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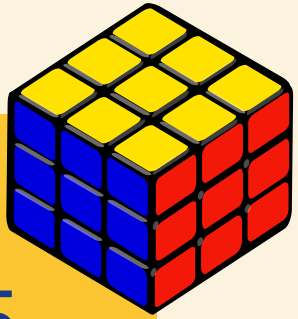


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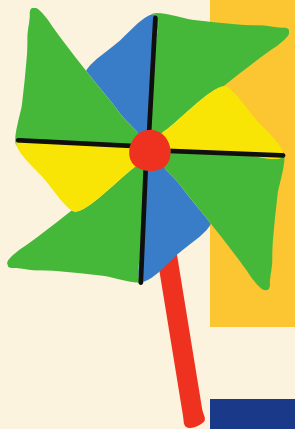
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Guidelines for newcomers: Educational childcare services

In Quebec, the ministère de la Famille deploys a network of educational childcare services, which welcome children aged 0-5 years. There are two categories of services:



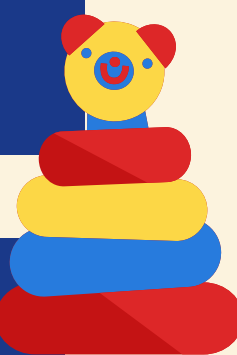
SUBSIDIZED BY THE MINISTRY	8.70\$/day (fees in 2022)
NOT SUBSIDIZED BY THE MINISTRY	Variable pricing, refundable tax credit



Ministry-subsidized childcare spaces are not available to asylum seekers, persons without status or CUAET holders arriving from Ukraine.

Non-subsidized childcare services are accessible regardless of parents' immigration status, but fees can be costly (40\$ or more per day).

There is an alternative resource to these childcare services, less expensive and accessible to families regardless of their immigration status, called **community drop-in daycare centers** (HGC or "halte-garderie communautaire" in French).

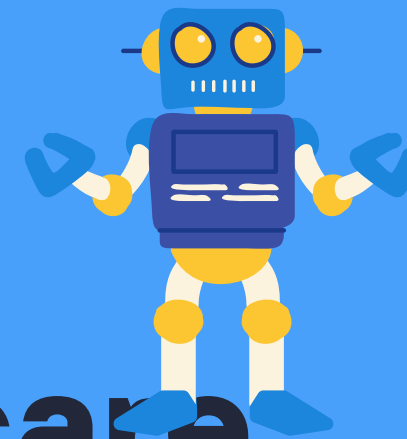
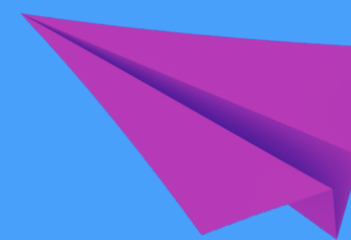


WHAT IS A HALTE-GARDERIE COMMUNAUTAIRE (HGC)?

HGCs are educational daycare services offered by a community organization that serves families with young children.



The majority of HGCs operate on a half-day basis. Children attend HGC on an **occasional**, **part-time** or **temporary basis**, depending on the rules and regulations, activities or mandate of the community organization.



How to find a community drop-in daycare center (or HGC)?

