Educational Assistants Association

E-News Updates



Further to the "Violence in Schools Survey" that was sent out to our Membership in February 2024, we are starting a campaign for the month of May. Several Education Union groups within our community are participating in this endeavour.

We have buttons for all of our Members to wear, as outlined in the document below. If you are a KEY Member, please let Laura Parker know how many EA and CYW Members you have at your schools so we can send Stop School Violence buttons out to you. If you do not have a KEY Member in your school, please reach out to our office (office@wrdsbeaa.com) if you are willing to have buttons sent to you, so that you can hand them out to your EA and CYW co-workers.

Thank you for your participation.

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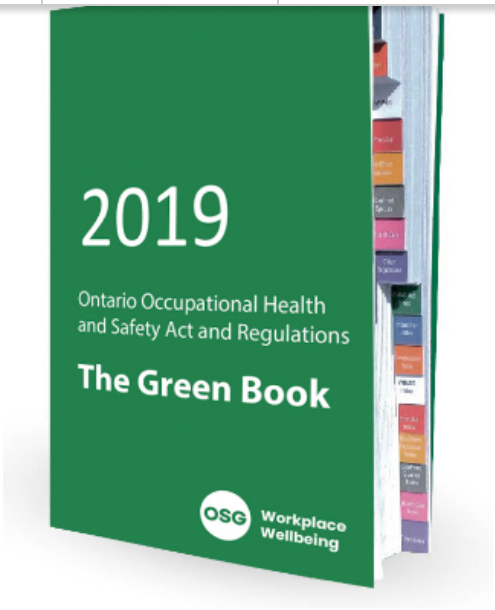
TIE represents affiliated education workers in the Region of Waterloo's publicly funded schools.

We are the unifying voice that raises the profile of public education in Waterloo Region.

The education workers in the Region of Waterloo want to shine a light on the violence that is happening in our workplaces. As a public show of solidarity on this topic, we are asking that all employees of the Waterloo Catholic and Waterloo Public Boards wear a "Stop School Violence" button every day beginning on May 1, 2024 and continue till our media event on May 23, 2024. More information about the media event will come soon.

On Fridays we are asking that in addition to wearing your button that you wear green, the colour of the Occupational Health and Safety Act, to further bring the issue of school-based violence into the public conversation.



Thank you for taking part in this important initiative.

If anyone asks about the button, or the green clothing, you can say, “It is in support of safe workplaces for workers and safe learning places for students.”

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