

PTU COMMUNICATION – September 6, 2024

Dear Colleagues,

The Council of Commissioners has approved a new calendar for the Continuing Education Sector for this current academic year (2024-2025).

Our new collective agreement includes changes regarding teacher-driven pedagogical days:

- We now have two teacher-driven pedagogical days (an increase from one). As before, the content of these teacher-driven pedagogical days is **determined by the individual teacher**: no meetings may be imposed by administration or others.
- The pedagogical days that have been designated for 2024-2025 are two of your local centre-level pedagogical days. Your centre's staff council should be consulted on which of your local pedagogical days are identified this way.
- New for 2024-2025: the teacher may also determine the location in which they complete their work on these two teacher-driven pedagogical days. Teachers may come to work or may choose to work from home: the choice is yours!
- New for 2024-2025: another pedagogical day must also be designated on which the school board determines the content, but the individual teacher chooses the location to do their work. The school board has chosen to designate the QPAT Convention pedagogical day of October 18, 2024 in such a way.

Please do not hesitate to contact us at the PTU Office with any questions or concerns and look for a communication next week with additional changes to the new collective agreement to be aware of.

All the best,



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PTU President