



Conseil des
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de l'Est de l'Ontario

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Dear Parents and Guardians

The Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE), which represents school custodians, and administrative and technical staff at the Conseil des Écoles Publiques de l'Est de l'Ontario (CEPEO), announced on October 30 its intention to take a general strike action beginning at midnight on Friday, November 4, 2022.

This afternoon, the Ontario government introduced legislation entitled the *Keeping Students in School Act*. If passed, this legislation would put an end to the union's work action.

At this time, our schools remain open. We continue to monitor the situation closely and will contact you promptly as soon as we have new information.

I thank you for your trust and wish you a great week.

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Director of Education