



REPORT YOUR ABSENCE

Use **code 183** to report your absence and request TTOC coverage, if needed.



TRANSLINK – CANADA LINE

The office is a 15 minute walk from Olympic Village Station, located on West 6th at Cambie Street.

REGISTER BY **OCTOBER 15.**

Each training day has a unique QR Code and Registration Link. See below the workshop descriptions.



Day at a Glance

8:45am Continental Breakfast

9:00 am Land Acknowledgment

9:15 am Workshop—AM

11:45 am Lunch on Your Own

12:45 pm Workshop—PM

3:00 pm Adjournment

VSTA

School Union Rep Training

OCTOBER 20, 21, 22

VSTA OFFICE

505—63 W. 6TH AVENUE

8:45 am—3:00 pm

Each training day includes a morning & afternoon workshop.

Training is open to School Union Team members & committee reps; up to 3 reps per school per day.

Space is limited—first come, first served.

Online registration is required
BY OCTOBER 15TH.

See reverse for the registration links / QR codes for each day.

Monday, October 20

ROLE OF STAFF REP (AM)

This workshop will prepare staff reps for their work with members in schools. They will learn about their rights as a staff rep, learn how to represent members in initial conversations with school administrators, and become familiar with the format and content of the provincial and local collective agreement.

CONTRACT AWARENESS (PM)

This workshop is designed to familiarize staff reps and the school union team with the restored collective agreement language following our Supreme Court of Canada win. The facilitator will guide participants through the local's restored language, then use case studies to show how the language will be applied at the school level.

To register for **MONDAY, Oct 20th**
use this link or QR code.

https://questionnaire.simplesurvey.com/f/s/OCT_20_SURT



Tuesday, October 21

CONTRACT AWARENESS (AM)

This workshop is designed to familiarize staff reps and the school union team with the restored collective agreement language following our Supreme Court of Canada win. The facilitator will guide participants through the local's restored language, then use case studies to show how the language will be applied at the school level.

ASSERTIVE COMMUNICATION: Positive Interactions (PM)

This workshop teaches the key principles of communication by exploring the differences between passive, aggressive, and assertive communication styles. Participants will develop skills through a variety of exercises, role play and practice, in order to effectively communicate in their classroom, schools, union work, or personal lives.

To register for **TUESDAY, Oct 21st**
use this link or QR code.

https://questionnaire.simplesurvey.com/f/s/OCT_21_SURT



Wednesday, October 22

PROFESSIONAL BOUNDARY ISSUES: Teacher/student relationships (AM)

Sometimes the standards of conduct between students and teachers are ambiguous. Teachers place themselves in jeopardy when boundaries are crossed. This workshop helps school staffs and TTOCs identify the boundaries and provides them with support and resources. Reference will be made to the BCTF Code of Ethics.

SOCIAL MEDIA (PM)

The social media workshop is designed to educate teachers about the professional and ethical use of social media tools like Facebook and Twitter. The workshop reviews the wide-ranging landscape of social media through the lens of appropriate boundaries and professional conduct. Participants will learn about the value of engaging online as an activist and educator, best practices, and appropriate privacy settings.

To register for **WEDNESDAY, Oct 22nd**
use this link or QR code.

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