Provincial Parent Board 2007 Application Form

The Provincial Parent Board is a strong voice for all parents on the future of education in Ontario. If you would like to help parents get more involved in Ontario’s education system, become a member of the Provincial Parent Board.

How to Apply

1. Complete an application form

2. Attach a note that explains why you want to join the Provincial Parent Board. Remember to include:
   - Your experience with local education programs, schools & community groups
   - Any special skills or work experience that will benefit the board
   - How you can represent interests unique to your community

3. Obtain three letters of reference. Each letter should outline how your skills, experience and background will contribute to a strong, diverse board. Suggested sources include:
   - School councils
   - Education related organizations
   - Community groups

4. Send the original, plus three photocopies to:

   Keith Clark
   Director, Evaluation Services
   Curriculum Services Canada
   439 University Avenue, 18th Floor
   Toronto, ON  M5G 1Y8

   Applications may be sent by mail, courier, or hand-delivered.

   **Application Deadline: February 16, 2007 10:00 a.m.**

   Incomplete and late applications will not be considered.

Questions?

For more information about the Provincial Parent Board and the application process, please contact:

   Jacqueline Barghout
   Parent Engagement Office
   Ministry of Education
   Phone: (416) 314-0426
   Toll free: 1-800-361-6483
   email: jacqueline.barghout@ontario.ca

Copies of this form are available on the Ministry of Education website in the parents section – www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/parents
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Candidate Information

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Regional/Demographic Information

Your responses will help us select board members with different perspectives

My child(ren) attend(s) (check all that apply)

- [ ] English Public School
- [ ] French Public School
- [ ] English Catholic School
- [ ] French Catholic School

Board name

My first language

- [ ] English
- [ ] French
- [ ] Other (please specify)

My occupation

Board Membership Eligibility and Term

I have, or will have, one or more children attending a publicly funded school in Ontario during the
(check all that apply)

- [ ] 2006-2007 school year
- [ ] 2007-2008 school year
- [ ] 2008-2009 school year

Some members of the first Provincial Parent Board will serve a two-year term. The rest will serve for three years. Please indicate your preference

- [ ] Two year term
- [ ] Three year term
- [ ] No preference

Supporting Documentation

Remember to include (see How to Apply):

- [ ] Step 2
  Why you want to join the board, including your skills, background & experience

- [ ] Step 3
  Three reference letters from school councils, community groups or education-related organizations

- [ ] Step 4
  Three copies of the entire package

Signature_________________________________________ Date_____________________

Notice of Collection of Personal Information

The personal information collected on this application form will be used to evaluate the suitability of all potential candidates for membership on the Provincial Parent Board. This collection is necessary for the proper administration of this process. Your personal information, including, but not limited to, your name, address and telephone number, will be used by the ministry for the purposes of administration and all other matters pertaining to your involvement in the provincial parent board, should you be selected as a board member. The Ministry of Education reserves the right to confirm any information you provide on this application form or during the application process, including verification of representation by an organization and/or personal references. If you have any questions regarding the collection, use and disclosure of your personal information, you may contact Jacqueline Barghout by e-mail jacqueline.barghout@ontario.ca or by telephone 416-314-0426 / toll free 1-800-361-6483.