1. Go to the website of the ministère de la Famille

Click on the link below to access the **interactive map**

<https://www.mfa.gouv.qc.ca/fr/Famille/tout-pour-nos-enfants/carte/index.aspx>

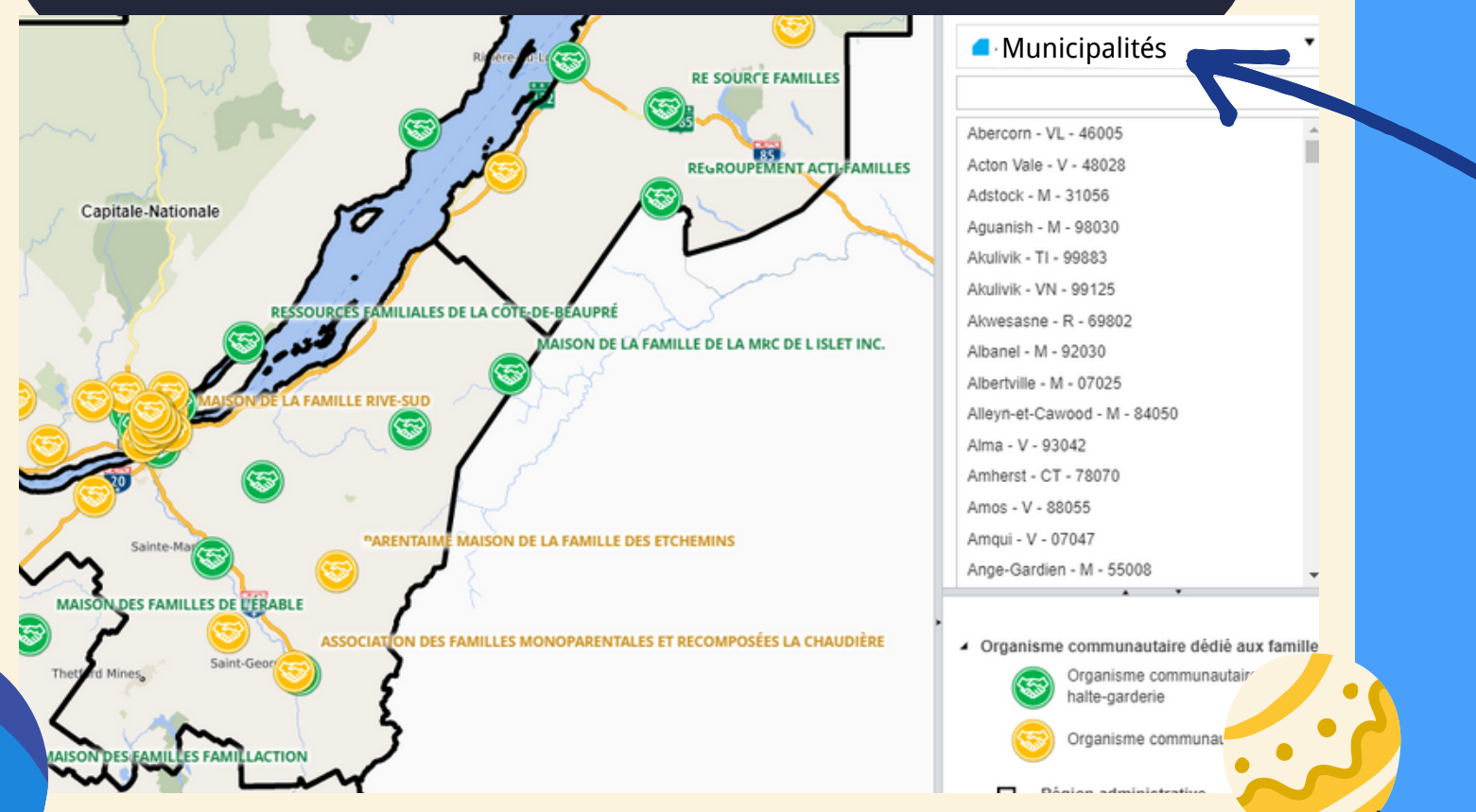
2. Click on **Choisir un jeu de thématiques à partir de la liste**



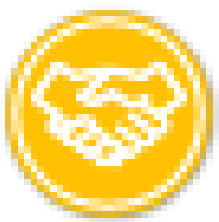
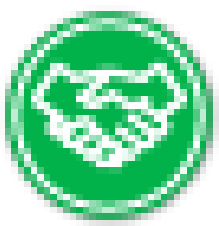
3. Click on **Organismes communautaires dédiés aux familles**



