

VOTE TO FIX PUBLIC EDUCATION

Election 2025 – Template Letter to the Editor for locals

DRAFT TITLE: Future of education in Ontario at stake in this election

When I first started my career in education as a **JOB TITLE** in **YEAR**, things were very different than they are now. **INSERT PERSONAL EXAMPLES OF HOW THINGS WERE BETTER FOR STUDENTS WHEN YOU STARTED – KEEP IT BRIEF.**

Fast forward to 2024 under the Ford government, and classes are so big there aren't enough chairs for every student. Sports equipment is falling apart, and art supplies are a luxury. Extreme weather events are causing floods and ceilings to cave in on students.

When we erode public schools, we leave children behind. Children lose critical skills and the freedom to learn and get ahead. Our communities suffer because these students are our future.

But it doesn't need to be this way – in a province as prosperous as Ontario, we can choose to spend money on students, instead of spending billions on **spas in downtown Toronto or putting booze in corner stores** – **EDIT THIS PART FOR TOP ISSUES/CONCERNS IN YOUR LOCAL AREA.** This election let's vote as though our futures depend on it. Because they do.