

# Essential Services

## UPDATE



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## BC Teachers' Federation Serves Notice

Please be advised that BCPSEA has this morning been served notice by the BC Teachers' Federation (BCTF) pursuant to paragraph 2 of the Labour Relations Board Order of February 28, which states:

BCTF members may initiate job action beyond Phase 1 up to and including a full withdrawal from all duties including instructional duties for a maximum of three consecutive instructional days (the "Initial Expanded Job Action") after providing BCPSEA with notice of not less than two school days.

Although not contained in the letter of notice, the BCTF has stated publicly that its members will withdraw services Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of next week.

We will provide further information as events progress. Please contact your BCPSEA labour relations liaison if you have any questions.

### Questions

School districts with questions regarding essential services should contact:

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