

FEBRUARY 2018

IMPORTANT DATES AND REMINDERS



Meeting for Youth Sector Teachers—Voluntary Transfer (Post-to-Post Exchange)



PTU will be holding a meeting on Wednesday, March 21, 2018 at 4:30 PM at the PTU Office, for teachers from the Youth Sector who wish to request a voluntary transfer by exchanging their post with another teacher in the Lester B. Pearson School Board.

PTU would like to facilitate voluntary transfers for teachers who would like to exchange posts by connecting those teachers. This meeting is only for full-time (tenure) teachers in the Youth Sector.

If you are interested in attending this meeting or if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Ann Granger at the PTU office at 514-426-4949 or by email to agranger@lbpearson.ca.

50%-50% CHOICE for tenure and tenure track teachers:

If you work at 2 different schools or in 2 different categories with equal % of workload, you may choose the category or the school under which you would like to appear on the official seniority list. A form must be completed and returned to Human Resources. **Forms are available on the SSO System under the Human Resources section, under the Staffing tab and must be submitted by February 15, 2018.**

Staffing Timeline: Youth Sector:

The staffing timeline for the 2018-2019 school year is posted on the SSO System under the Human Resources section under Staffing.

Parental Rights

PTU is organizing an information session on parental rights on Tuesday, March 27, 2018 at 4:30 PM. Teachers interested in attending this session should contact Ann Granger at PTU at 514-426-4949 or by email to agranger@lbpearson.ca

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DELEGATES ASSEMBLY No. 6

February 21 at 4:30 PM at Lakeside

DELEGATES ASSEMBLY No. 7

March 28 at 4:30 PM at John Rennie

For a complete list of upcoming dates and locations, visit our website at :

[Delegates' Assemblies](#)

Upcoming New Teachers Workshops

February 15—"Dealing with Difficult Parents" (at the School Board)

March 15—"Special Needs" (at the School Board)

For more details, visit our website at:

[New Teachers Workshops](#)

or register directly via the SSO system, under Educational Services, under the New Teachers Tab

REMINDER—EXPERIENCE

Recognition of years of experience is to set your salary and your steps. A school year, during which a teacher taught or performed a pedagogical or educational function on a full-time basis in a Québec educational institution recognized by the Ministère, or in a teaching institution under government authority outside Québec, shall be recognized as a year of experience. Teaching time as a part-time teacher, a teacher-by-the-lesson or a casual supply teacher may be accumulated to constitute a year of experience.

REMINDER—SENIORITY

Seniority is your period of employment with the Lester B. Pearson School Board. Seniority shall be determined in terms of years and portions of year. However, time spent as a casual supply teacher shall not be counted.

PTU OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday
8:30 AM to 4:30 PM
Friday
8:30 AM to 4:00 PM

**THE PTU OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FOR
SPRING BREAK (MARCH 5 TO MARCH 9)**

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