4. Enter the municipality of your choice

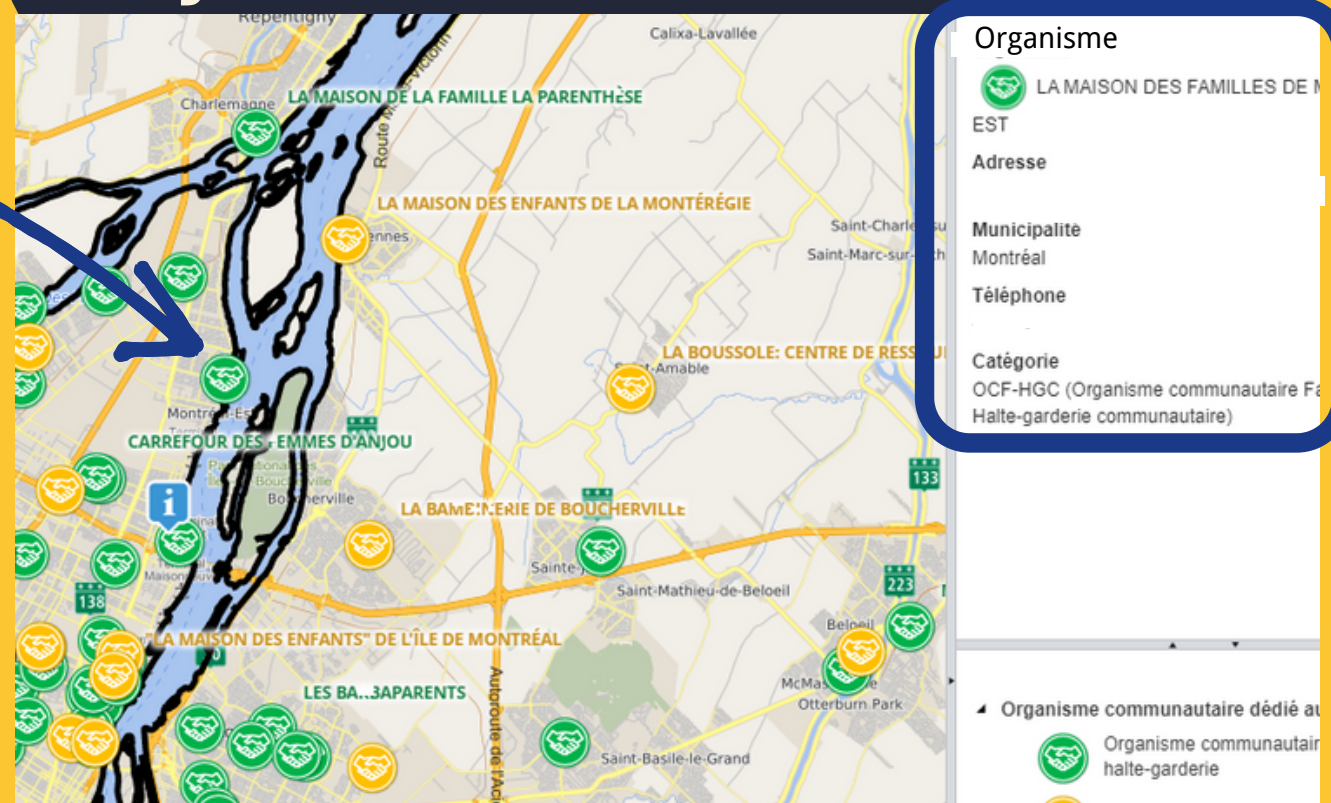


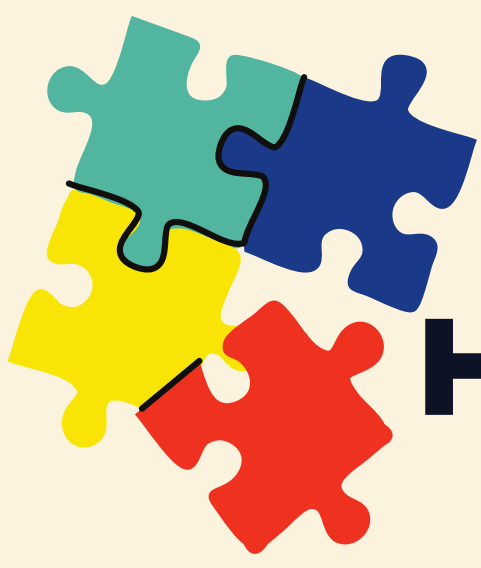
5. Choose an option



Click on a green or yellow dot to see the coordinates of a daycare

6. Contact the selected daycare for more information





How to find a community drop-in daycare center or HGC? (continuation)

