

Want to create a **GOOD SCHOOL?**

Let the Good School Toolkit guide you through the process.

The Toolkit has three components:

Imagining a Good School!

Learning about a Good School!

Creating a Good School!

These three components are designed to work hand-in-hand to help you create a *Good School!*

How do I begin?
What do I do first?

1. Start with developing your own ideas about what a good school could be. *Imagining a Good School!* component of the Toolkit will guide you through this part.

2. Talk with a few key people to get them interested and gain their support. The *Introduction* will help you develop key talking points and show you how to present your ideas.

3. Become familiar with what steps you need to take to start creating a good school. The *Creating a Good School!* component of the Toolkit will guide you through this part.

4. Assemble a small core group and start learning about what makes a good school and how you could create one. The *Learning about a Good School!* component of the Toolkit will guide you through this part.

5. Develop an Action Plan that charts key actions you will take, who will be responsible for action and when each one will be accomplished to create a good school. The 'tools' within this Toolkit will help you through this part.

6. Involve as many people as possible in the process by sharing materials and ideas and by fostering a dialogue at your school. The interest, enthusiasm and energy of the people at your school will help you through this part.

Violence-free childhood is everyone's right!

Zero tolerance of Corporal Punishment!

You may find this useful!

- Start a fresh notebook and record your ideas as you read and learn. You may want to reserve the front part to record new things you learn and the back for your ideas on how to implement them in your school.
- Familiarise yourself with 'Imagining a Good School!' component before you start talking to people.
- Read each component all the way through before attempting to use it. It helps to have an overview before you get into the details of it.

- You don't have to memorise or follow the ideas exactly. They are just suggestions for you to think about how you would like to create a Good School.
- If you need any help or have experiences you would like to share with others who are thinking about how to create a Good School, get in touch with us at goodschools@raisingvoices.org

We are here in the toolkit to help you!

Are you ready to start?