

STRIKE PLEDGE: WHAT'S NEXT.....



You DID IT! Amazing job building member power! Achieving 65% on the strike pledge is no easy task - it's a true reflection of all of your hard work paying off. Your members are engaged and are ready to fight back!

Now it's time to use the strike pledge to pressure your employer and the Conservative government so that we can make real gains at the bargaining table.

WHAT TO DO WITH YOUR STRIKE PLEDGE:

1. Collect all of the strike pledges from your local's site leads.
2. Track members that have signed the strike pledge in your organizing chart.
3. Note which workplaces had high or low participation.
4. Scan the strike pledge as one PDF document and send it to your CUPE Communications rep scarranco@cupe.ca

Once you have all the pledges in order and a copy saved, it's time to brainstorm!

ORGANIZED, EMPOWERED, AND MOVING FORWARD:

- Meet with your Local Executive to decide on a strike pledge action.
- Scan the QR code to sign up for one of three Zoom sessions on "how to delegate the Employer and local MPP" to brainstorm ideas with other locals.
- Consider working with other CUPE education locals for bigger impact.
- Report back to your members that you have reached a majority and mobilize members to participate in the action(s) you organize!

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SIGN UP FOR A ZOOM SESSION TO BRAINSTORM ACTION WITH OTHER LOCALS:

- February 17, 2026 6:00 p.m. English
- February 26, 2026 6:00 p.m. English
- March 3, 2026 6:00 p.m. English
- March 10, 2026 6:00 p.m. Français
- March 12, 2026 6:00 p.m. English



STRIKE PLEDGE ACTION COULD INCLUDE:

- Create a poster with all of your local's signatures and put them up on bulletin boards in the workplace – visible workplace power!
- A delegation of members to deliver the pledge to the Employer.
- Bring the strike pledge to the local bargaining table.
- A delegation of members to deliver the pledge to a local PC MPP.
- Picket outside the school board and/or local PC MPP office.
- Reach out to your OSBCU member organizer for outreach material for pickets/rally.
- Support other education locals at their actions.
- Coordinate with your OSBCU member organizer and your Communications rep Shannon Carranco at scarranco@cupe.ca about strategies to get media attention at your actions.
- Take pictures and videos of your delegation to the Employer or local PC MPPs and send them to info@osbcu.ca

EXAMPLE OF STRIKE PLEDGE SIGNATURE POSTER:

