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And we're off! 2 years to the 9th edition of the Jeux de la francophonie canadienne

REGINA — The Organizing Committee of the Jeux de la francophonie canadienne (JeuxFC) 2028 today officially kicked off the event, announcing the official dates, website, and first partners for this major gathering of Canada's French-speaking youth.

The biggest announcement of the day: JeuxFC 2028 will take place from July 18 to 22, 2028, in Regina, Saskatchewan. This national event will bring together 1,200 participants aged 14 to 18 from across Canada, across three streams: arts, leadership, and sports.

Today's Announcements

- Official website: www.jeuxfc.ca
- Volunteer recruitment: 600+ volunteers needed — for more information, visit www.jeuxfc.ca
- Partnership with Long & McQuade Musical Instruments — returning partner for a 2nd edition
- Partnership with Druide informatique, creators of the Antidote software — returning partner for a 2nd edition
- Partnership with Collège Mathieu — Platinum Partner
- Partnership with La Cité universitaire francophone — our first Diamond Partner

"Today, we are launching more than a countdown to the 2028 Jeux de la francophonie canadienne—we are launching a movement that will bring together Canada's Francophone community through the energy and leadership of its youth. In just two years, Regina will become a place of connection, discovery, personal achievement, and Francophone pride. We invite Canadians from coast to coast to join us as volunteers, partners, and ambassadors. Together, we will make JeuxFC 2028 an unforgettable celebration of our language, our culture, and our shared future." — Denis Simard, President, JeuxFC 2028 Organizing Committee

"Regina is honoured to host the 2028 Jeux de la francophonie canadienne and welcome French-speaking youth from across the country. This event is an opportunity to showcase our city's hospitality while celebrating the strength and diversity of Canada's Francophone communities. We look forward to welcoming participants, families, volunteers, and visitors to Regina as we work alongside our partners to deliver an exceptional experience". - Mayor Chad Bachynski, City of Regina

Today's official kickoff was livestreamed on the JeuxFC Facebook page.

The countdown is officially on. In two years, Regina will become the beating heart of Canadian francophonie — and the work starts today. The francophone community from across Canada is invited to follow the journey at jeuxfc.ca and join the volunteer team that will bring the Games to life.

About the Jeux de la francophonie canadienne

The Jeux de la francophonie canadienne (JeuxFC) are an initiative of the Fédération de la jeunesse canadienne-française (FJCF), funded in part by the Government of Canada. This major national event, created BY and FOR youth, brings together participants aged 14 to 18 across three streams: arts, leadership, and sports. Cultural activities and community engagement initiatives will highlight the richness of the host community and the diversity of Canadian francophonie. For more information about JeuxFC, visit www.jeuxfc.ca

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