



# Network Summary Report 2020-2021

#### About Us

Canadian Parents for French was founded in 1977 by parents who wanted to ensure that children would have the opportunity to become bilingual in the Canadian school system.

Originally a small group of concerned parents who met in Ottawa, Canadian Parents for French has evolved into a proactive national Network with 11 Branch and Offices and 144 Chapters in communities nationwide.

Canadian Parents for French is a nationwide, research-informed, volunteer organization that represents 34,000 members across Canada and champions the opportunity to learn and use French for all those who call Canada home.

Our professional staff is governed by committed volunteer leaders serving on our Board of Directors, standing and ad hoc committees and working groups. Our programming and activities are complemented by countless local community volunteers working hard to organize and deliver engaging opportunities for young people to learn and use French. With this vast Network spread across the country, there is a wealth of information to be shared about our accomplishments as we transform the face of bilingualism in Canada – one child at a time.

### **About this Report**

The Canadian Parents for French Network Summary Report shares the impact of the CPF Network working collaboratively to achieve our mandate across Canada.

It is the responsibility of CPF National to report on our progress yet this reporting relies heavily on the mutual cooperation of the individual CPF Branches and indirectly, the CPF Chapters, their willingness to share their impact data and their reports on results.

This collaboration enables us to compile a snapshot that reflects our progress on the commonly monitored performance indicators as identified in our CPF Network Strategic Plan 2020-2025.

The numbers gathered and shared here draw from the individual Branch Annual Performance Reports or their Report on Results to the funder and the National and Quebec Nunavut Office Annual Performance Report for the year 2020-2021. We believe these clearly demonstrate the return on investment expected that contributes to the achievement of long term results across Canada as a whole. We are proud to offer a snapshot of the amazing work that is being done all across the country, each and every day!

We remain ever thankful to our funders, sponsors, partners and collaborators and we look forward to working with them to ensure all those who call Canada home have equitable access to quality French second language learning opportunities.

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## **NETWORK STRATEGIC PILLARS**

#### **Mission**

To further bilingualism by promoting and creating opportunities for youth to learn and use French.

#### Vision

A Canada where French and English are an integral part of daily life.

#### **Network Impact**

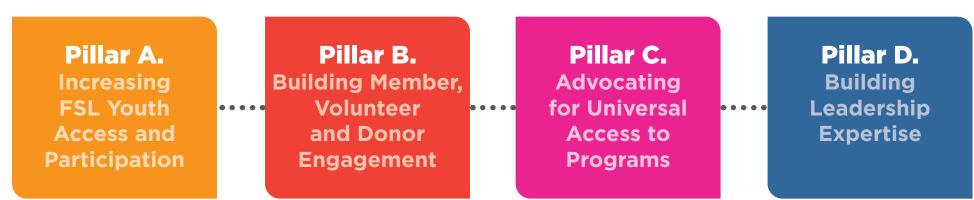
- > Optimize value to members and stakeholders
- > Inform and influence decision makers
- > Increase our capacity to innovate and mobilize

#### **CPF Network Position Statements**

Issues related to French as a Second Language (FSL) education practice, policy, and/or professional development:

