



WELCOME

WORKSHOP MOST PARENTS WANT TO BE INVOLVED

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What we try to achieve today

- Share experiences working with parents within the VRAC project
- Look positively at parents and believe in a partnership with parents
- Share theories / points of view on building a good partnership with parents as professionals
- Share good practice, be inspired and share recommendations with others



SOL – Leiden - NL

- SOL – Youth organisation in Leiden
- 6 Different districts
- Connection between youth, parents, schools and other partners



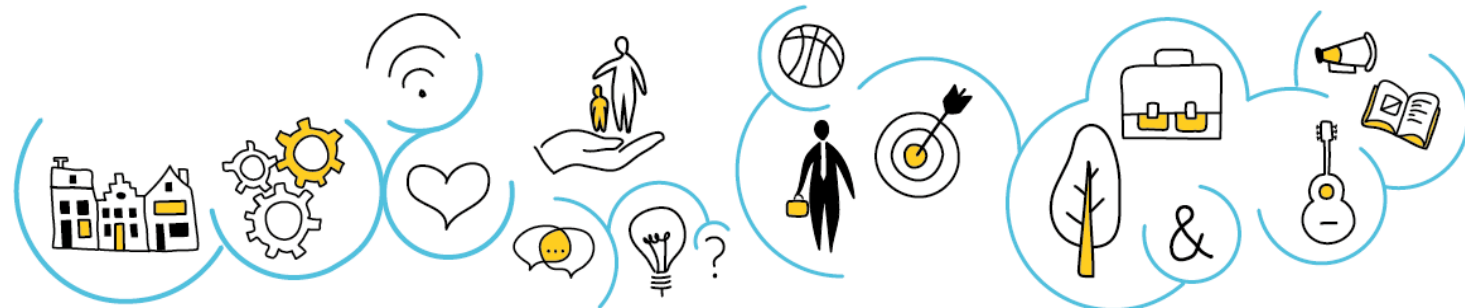
Netsterk – Mechelen - BE

- Netsterk in Mechelen
 - Support for (vulnerable) parents aiming to enhance the opportunities of their children in education – *(based upon wraparound care)*
 - Single point of contact for professionals – *(based upon new authority)*
 - Trajectories developed to enhance parental involvement in a school setting – e.g. sterk(h)ouders



Our experiences so far...

MOST PARENTS WANT TO BE INVOLVED



MOST PARENTS...

ARE CURIOUS



MOST PARENTS ...

WANT TO MEET EXPECTATIONS



MOST PARENTS...

WANT YOU TO TAKE GOOD CARE OF THEIR CHILDREN



MOST PARENTS ...

ARE LOYAL TO THEIR CHILDREN



MOST PARENTS...