The AHGCQ supports families by promoting services for children and their parents



1. Visit the website of the AHGCQ

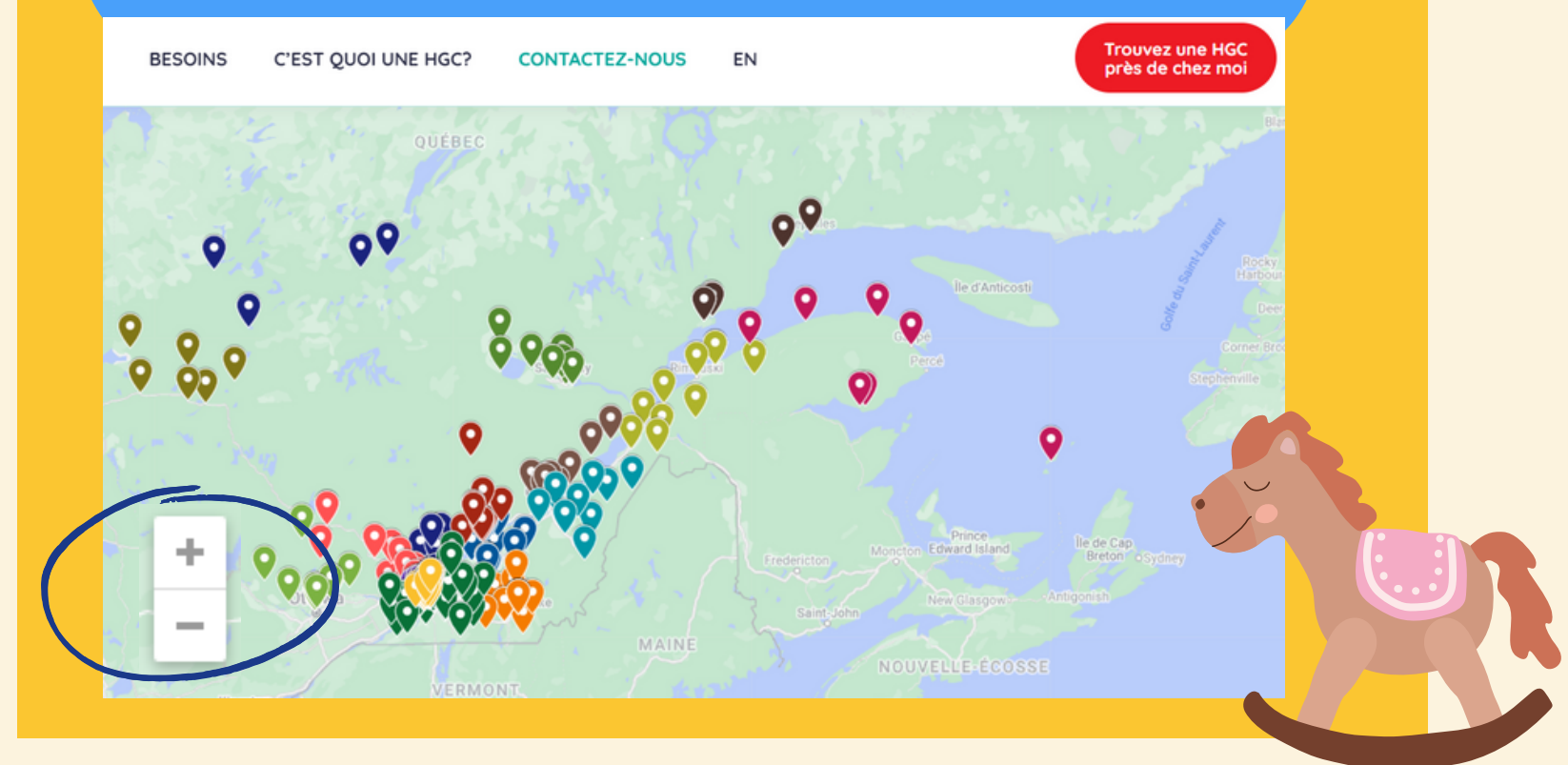
Click on the link below to access the Association des haltes-garderies communautaires du Québec