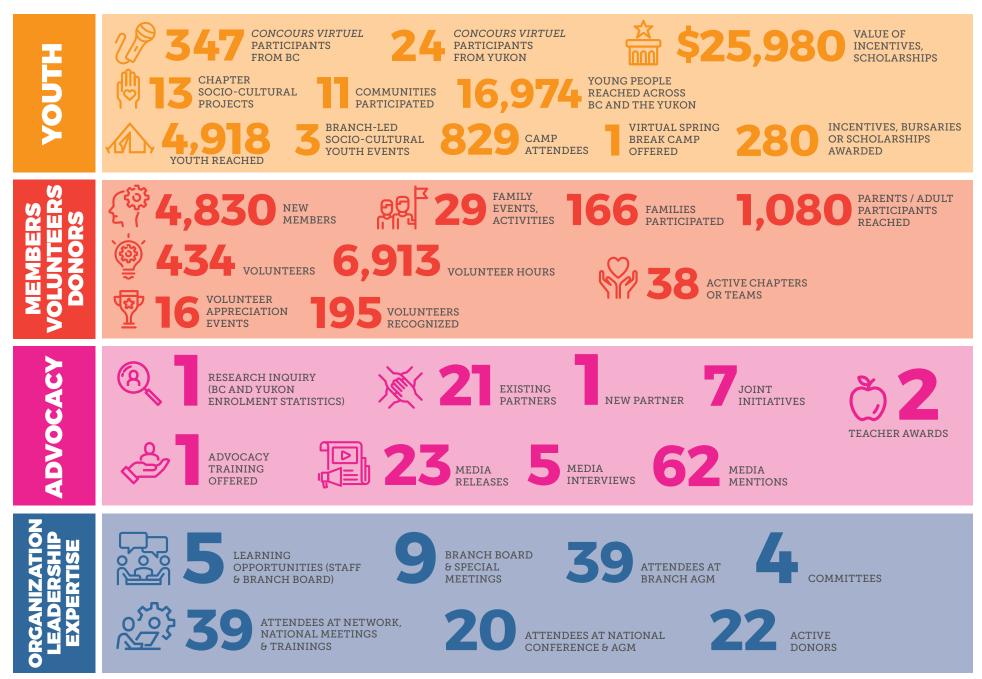


#### **Strategic Priorities**

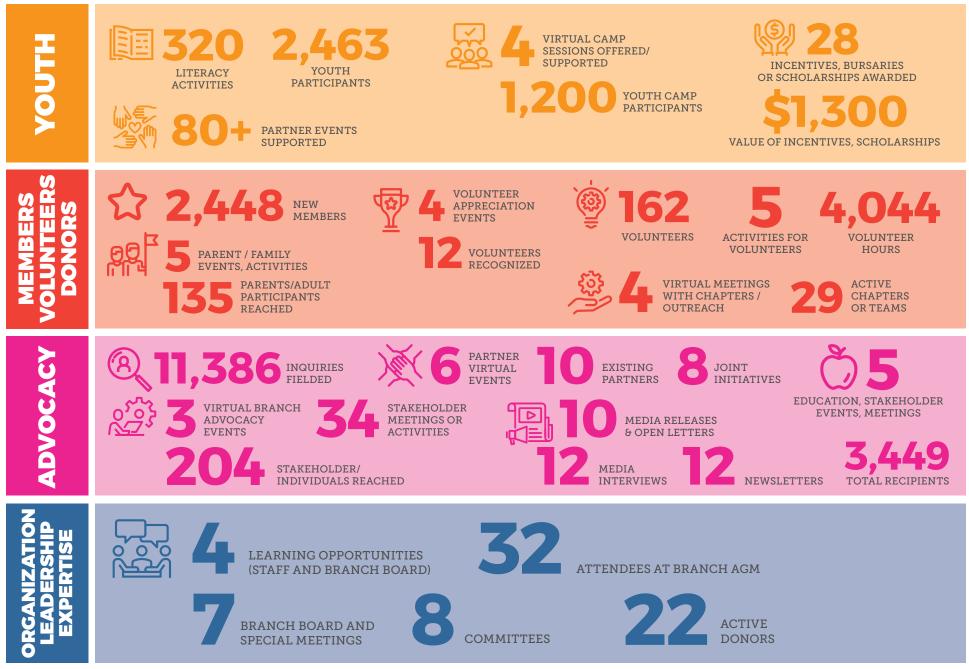


SUMMARY By the Numbers		2025 Targets 2022-2023 Targets
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MEMBERS VOLUNTEERS DONORS	<ul> <li>BARENT / FAMILY EVENTS, ACTIVITIES</li> <li>D1,3223 ACTIVE REGISTERED VOLUNTEERS</li> <li>D2,324 ACTIVE REGISTERED VOLUNTEERS</li> <li>D341 VOLUNTEERS</li> <li>D2,5980 PARENTS / ADULTS REACHED</li> <li>D341 VOLUNTEERS</li> <li>D400 SCIUCE CHAPTERS / RECOGNIZED</li> </ul>	Image: Stress of the stress
ADVOCACY	261 partner advocacy MEETINGS & EVENTS 124 EXISTING PARTNERSHIPS 16 NEW PARTNERSHIPS 2223 MEDIA RELEASES, INTERVIEWS & MENTIONS	150+ PARTNER ADVOCACY MEETINGS & EVENTS 60+ EXISTING PARTNERSHIPS 30+ NEW PARTNERSHIPS 125+ MEDIA RELEASES, INTERVIEWS & MENTIONS
ORGANIZATION LEADERSHIP EXPERTISE	2177 MEMBERS ATTENDING DO214COED AND COP MEETINGS ATTENDED BY BRANCH LEADERS1002LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES (STAFF 6 BRANCH BOARD)MEMBERSHIP RETENTION RATE119ACTIVE DONORS355%	SolutionSolutionMembers attending at agm1000+Learning Opportunities (staff branch board)Membership Retention rate2000+Active Donors459%