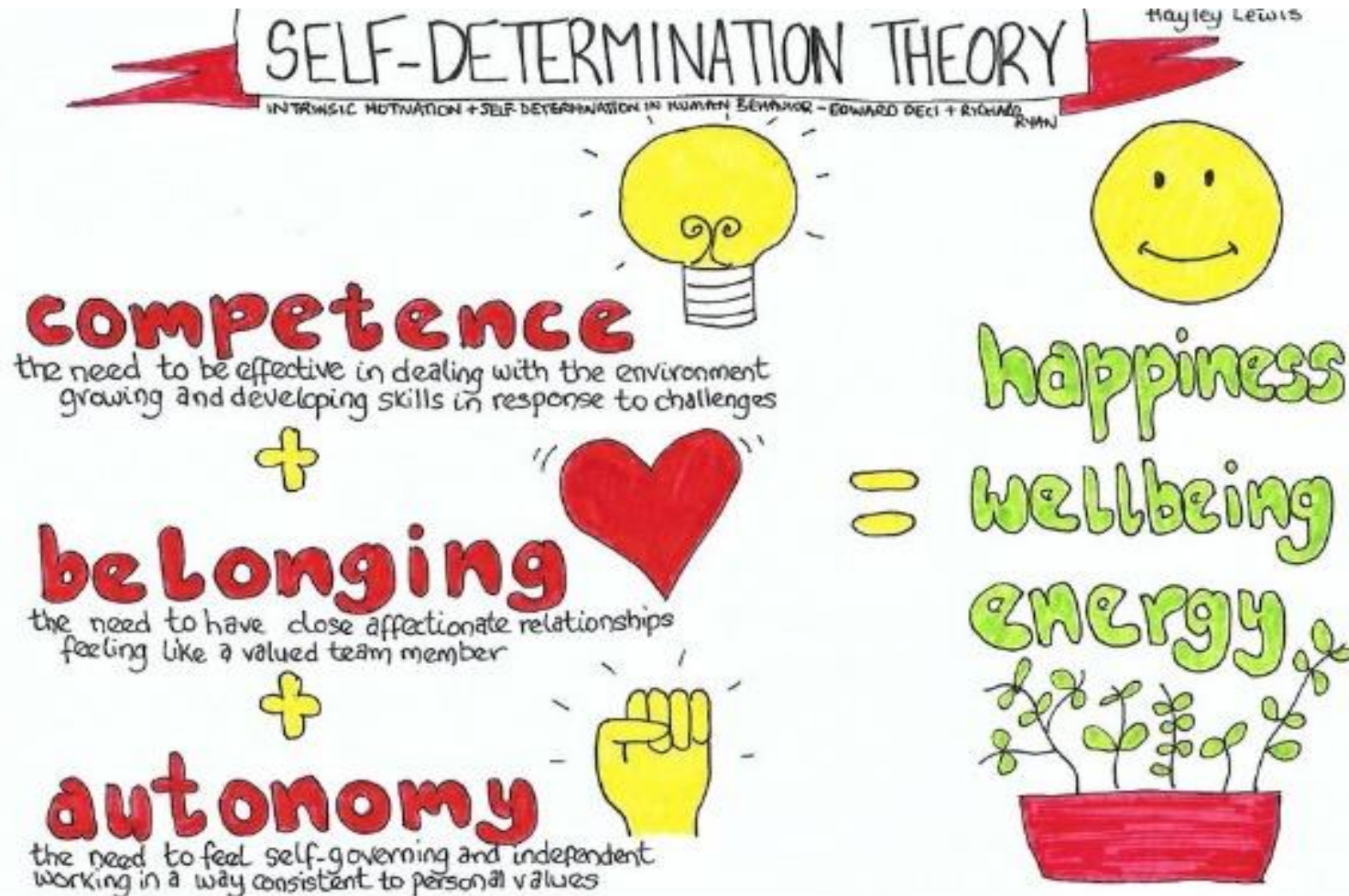
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Move from parental involvement to **partnership with parents**.

Let's try to increase their intrinsic motivation.



Self-determination theorie – Deci & Ryan



EXERCISE

Do you feel...

Competent?

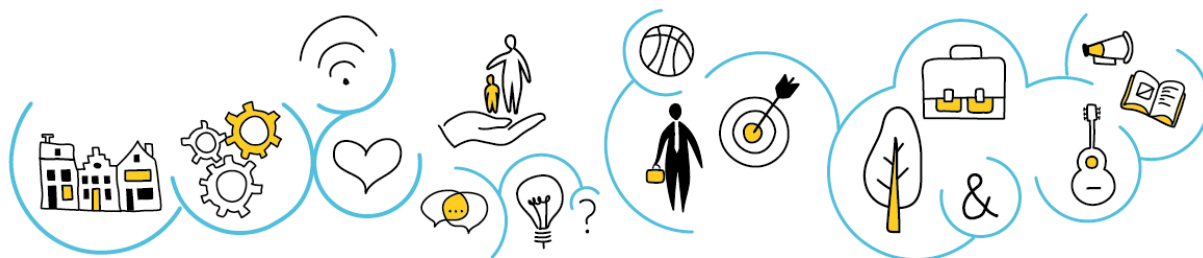
Involved?

Independent?



Learn from each other

What advice / recommendations / good practice
can you share?





THANK YOU!

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