



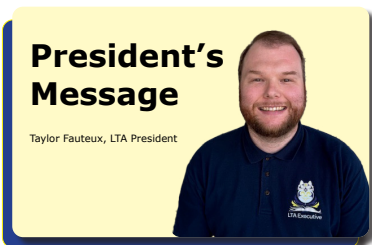
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LTA News

We acknowledge with gratitude and respect that LTA members have the privilege of working on the unceded ancestral territory of the Coast Salish peoples, the Kwantlen, Katzie, Matsqui and Semiahmoo who have cared for this land for thousands of years, and who continue to care for this land.

Dear Colleagues,

Welcome back! I hope that everyone enjoyed a restful and restorative break filled with special moments with your family and friends. Over the next few months, I look forward to working alongside all of you as we navigate Provincial Bargaining as a collective. It is more important than ever that we are united as Langley Teachers, behind the work of our BCTF Bargaining Team.



Our General Meeting on February 2, 2026 will include significant Provincial Bargaining Updates including potential of impasse at the negotiating table. Staff Reps and members will be notified once we have a confirmed location for our General Meeting.

At this General Meeting we will be electing LTA BCTF Annual General Meeting delegates and discussing provincial bargaining. Please consider putting your name forward to attend the BCTF Annual General Meeting on March 14-17 at the Hyatt Regency Vancouver. If interested, please email to reception@langleyteachers.com with your name.

Let's continue to foster an innovative learning environment, supporting one another as we continue to provide educational opportunities for our students. I look forward to seeing everyone at the General Meeting.

Sincerely,
Taylor Fauteux
LTA President

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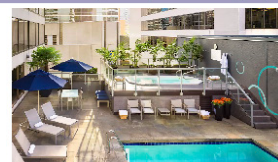
Join us for the BCTF AGM March 14 -17, 2026

Rooms will be booked by the LTA at the Hyatt Vancouver Hotel where the meetings are held



Join your colleagues for an all expenses paid learning experience

25 Spots Available!!



GENERAL MEETING to be held on Monday, February 2nd @ 4pm to elect delegates to attend

BCTF AGM delegates meeting and planning session will be held from 8:45am-2:30pm at the LTA Office on Wednesday February 25, 2026. LOA and lunch will be provided.

Email reception at reception@langleyteachers.com to put your name forward.

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LTA Calendar

- January 21 Joint ProD Cmt Meeting, LTA Office
- January 30 Mentorship Cmt Meeting, LTA Office
- February 2 General Meeting, TBC
- February 4 ECT/TTOC Induction Ceremony/SURT, Ft. Langley Golf Course
- February 6 LTA's over 100 Years Celebration, USW Hall 3:30 - 7:30pm



Hi! I'm Kylie Mantei, and I've been involved with the union since 2019 in a variety of roles. I'm currently serving as your ECT/TTOC Chair and am really excited about the events and opportunities we're bringing members this year.

Outside of the union, I'm a high school teacher at Langley Fine Arts School, now in my 9th year of teaching. I teach the Writing Major, serve as Humanities Department Head, coach Ethics Bowl, and am one of the teacher sponsors of Grad Council.

I'm always happy to connect with fellow teachers, especially around humanities, philosophy, creative projects, or simply sharing ideas and joy in the profession. And who knows... if there are enough fellow Disney enthusiasts out there, maybe an LTA bonding trip to Disneyland could be in our future.

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**MONDAY,
WEAR RED
FOR BCED
AND SHOW YOUR
SUPPORT FOR
OUR BARGAINING
TEAM**

Ideas to Show Solidarity with our BCTF Bargaining Team:

1. Wear Red on Mondays: Share photos of your staff in red or post bargaining updates using the #RedforBCED and #BCTF hashtags to boost the signal.
2. Attend Town Halls: Participate in BCTF or local Zoom bargaining updates.
3. Check Your Personal Email: Ensure your local and the BCTF have your personal email address, so you receive confidential updates.
3. Participate in Letter-Writing Campaigns: Participate in the BCTF's current action by sending a letter to your MLA, the Minister of Finance, and the Premier. These letters emphasize that teacher working conditions are student learning conditions. It Takes a Teacher (<https://act.bctf.ca/ittakesateacher/>)
4. School Walk-ins: Organize a morning "walk-in" where teachers and supporters gather outside the school before the bell and enter the building together as a unified group. Please co-ordinate with the LTA office for support.
5. Attend the General Meeting: Attend our GM on Monday, February 2, 2026, location TBD. High attendance numbers are reported back to the provincial team and demonstrate that the membership is engaged. Carole Gordon, the BCTF President will be attending the meeting. Showing a united front not only strengthens the position of our provincial bargaining team but also signals to the government and the public that the issues at the table—like classroom complexity, recruitment, and retention—are non-negotiable for the profession. Please ensure your actions are in compliance with the Labour Relations Code and follow the specific guidance provided by your BCTF Local. If you have any questions, please email recption@langleyteachers.com.
Sincerely,

The LTA Table Officers

Taylor Fauteux, Nancy Petersen, Kim Miller, Darren Storsley, and Shannon Spence

Registration is open for the Well Teacher Groups

The Well Teacher Groups focus on supporting educators in developing tools and skills related to improving vitality and resiliency. Groups meet virtually once a week for six weeks.

The following dates and times are being offered this winter (all times PST):

Group 1

Tuesdays, January 27-March 3, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Group 2

Tuesdays, January 27-March 3, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Group 3

Wednesdays, January 28-March 4, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Group 4

Wednesdays, January 28-March 4, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Group 5

Thursdays, February 5-March 12, 4:00-6:00 p.m.

All groups are confidential and facilitated by trained health consultants. To register, click on the session above that you would like to join or visit the [Well Teacher Groups information and registration page](#).

Langley Teachers' Association's
over

100 year

Celebration

Please Join Us in Celebrating A
Special Milestone!

FEBRUARY 6, 2026

USW 2009 UNION HALL
9292 200th Street, Langley

3:30pm - 7:30pm

RSVP BY JANUARY 24, 2026
mail@langleyteachers.com