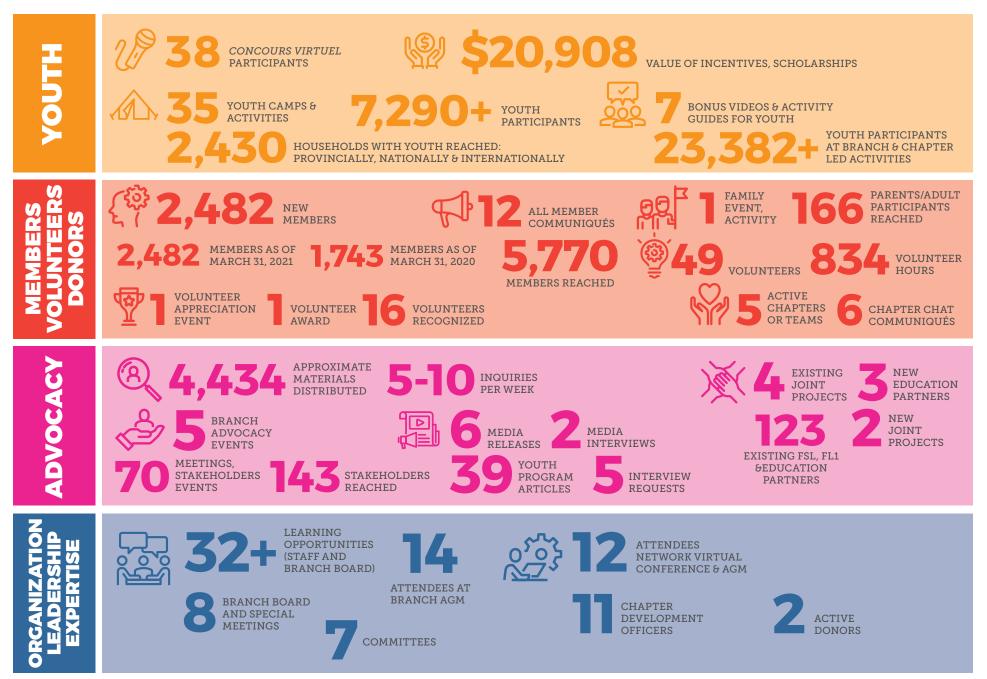
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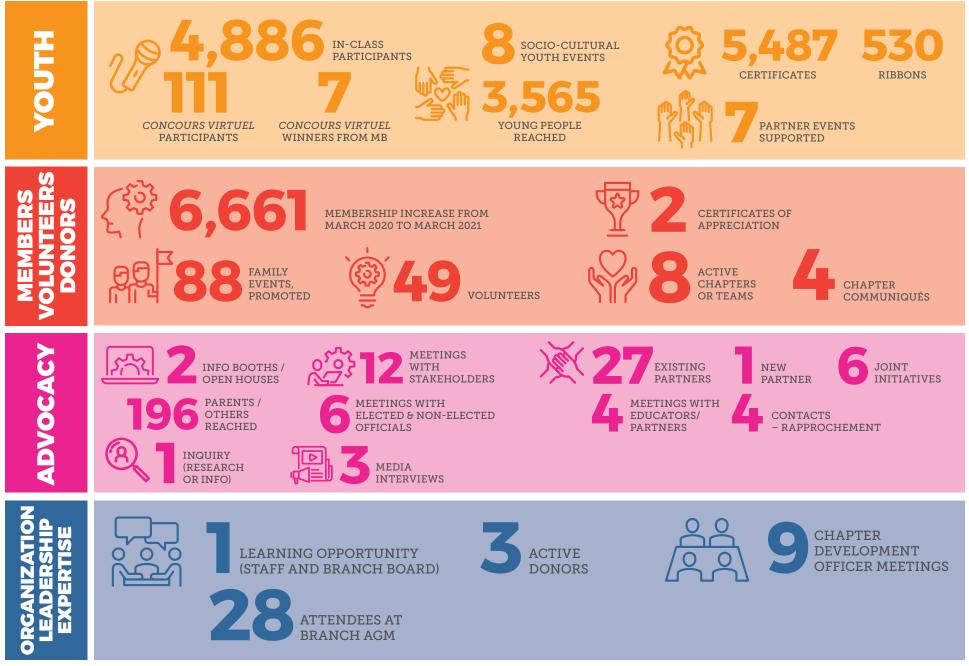
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