

TABLE 1.1B QUÉBEC GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION -  
 MINISTÈRE DE L'ÉDUCATION DU QUÉBEC

Lead Ministry/Department	Ministère de l'Éducation (MEQ) <sup>a</sup>
Related Ministry/Department	MFamille and the MSSS
ECE Supervisory Unit	Direction de la Formation Générale des Jeunes Joint MFamille and MEQ Committee <i>Agir pour que chaque tout-petit développe son plein potentiel</i> Advisory Committee <i>Agir tôt et de manière concertée</i> Interdepartmental Committees
Policy Framework	<i>It's all About the Children: Educational Services Strategy for Children from Birth to Age 8 (2018)<sup>b</sup></i>
Legislation	Education Act (chapter I-13.3) Act Respecting Private Education (chapter E-9.1) The Education Act for Cree, Inuit and Naskapi Native Persons (chapter I-14) The Act to Amend the Education Act with Regard to School Organization and Governance, November 7, 2019 <sup>c</sup> An Act to amend the Education Act and other provisions regarding preschool education services for students 4 years of age <sup>e</sup>
Related Legislation	Basic School Regulation for Preschool, Elementary and Secondary Education (chapter I-13.3, s. 447) Regulation Respecting Exceptional Cases for Admission to Preschool and Elementary School (chapter I-13.3, r. 1) Regulation Respecting Child Care Services Provided at School (chapter I-13.3, s. 454.1) Regulation Respecting Free Instructional Material and Certain Financial Contributions that May be Required (chapter I-13.3, r. 6.2)
Local Authority/Service Provider	60 French-language school service centres <sup>e</sup> (formerly school boards), 1 special-status school service centre (Centre de services scolaire du Littoral), 9 English-language school boards and 2 special-status school boards (the Cree School Board and Kativik Ilisarniliriniq) MFamille regional offices
Community/Sector Monitoring	Educational Child Care Service Supply Advisory Committees <sup>f</sup>

a In 2020, the Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement Supérieur was divided into the Ministère de l'Éducation, Québec and Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement Supérieur to allow the former to focus on children from preschool through secondary school.

b Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement Supérieur (2018). *It's all About the Children: Educational Services Strategy for Children from Birth to Age 8*. Retrieved from: <https://numerique.banq.qc.ca/patrimoine/details/52327/3532530>

c Légis Québec. *Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education*. Retrieved from: <http://legisquebec.gouv.qc.ca/en/ShowTdm/cr/I-13.3,%20r.%208>

d Ministère de l'Éducation, Government of Québec. *School Service Centres*. Retrieved from: <https://www.quebec.ca/en/education/preschool-elementary-and-secondary-schools/school-governance/#c42437>

e Québec National Assembly. (2019). *Bill 5, Chapter 24*. Retrieved from: [www2.publicationsduquebec.gouv.qc.ca/dynamicSearch/telecharge.php?type=5&file=2019C24A.PDF](http://www2.publicationsduquebec.gouv.qc.ca/dynamicSearch/telecharge.php?type=5&file=2019C24A.PDF)

f Ministère de la Famille, Government of Québec. *Comités consultatifs sur l'offre de services de garde éducatifs à l'enfance*. Retrieved from: <https://www.mfa.gouv.qc.ca/fr/services-de-garde/nouvelles-places/comites-consultatifs/Pages/index.aspx>