

OAKLAND TEACHERS WILL

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APRIL 29--HERE'S WHY:

☒ **Priorities: Strengthen Public Education for Our Kids!**

- Maintain low class sizes so children and teachers can have more effective learning environments!
- Change the spending priorities away from upper administrators and wasteful outside consultants back to kids and the classroom!
- Educate the whole child by keeping music, art and computer classes!



☒ **Recruit and Keep Good Teachers in Oakland!**

- Increase salaries for teachers in Oakland—the lowest in all of Alameda County—to help stop the unacceptably high annual teacher turnover rate!
- Respect for professional educators—stop one-size fits-all curriculum!

How Parents, Students and Community Can Help Oakland Teachers:

1. Please call Superintendent Tony Smith at (510) 879-8200 or e-mail him at tony.smith@ousd.k12.ca.us and OUSD School Board members at (510) 879-8658 to ask them to support a fair contract for our Oakland Teachers!
2. Honor our Oakland Teacher picket lines by not crossing them and by joining us!
3. Help spread the word around Oakland by speaking with other parents and community members about why Oakland teachers have been forced to strike to defend and support your child's education as a civil right!



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