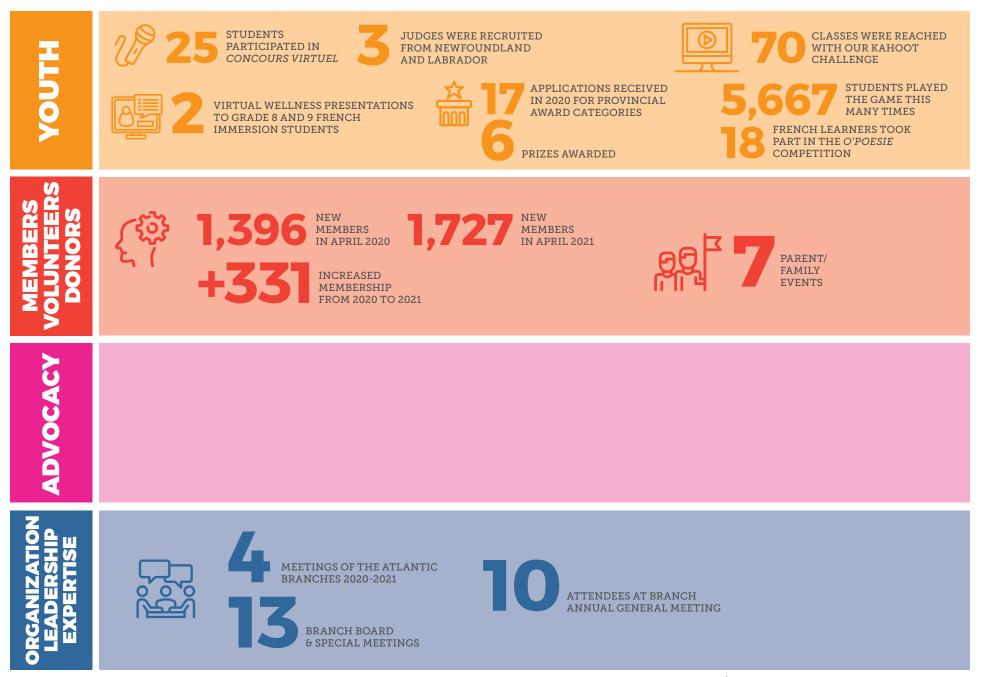
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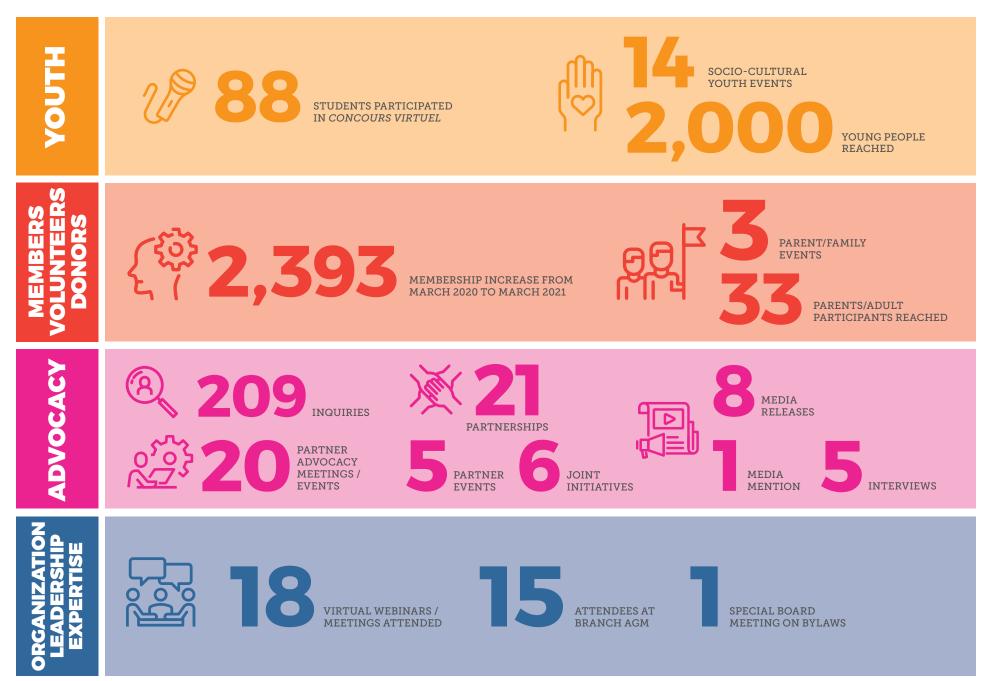
## CPF MANITOBA By the Numbers



