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OSSTF Certification: 1-800-267-7277
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Teachers' Pension Plan: 416-226-2700
College of Teachers: 416-961-8800
1-888-534-2222
Education Financial Group: 1-800-263-9541
Guidance Resources Program: 1-855-498-9420
OTIP Benefits services: 1-866-783-6847
Posaction Plus: 1-800-668-0193



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What does OSSTF offer?

The Teaching Profession Act requires all secondary teachers employed by Ontario public school boards to be members of the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation.

Protection

Teachers and education workers need the protection of a strong collective agreement, actively enforced through grievance whenever necessary. OSSTF/FEESO collective agreements guarantee that you will be treated fairly by your employer, including negotiated protections for how you will be evaluated, your salary and benefits, and all-important workload provisions which protect learning conditions for all secondary students.

Member Services

As an OSSTF/FEESO member, you have ready access to a wide range of services. They span the personal, professional and protective needs of all members.

OTIP Services



CAREpath

▶ THE CANCER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

CAREpath provides a program that gives clear advice, information and support to individuals who have been diagnosed with cancer. www.carepath.ca



Posaction Plus provides you with up to 12 hours of confidential psychosocial assistance service. It offers professional support for guiding you through the problem-solving process. They offer support for a variety of issues that can impact our well being such as: stress, anxiety, relationship issues, alcohol or drug

abuse. Every member receives up to 12 hours of counselling per contract year, per issue. If you need help call 1-800-668-0193, when you call identify yourself as an OTIP member and have your OTIP long term disability group insurance contract number.



One in 5 Canadians suffers from some type of mental health issue. **FeelingBetterNow** is a web-based mental health care program designed to assist in the prevention, early diagnosis and ongoing management of common emotional and mental health issues.

EdVantage

EdVantage is a rewards program exclusive to Ontario's Education community. Companies associated with EdVantage include; Goodlife Fitness, Apple, Maple Leaf Sports, CAA, Great-wolf Lodge. Go to www.edvantage.ca to see all the deals!

Local Services

At District 16, we have full time staff at our office who are here to provide you individually with advice and assistance. Specific services available to Members include:

- support through discipline
- assistance with TPA process
- benefit and LTD assistance
- contract maintenance
- negotiations
- health and safety inspections and support
- Excellence in Education Grants - Each year the District 16 OSSTF Excellence in Education Committee provides grant money for projects that showcase the abilities and accomplishments of secondary school students in York Region within the com-

munity. See the D16 website for further details.

- Conference funding - \$100 is available per member per year. Application and guidelines are available on the D16 website.

Provincial office services

OSSTF/FEESO's Provincial Office operates in three major areas: protective services, educational services and communications/political action as well as all certification issues. Provincial office provides support and assistance to all local bargaining units upon request in all OSSTF/FEESO activities.

Certification

If you are a teacher or an occasional teacher and have not applied for an OSSTF/FEESO Certification Rating Statement, visit osstf.on.ca for an application form. The Rating Statement will determine your placement on the salary grid in the teacher collective agreement.

Whom to call...

Do you have problems, concerns, questions? Do you need advice, or assistance?

At the School:

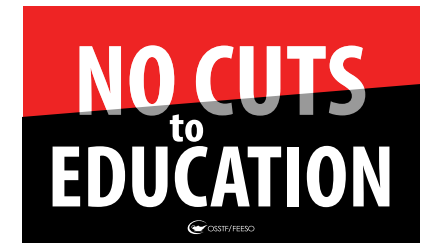
Talk to your Branch President

From the District Office:

Visit www.d16.osstf.ca or call 905-836-5954 or 416-324-3277

From the Provincial Office:

Visit www.osstf.ca or call 1-800-267-8767



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