WHAT'S REALLY PROTECTING YOU?

Some think the law protects everyone in Ontario equally, so collective agreements are no longer necessary. Think again. The *Employment Standards Act* includes exemptions that result in fewer protections at work for teachers and occasional teachers. ETFO collective agreements correct this inequity created by legislation.

Employment Standards Act

ETFO Collective Agreements



Teachers and occasional teachers are NOT entitled to minimum wage.



Your collective agreement ENSURES a salary that reflects your professional status.





Teachers and occasional teachers are NOT entitled to rest periods or breaks.



Your collective agreement ENSURES you get prep time to support your teaching.





Teachers and occasional teachers are NOT entitled to a lunch period.



Your collective agreement ENSURES you get daily lunch breaks.





Teachers and occasional teachers are NOT entitled to public holidays.



Your collective agreement ENSURES you don't have to work on public holidays.





Teachers and occasional teachers are NOT entitled to limits on hours of work.



Your collective agreement ENSURES there are limits to instructional and supervision time.





Teachers and occasional teachers are NOT entitled to the same personal leave provisions as other workers.



Your collective agreement ENSURES you have access to personal leave days.









YOUR COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT PROTECTS YOU, EVEN WHEN THE LAW DOESN'T.

That's why your support for ETFO when it bargains strong collective agreements is so important.

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