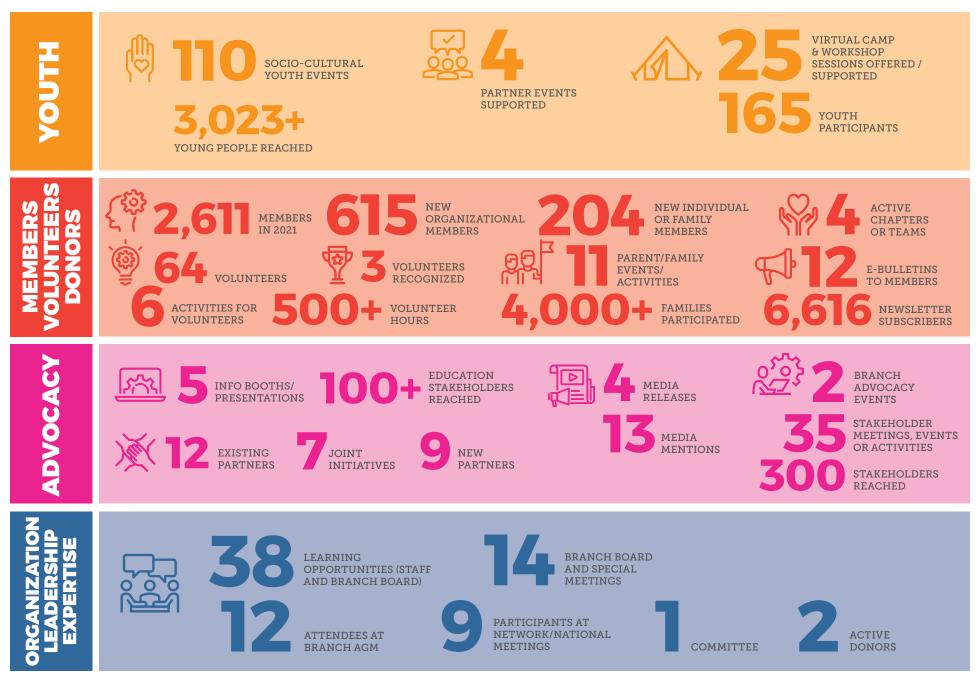
### CPF NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR By the Numbers



