



SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 73 (KAMLOOPS / THOMPSON)

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE TEACHERS' JOB ACTION

September 6, 2011

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The British Columbia Teachers' Federation, the union representing teachers across the province, has served notice of a Job Action effective Saturday, September 3rd, 2011 and in all schools beginning today, September 6th, 2011.

During this phase of the Job Action, teachers will not be carrying out the supervision of students, outside of regularly scheduled classes. This means that teachers will not supervise students during recess, before and after school, which may impact some extra-curricular activities. Classes will continue in regular session.

The Board wishes to assure parents that, for the duration of this Job Action, principals, vice-principals and other management staff will carry out the supervision of students. Current supervision schedules and adult-to-student supervision ratios will be maintained.

Parents will be advised of any changes affecting this Job Action.

The Board will post regular updates and notices on its website at www.sd73.bc.ca. Please view the website for continued information and listen to the local media for current news bulletins.

The Board wishes to assure you that every effort will be made to minimize the impact of this dispute and hopes that it will be resolved quickly.

Yours truly,

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Superintendent

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