

# DREAM SUPPORT ACHIEVE



*Moving forward together*

**2021-2026 MAJOR FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN  
GOAL OF \$3M OVER 5 YEARS**



# COLLEGE BOURGET

## THE EVOLUTION OF A TRADITION

NOVEMBER 12<sup>th</sup>, 1850

170 YEARS OF HISTORY



On November 12, 1850, at the request of Archbishop Ignace Bourget of Montreal, the first three clerics of St-Viator arrived in Rigaud to begin the great adventure of the “Collège de Rigaud”, which would be renamed College Bourget.

Our three valiant warriors departed from Joliette: by horse-drawn carriage to Montreal and by steamboat to the Grand Quai. A two-day trip! We are far from today's transportation.

Bourget has continuously adapted its services to meet the needs of the students who have come through its doors: School commissioners' school, elementary and secondary school, business

courses in English, science courses, classical courses, welcoming girls, college courses, a large dormitory, international students, school transportation organized in the greater region, introduction of the preschool and elementary sectors. Its latest achievement: the high school program in English with a 12th grade, leading to the Ontario diploma..

Thanks to a team of experienced and committed educators, the College offers an educational program that develops all areas of the individual. Opened in the 19th century, it is well into the 21st century... and hopes, thanks to you, to be there in the 22nd century!



# DREAM

**The school of tomorrow!**  
**A campus in sync with nature**

## College Bourget

The college is recognized as a major institution, established in Vaudreuil-Soulanges for 170 years. It is also a key figure in the field of education in Quebec, it aims to continue to develop its leadership among the youth of the region by investing in the improvement of its infrastructures and the academic development of its students.

## More than a school

a place to express who you are, no matter what your interests are, whether you are an athlete, an artist, a scientist, an entrepreneur, an academic or a computer enthusiast, the College is a dynamic and open environment that allows its students to develop their individual passions.



### The College Bourget Foundation

also been contributing to the growth and development of young people in this prestigious educational institution for more than 20 years by investing in its facilities and in scholarships.



## Bourget College

In September 2019, Bourget College officially launched its English sector, this is a revival of a mid-twentieth century tradition in which our college offered the business course in English. This new sector covers grades 10 to 12. It also sets our institution apart by offering Grade 12, an option that is seldomly offered in the province of Quebec. The students who are enrolled in this program have a variety of profiles. Whether they are athletes, international or local students, we offer individualized teaching and adapted schedules.

# Thank you for your **SUPPORT**

to our mission

## **Project no.1 GREENERY PROJECT**

### **Zone: Outdoor classes**

The creation of outdoor classrooms for the primary and the secondary levels.

### **Zone: Leisure and dining areas**

Landscaping the courtyard of Louis Querbes Pavilion and areas of the Main Pavilion with vegetation for dining, studying and relaxing in order to reduce heat pockets and increase the number of quiet, study-friendly spaces.



### **Zone: Community development**

Development and improvement of the gardens and greenhouse, as well as the incorporation of the gardens, greenhouse and orchard into existing living spaces.

### **Zone: Arts and Entertainment**

Construction of an outdoor amphitheater with bleachers, a creativity zone and a musical zone.



Transformation of the courtyard of the Louis-Querbes pavilion

A INVESTMENT OF

**\$ 1 M**

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## Project no.2 DEVELOPMENT OF SPORTS FACILITIES

### Sports Zone

The improvement of the environmental features of the sports areas such as basketball courts, field hockey, skatepark, tennis facilities, bleachers and the refurbishment of asphalt playgrounds.



## YOUR CONTRIBUTION AT THE HEART OF OUR REALISATIONS

### Getting involved in our foundation

Means supporting the generations of tomorrow.

Means providing the tools and resources necessary.

To contribute to the sustainability of our fine College.  
It illustrates our sense of belonging.



AN INVESTMENT OF

# 2M\$

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## Outdoor classrooms

### In the heart of nature,

at the base of Rigaud Mountain, on an enchanting and impressive site, Bourget has taken an innovative approach with the installation of four outdoor classrooms, the construction of an exterior amphitheatre and the greening of its asphalt courtyards into playgrounds and leisure spaces.