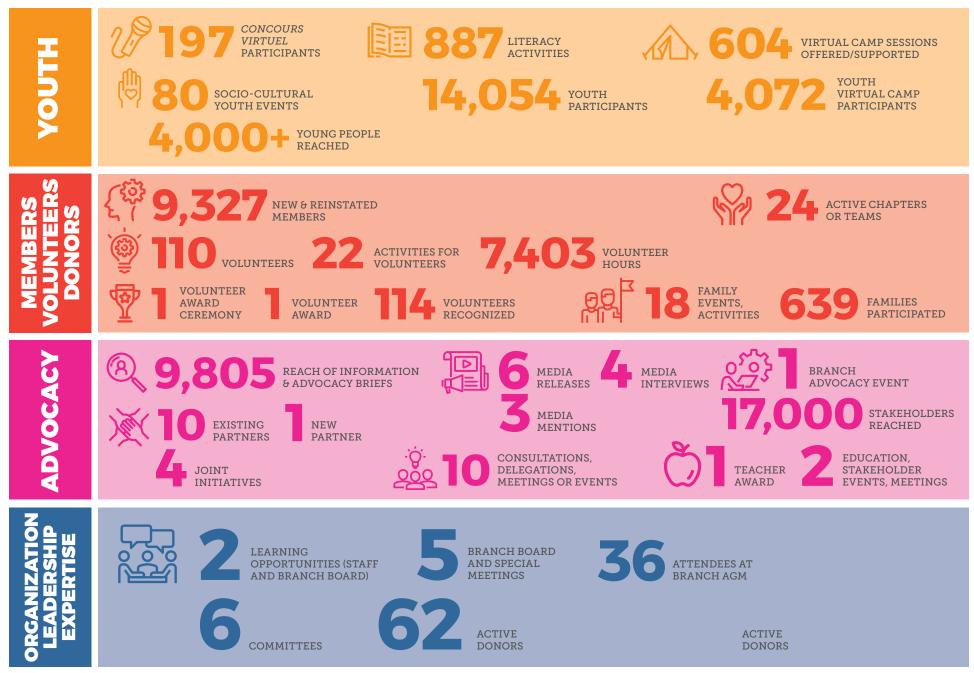
## CPF NEW BRUNSWICK By the Numbers



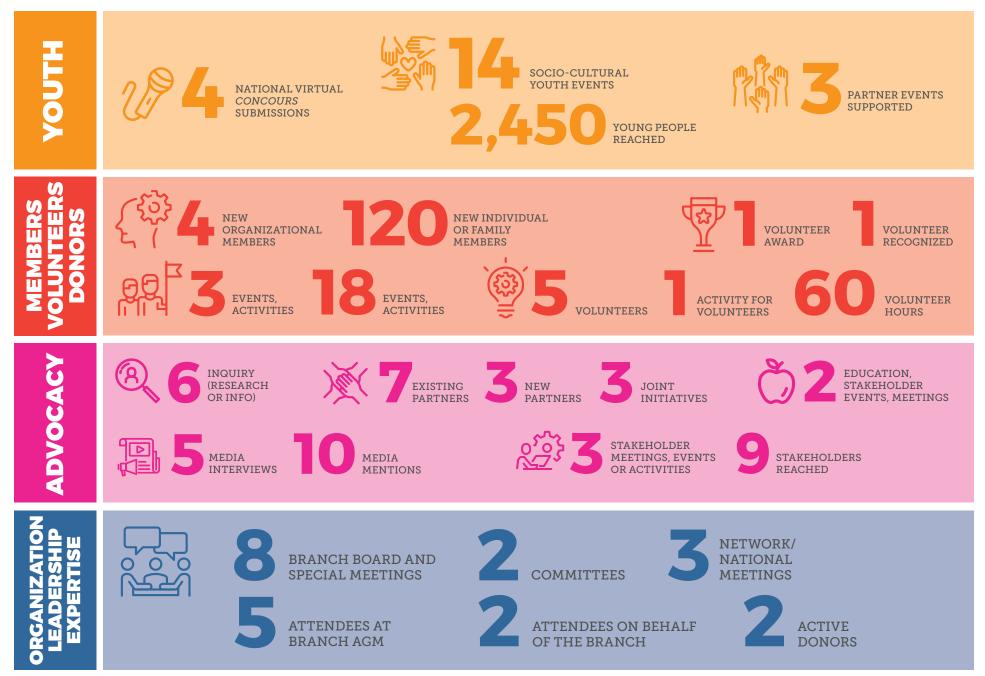
### **CPF NOVA SCOTIA** By the Numbers



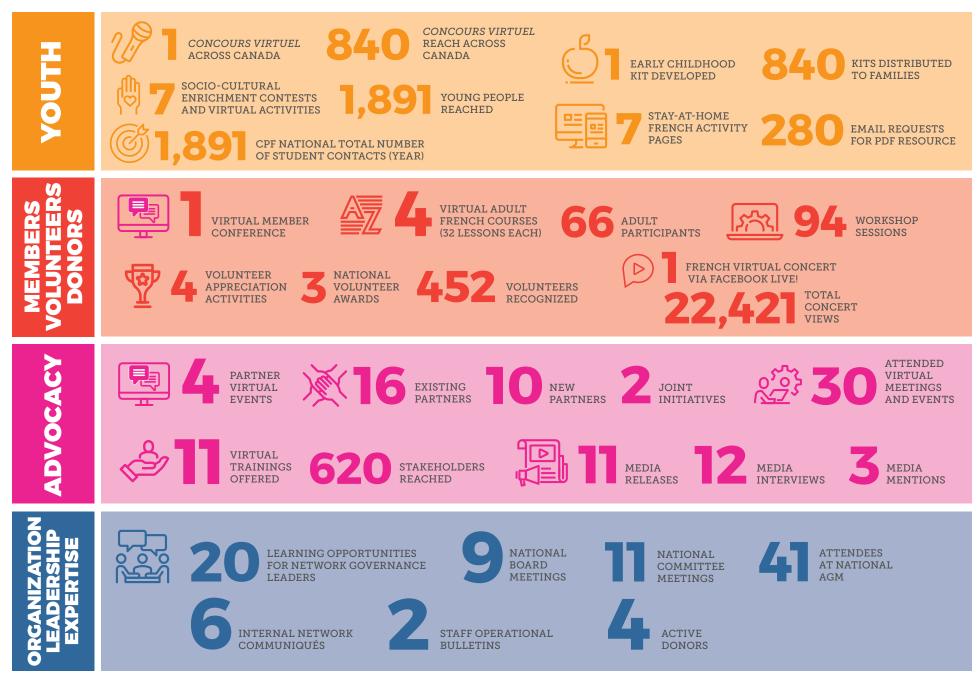
### **CPF ONTARIO** By the Numbers



## CPF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND By the Numbers



#### CPF NATIONAL/QUEBEC & NUNAVUT OFFICES By the Numbers



## LOOKING AHEAD

Moving into a new year of work and activities, Canadian Parents for French will continue to engage and support young people in Canada as they learn French as a second language, offering diverse opportunities to explore life in French. Canadian Parents for French will organize events, activities and meetings to engage the stakeholders who are represented within the 4 pillars at the core of our organization.

Our oversight and risk management initiatives are focused on equity, diversity and inclusion as part of our succession planning, updating our human resources management practices; and technology management and cybersecurity considerations. Our revitalized websites include member exclusive content and a dedicated space for volunteers to locate additional internal support and resources. In addition to furthering efforts to **strengthen the Canadian Parents for French Network** as a whole, areas of focus will include:

- Enhancing a performance-based culture of monitoring, evaluation and reporting to ensure that we are capturing our successes and the impact of our work;
- Assessing and addressing technological issues, capacities and needs across the Network by conducting technology audits and supporting Branches, volunteers and members to more effectively use the technological platforms that are available to support their work;
- Exploring new opportunities for funding diversification to develop relationships with possible donors, and expand our outreach to corporate sponsors;
