



Stronger Together

2016 March 30

Staff Rep Weekly

Please share this important information with all VESTA members

Dates to Remember

Meetings at VESTA office 4pm unless otherwise indicated

April 4
Health and Safety Committee

April 5
Executive Committee

April 12
Executive Committee

April 19
Staff Rep Assembly

April 26
Executive Committee

March 31 Deadline

Part-time teachers wishing to increase their FTE at their current school must notify their principals using Request for Increase/Change in Teaching Time for desired FTE for September 2016. A copy of the form (with both teacher and administrator signatures) **must** be received in HR before 4:30m on March 31.

NOTE: If there are layoffs, employees will not be able to increase their teaching time as per Article C.20.3.c.

March 31 is also the deadline to apply for leaves of one year or longer to begin in September 2016. Application must be made in writing and submitted to Human Resources by March 31.

April 15 Curriculum Implementation Non-Instructional Day

The next Curriculum Implementation non-instructional day is approaching soon. Your staff may want to consider having a VESTA meeting to help you plan for the next day. You could provide feedback on the last day to your facilitation team and help them plan for the second day. Remember that this is time set aside for teachers to explore the revised curriculum in the way that best meets their needs.

April 15 – National Day of Action

Join workers across Canada in the call for a \$15 minimum wage or come in the morning of April 1 to the Fight for \$15 Day of Action.

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