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CUPE 3742 Report to District P.A.C.

CUPE 3742 submits our Startup Information to share with your team below. Although our information could be seen as some Advocacy, we have included other start-up information in this report as well.

Education Assistants: We have seen a slight decrease in EA hours, which ranges from 1 – 3 hours a week. We expect that once school organization is complete and the 1701 count is submitted, we will see the hours reinstated in mid to late October.

Clerical supports: Some elementary schools have lost a 20-hour school clerical support, but again, these schedules are fluid until the final 1701 count.

IE Workers: Indigenous Education is seeing some very positive internal changes and staffing for CUPE to support Indigenous workers remains stable. We continue to advocate for more Indigenous Education workers to better serve their assigned students with a target ratio of 50 students to 1 IEW.

Custodians: Although daytime Elementary School custodians have been sent back to their afternoon shifts, we are pleased to say there are 2 'roving' daytime custodians in addition to the full staff of afternoon shift custodians. The daytime 'rovers' will be working on-call to clean and disinfect day time spills, body fluids or safety clean up calls.

H&S: The site Health and Safety meetings have at least 1 CUPE representative serving on each site committee.

The start up has been relatively smooth, and our members have been extremely vigilant in following the PHO orders. There has been no shortage of PPE or cleaning supplies.

We ask that parents please refrain from emailing CUPE members regarding masks, vaccines, PPE or PHO safety protocols. CUPE 3742 members MUST take their direction from the Employer, and any communication should be addressed to the Employer, not individual CUPE members.

Respectfully submitted,

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