

To: ETFO Thames Valley Teacher Local Members
From: Craig Smith, President, ETFO Thames Valley Teacher Local (ETFO TVTL)
Date: May 16, 2025
Regarding: **Weekly Update 32**

Provincial Budget

Accompanying this update is a link to the ETFO Provincial statement regarding the Ontario Budget that was tabled on Thursday, May 15.

ETFO Collective Bargaining Survey

Accompanying this update is information regarding the ETFO Provincial Collective Bargaining Survey.

TVDSB Supervisor

TVDSB has been placed under supervision, as per Education Act, Division D (Supervision of Boards' Financial Affairs).

TVDSB senior administration continue to work with the Supervisor, who answers directly to the Minister of Education. This arrangement continues until the Minister of Education and the Cabinet determine that the affairs of the board no longer need to be administered under Division D of the Education Act.

Upcoming Events

- Workplace Stewards' Meeting – May 21, 2025
- ETFO Golf Tournament – May 24, 2025
- The Magic of Menopause Workshop – June 5, 2025
- Local Leaders Appreciation Event – June 19, 2025
- London Majors Baseball Game – June 20, 2025

Communication Protocol

Teachers are reminded that the **Communication Protocol** remains in effect, **from** Friday, May 16 at 6:00 p.m. **until** Monday, May 19 at 6:00 p.m.

The Board's **Disconnecting from Work Employee Procedure** came into effect on Thursday, June 2 in compliance with the **Working for Workers Act, 2021**.

Violations of the **Communication Protocol** and the **TVDSB Disconnecting from Work Procedure** must be reported to the Local office immediately.

Duty of the Local

- Defend the **Collective Agreement** and the rights of Teachers under it.
- Ensure that the provisions of the **Occupational Health and Safety Act** are enforced.
- Bring to the attention of TVDSB ongoing Teacher concerns, with the expectation that these concerns will be taken seriously and resolved quickly.
- Communicate with Teachers in a clear, concise, and timely manner

Happy Victoria Day Weekend to all.

For more information regarding this *Communiqué* please contact the Local office by phone at 519-474-3150, or by email at etfotvtl@etfothamesvalley.com