! Let your fingertips do the talking, and you'll never be at a loss for words.

Any time of the day or night, with friends or colleagues, at home or on vacation, there is no reason to be tongue-tied ever again.

Thanks to the ourlanguages.gc.ca on the go! mobile application, finding the right words has never been easier! With this mobile application, you can consult the Government of Canada's terminology and linguistic data bank *TERMIUM PLUS®* and find equivalents anytime, anywhere, for nearly 4 million English and



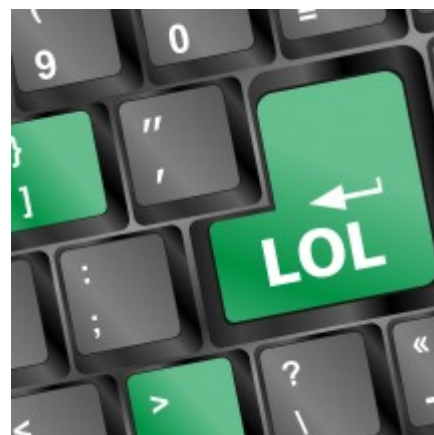
French terms. Available for free to iPhone and Blackberry users, the mobile application helps users communicate more easily in both official languages. .

To download the application, all you have to do is go to ourlanguages.gc.ca/app-mobile in the Language Portal of Canada.

Developed by the [Translation Bureau](#), the ourlanguages.gc.ca on the go! mobile application is your gateway to one of the largest linguistic data banks in the world!

The [Language Portal of Canada](#) showcases Canadian expertise in the area of language and provides one-stop access to information on language and writing, word games, writing tools and a host of other resources that deal with different aspects of English and French. Managed and developed by the

Translation Bureau, a special operating agency of Public Works and Government Services Canada, the Language Portal of Canada and its parallel French site, the [Portail linguistique du Canada](#), disseminates



and promotes language products developed in Canada. The purpose of sharing and highlighting Canadian expertise related to language is to help as many Canadians as possible to communicate in both official languages.

Watch for
Rendez-vous de la Francophonie 2014
events coming soon..
Celebrate March 7 to 14 !



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February Important dates

February (19 School Days) (18 Instructional Days)

17 Islander Day
 14 Valentines day
 28 Instructional Development Day (no classes)
 On this day in history Galileo was born 1564



CPF PEI is seeking new board members. If you would like to get involved and help promote French second-language education, call us at 368-3703 or email info@cpfpei.pe.ca

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Best Value! 3 year - \$60 \$ _____

1 year - \$25 \$ _____

Donation* \$ _____

Total (No GST) \$ _____

65% of your membership fee supports the activities of your local Chapter, 25% supports CPF's work at the branch level and 10% goes to CPF National to partially cover processing costs.

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For payment by: VISA MasterCard Cheque enclosed

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Date _____ Signature _____

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