

Media Release

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All Secondary Schools Closed to Students on December 4 Due to One-Day Strike by OSSTF

Brantford Ont. – On November 28, the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation (OSSTF) announced that escalated job action in the form of a one-day, Province-wide strike will take place on Wednesday, December 4.

As a result, all Grand Erie secondary schools will be closed to students on December 4. All secondary schools will re-open to students on December 5 following the one-day strike by OSSTF.

"Grand Erie remains hopeful that an agreement with OSSTF can be reached soon," said Greg Anderson, Chair of the Grand Erie District School Board. "In the meantime, we want to thank our students and families for their continued patience and understanding during these uncertain times."

For the latest labour updates and information, visit: <u>www.granderie.ca</u> or follow the Board on Twitter (<u>@GEDSB</u>).

Grand Erie District School Board represents more than 26,000 students in 58 elementary and 14 secondary schools within the City of Brantford and the Counties of Brant, Haldimand, and Norfolk as well as secondary students from Six Nations of the Grand River and Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation.

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