

Memorandum



Date: August 20, 2025

To: Prairie Land School Community

From: Cam McKeage, Superintendent of Schools

Subject: Job Action

In June, the Alberta Teachers' Association (ATA) reported that 94.5% of participating teachers voted in favour of potential strike action. Prairie Land Public School Division is continuing its planning for the start of the school year on August 27. We know the uncertainty is challenging for families, and we will share any new information with you as soon as it becomes available.

If the ATA decides to begin job action that affects the school day, the union must provide school boards with 72 hours' notice. The ATA has 120 days from the strike vote to initiate job action unless a resolution is reached with the Teachers' Employer Bargaining Association (TEBA).

Prairie Land respects the bargaining process. Central (provincial) bargaining occurs between the ATA and TEBA (which negotiates on behalf of school boards and the Government of Alberta). If there are any changes to school instruction or operations, we will update families and staff by email and on our website.

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