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To: All Secondary Teachers  
From: Allyn Janicki

Tuesday January 29th 2019  
Memo #10

**Ontario: Open for Learning Rally against Education Cuts**

*You are cordially invited to attend a public rally*

at

## MPP Doug Downey's Office

20 Bell Farm Road, Barrie Ontario, L4M 6E4

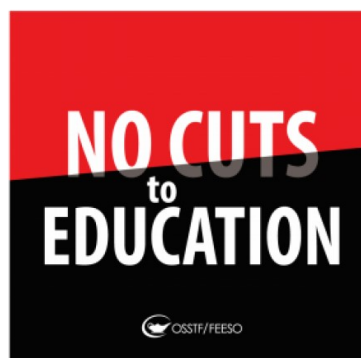
on

**Thursday, February 7<sup>th</sup> 2019**

from

**4:00pm to 5:30pm**

### Why?



The Ford government has proposed cutting the provincial budget by billions of dollars.

DO YOU WANT PREMIER FORD TO PUT OUR WORLD-RECOGNIZED PUBLIC EDUCATION SYSTEM AT RISK BY **CUTTING \$1 BILLION** IN THE NEXT BUDGET?

Click [here](#) to RSVP and pledge your support.

Send a clear message to our MPP's that

**Ontario is Open for Learning**



## Nominations open for OTIP Teaching Awards 2019

Nominations are open for the 2019 awards. The deadline for receipt of nominations is March 31, 2019.

There are three categories of awards: elementary school teacher, secondary school teacher and beginning teacher in the first five years of teaching. A teacher may be nominated by anyone – professional colleagues, students, parents, or the general public.

The Ontario Teachers Insurance Plan (OTIP) and the Ontario Teachers' Federation (OTF) are proud sponsors of the OTIP Teaching Awards. For many years, these awards have recognized the excellence of our teachers in publicly funded education.

Further information is available at [www.teachingawards.ca](http://www.teachingawards.ca).

### **TIPs from OTIP**



#### **What to do if you get in a car accident**

Although you may take every safety precaution possible, the unexpected can still happen. If you find yourself in a car accident, [here](#) are some tips to keep in mind.

#### **Keep your heart beating strong**

February is heart health month, making it the perfect time to learn more about heart disease and how you can help prevent it by living a healthier life.

To learn more, visit [www.otipinsurance.com/article33](http://www.otipinsurance.com/article33)



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