

Join us



Supporting Parents
Supporting Children

about us

“Research suggests that parental involvement in a child’s learning has more of an impact on a child’s educational outcomes than social class, level of parental education or income (Feinstein & Symons, 1999).”

NPC is the *only* national representative organisation for parents of children in primary school. We provide a helpline, training nationwide and a regularly updated website to support parents support their children’s education.

what we provide for members

- Representation at national policy level
- A dedicated information and support Helpline
- Discounted rates for NPC Training courses
- Updates and alerts on NPC and educational issues
- Networking and information sharing with other parents
- A free copy of the publication “Working effectively as a Parent Association”
- Reduced Parents’ Association Insurance

5 great reasons to join

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HAVE YOUR VOICE HEARD

Be part of an organisation that is listened to at National level.

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NETWORK

Meet and learn from other Parents’ Associations, share ideas and pool resources.

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BE REPRESENTED

NPC represents the voice of parents to the Department of Education and Skills, the Teaching Council, the National Council for Curriculum and Assessment, the National Council for Special Education and more

NPC also works on behalf of parents with organisations such as the Irish Primary Principals’ Network, the Irish National Teachers’ Organisation, the School Management Bodies, the Professional Development Service for Teachers and more

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BE INFORMED

NPC provides a broad range of training for parents including, among others:

- Parenting: Supporting your child to build healthy friendships and relationships
- Internet Safety training
- Supporting your Child’s Mental Health and Wellbeing
- Parental Involvement / Parents’ Association training

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RECEIVE

- A 33% reduction in NPC training course fees
- A free copy of the publication “Working effectively as a Parent Association”
- Reduced Parents’ Association Insurance

NPC want to see an Ireland where every child has the opportunity to reach their FULL POTENTIAL



what we do

HELPLINE

The NPC helpline is a national confidential service for parents. The helpline staff listen and give information and support to parents to help them make the best possible decisions for and with their children.

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

The NPC Training and Development programme is a national programme of training, development and support for parents. The purpose is to empower parents to play an active part in their child's education at every level.

WEBSITE

The NPC website www.npc.ie aims to provide parents with up to date information regarding primary education.

what our members say about us

"Met other parents in the local area, clarified the role of a Parents' Association".

"You as an organisation have given me a sense of great strength and belonging to a place where you can get support and advice truly makes the challenge as a parent less".

The NPC Helpline – "great listener, made me feel more confident, I realised there is some help out there and support, these factors helped me to calm down and release my stress".

"I would consider the Conference offers many insights to parents - I was overwhelmed by the number in attendance when I walked into the auditorium".



How to join...

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