<https://gardeatypique.org>

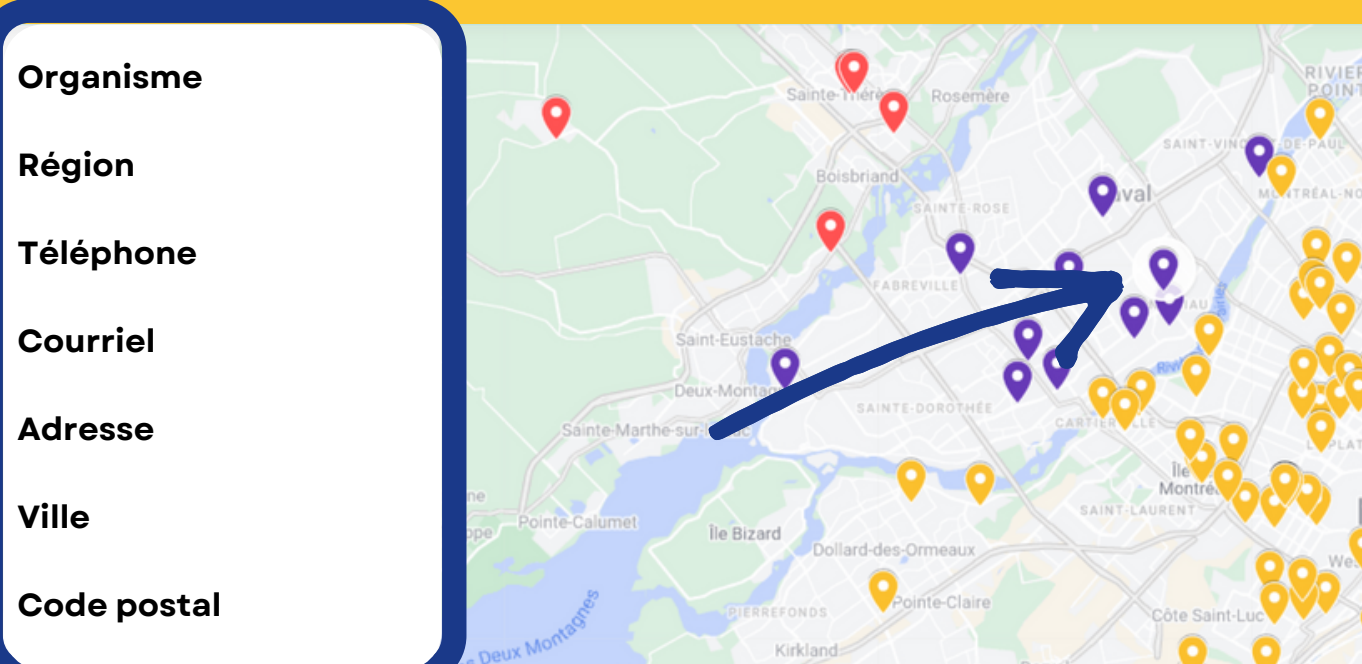
2. Click on the menu TROUVER UNE HGC PRÈS DE CHEZ MOI



3. Click on the + PLUS to enlarge the map and choose a municipality



4. Click on the daycare of your choice



5. Visit the indicated website or contact the daycare to get more information

