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Hearing Dates at the Ontario Labour Relations Board (OLRB) on Central Scope

The Ontario Labour Relations Board (OLRB) has set dates to hear arguments regarding items in dispute for central scope in the current round of negotiations. The OLRB will determine what disputed issues will be negotiated centrally and what will be negotiated locally in the current round of bargaining as set out in the School Boards Collective Bargaining Act (SBCBA).

Hearing dates involving OSSTF/FEESO include:

- Teacher/Occasional Teachers – September 29, October 5, 8, 14, 15, and 23.
- Education Workers – October 6, 21, 27, and 28.

Hearings for all unions are scheduled to conclude by October 30.

No decisions will be issued until all hearings have concluded. We anticipate that we will receive decisions from the OLRB in mid-November.

Until we receive a decision from the OLRB, parties will not be able to exchange proposals at the bargaining tables and begin formal negotiations.

Make sure OSSTF/FEESO has your current personal contact information and stay informed.

The weeks and months ahead will be important. Members need to receive timely information about bargaining, information meetings, actions, and other developments. Also, you will need your Membership ID number to login to the provincial website for a ratification vote or potential strike vote.

If you are not receiving regular updates from OSSTF/FEESO or if you are unable to login to the membership portal on the provincial website, please email membership-database@osstf.ca to confirm that you are in our database and that we have your current contact information.

Local meetings are now taking place across the province where you can get more information on the bargaining process and next steps. Check out the calendar in the Member section of the Underfunded website for meeting dates.

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You can join our province-wide campaign at underfunded.ca and share your story. Real Ontario students will help bring those experiences to life on camera and show Ontarians what underfunding actually means for our schools.

You can also follow our new Underfunded campaign social media profiles on Instagram and TikTok for updates, information, and ways to take action.

The Bargaining Bulletins are now available on the *myOSSTF* section of the OSSTF/FEESO website. Please check *myOSSTF* for updates.