Students will be able to use these natural spaces to learn, reflect, play, discover, relax, study and dream!



## THE GREENERY PROJECT

### The Outdoor Classroom Experience

In the spring of 2020, the outdoor classrooms were a huge success with students and educators. We are excited to be moving forward with this project.



### The fruition

of the greening project will take the school out of the traditional setting and open the gate to a new pedagogical approach, outdoor learning.



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## The Community Zone

### Making a school a community

The major issues of sustainable development and the protection of the environment will become increasingly important in the years to come, and College Bourget aims to promote a cutting-edge education so that this social awareness leads to concrete actions.

The Community Zone project includes greenhouse development, vegetable garden growth, garden design, and the integration of reading and learning areas with student spaces.



# THE GREENERY PROJECT



### The Green Thumbs

A program that seeks to instill a sense of eco-responsibility and eco-citizenship in students. The objective is to operate a greenhouse and a vegetable garden producing organic vegetables and fine herbs.

The greenhouse and the gardens offer our students new opportunities through hands-on learning.

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The College is known as a leader in school sports



With its imposing site,

Bourget can further upgrade its sports facilities. The development of basketball courts, field hockey areas, a skatepark and multi-sport grounds will provide a stimulating and inspiring environment for the youth to develop their skills.

these new facilities

will allow students to continue to develop their talents and interests in an environment that is tailored to their needs.

Sport and recreational or structured physical activity are essential to the integral development of all youth.



## ATHLETICS

At the heart of its community

The College wants to provide the community with new recreational facilities. Through its summer camps and outdoor physical education programs, the sports facilities will serve students year-round. These facilities will also be available to the citizens of Rigaud.

1800  
students

14  
sports

50  
teams

850  
student  
athletes

# DREAM

## The talents of tomorrow

### A school with an eye for the performing arts

To maintain the teaching of the arts and increase the influence of the performing arts at the College, an investment in the remodeling of the auditorium into a high end theatre is an imperative.

### Artistic disciplines

Several artistic disciplines are taught at Bourget, including dance, fashion design, drama, visual art, media art, singing, guitar and music.

#### Our stars

Gildor and Maxim Roy,  
Marc Labrèche, Stéphane  
Bellavance, Matt  
Hollubosky, Fanny Bloom,  
Marjorie Vallée, Karl  
Wallcott, Patrick Drolet



### The arts to self-discover and surpass oneself

Our educational institution recognizes the benefits of the arts in the integral development of young people. Our budding artists, young and old, need a modern auditorium adapted to the needs of this growing need for the arts.

# Thank you for the **SUPPORT**

to the realization of this project

## Project no.3 THEATER

- Seat replacement
- Sound system upgrade
- Lighting system upgrade
- Remodeling the stage
- Ventilation
- Mobile ticketing system
- Bar service development
- Construction of flexible multi-purpose spaces (atrium in the auditorium entrance)
- Construction of dressing rooms for artists
- Compliance with standards
- A 750-spectator capacity



### More than 800 students

experience the performing arts through their school career. Our young artists need a suitable, inspiring and stimulating setting in which to perform.

AN ESTIMATE OF THE COSTS OF

# 3M\$



# ACHIEVE

Who will be the next to grace the stage of our new theater?

## Passion Pathways of the Arts

Our program choices will be more appealing to this clientele of students with a passion for the performing arts.

## Provide greater exposure for artists

The College will be able to offer the community of Rigaud and the entire Vaudreuil-Soulanges region an excellent place for artists from the College and the region to perform in its new artistic facility.



# THEATER



We need your support to fulfill the dreams of these young artists in the making!

**800**  
students on  
an artistic  
pathway

Dance  
Harmony  
Guitar  
Stage band

Drama  
Fashion design  
Media art  
Visual arts

**6**  
Passion  
Pathways in  
the Arts

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**DREAM SUPPORT ACHIEVE**

It's time for us to build  
the College that we have  
always envisioned !

Support us in reaching our goal  
of \$3M over the next 5 years.



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