



WORKSHOP FOR EMSB PARENTS
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2010
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, LAURENCE PATTERSON ROOM
6000 FIELDING AVE., MONTREAL
6:45 P.M. – 8:30 P.M.

Please join us in the cafeteria at 6:15 p.m. for a light buffet. The workshop will begin promptly at 6:45 p.m.

UNLEASHING YOUR CHILD'S POTENTIAL

Helping Your Child with Organization and Study Skills

Who should attend:

Parents and guardians of children in elementary or high school who want to:

- Help their children achieve higher grades
- Motivate their children to want to learn
- Teach children how to become independent learners and more successful students

You will learn how to:

- Create a good learning environment at home
- Implement an effective homework routine
- Prepare for parent/teacher interviews

Provide your children with strategies to:

- Learn *how* to learn
- Discipline themselves so that they can learn
- Organize their time, material and information
- Establish an effective learning routine
- Master the four ways of learning and memorizing
- Communicate successfully with teachers, peers and parents
- Avoid procrastination and distractions
- Anticipate problems that interfere with learning
- Use problem-solving techniques.
- Resolve conflicts

The presentation will be followed by a question period.



Workshop leader Carolyn Melmed is a founding teacher of the Lansdowne Centre – a school for children with learning difficulties. Carolyn pioneered courses in organization and study skills for students and conducted workshops for McGill's Faculty of Education on these subjects. Her DVD, *Unleashing Your Child's Potential* has helped teachers and parents in their efforts to support the development of organization and study skills among their students and children. She is a certified mediator and has 35 years of teaching experience both in the classroom and on a one-to-one basis.

REGISTRATION FORM:

Please return the completed form to Brigida Sellato, EMSB, Room 109, or by FAX (514-483-7213) or email BSellato@emsb.qc.ca no later than Tuesday November 3, 2010. The form may be downloaded from www.emsb.qc.ca/parent_info/

Name: _____

School: _____

Telephone no: _____ Email: _____

Please note that there is no cost for this workshop.