- Analyzing some of our cornerstone events, activities and initiatives with an inclusionary and equity lens, to harmonize and modernize them to most effectively meet the needs of ALL Canadian FSL learners;
- Examining how we can best support and celebrate existing volunteers and recruit new ones, so that we can continue to offer unique community-based services and activities whether by virtual means or with in-person opportunities.

## **DESIRED RESULTS BY 2025**

Excerpt from the CPF Network Strategic Plan

#### The CPF Network will have:



communications and storytelling and built targeted relationships with educational authorities and the media.



Improved rates of attraction, engagement and retention of members, volunteers and donors, and addressed succession planning at all levels of the organization.



Nurtured a culture of learning through collaboration and talent capacity building to implement sound governance, risk management and philanthropy practices.

#### **Success Indicators:**

- **500+** youth events completed reaching**85,000** young people.
- > 15,000 parents reached through 200+ parent events.
- Improving CPF member retention rate to 45%.
- Increasing donorships and sponsorships by **10%** annually.
- > 100+ active Chapters/Teams reporting volunteer activities, with 250+ volunteers having been recognized for their service from among the approximate 1,000 'registered' CPF volunteers.
- > 60+ media releases, 30+ media interviews and 35+ CPF media mentions annually.
- > 150+ partner meetings, 60+ active, existing partnerships while establishing 30+ new partnerships annually.

#### **Canadian Parents for French across Canada**

The **Canadian Parents for French** Network collaborates by working together, demonstrating strong leadership and true impact across the country.



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