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ST. CLAIR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS NOT AFFECTED BY LOCAL PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHERS' WORK STOPPAGE

Director of Education Paul Wubben has today sent home with all Catholic elementary school students a letter which makes clear that Catholic schools are not affected by the impending job action announced by local public elementary school teachers.

“I want our parents and guardians to know that this job action is limited to our public school counterparts and in no way impacts the St. Clair Catholic District School Board,” says Mr. Wubben.

“Catholic school teachers will be in their classrooms, Catholic schools will be open and transportation will run as normal.”

The letter was in response to confusion in some school communities, over whether the recently announced job action by the Elementary Teachers' Federation of Ontario impacted Catholic schools.

The Ontario English Catholic Teachers' Association, which represents the province's Catholic teachers, signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Ontario government in July.