

June 10, 2025

Dear RVS Parents and Guardians,

Today it was announced that the Alberta Teachers' Association (ATA), which represents teachers and school administrators across the province, voted in favour of a strike. A strike vote is a step in the provincial bargaining process which could lead to labour action. If the ATA took labour action they would need to provide 72 hours notice. They would have up to 120 days from now to begin labour action. We do not know if labour action will be taken or how long it could last.

For now, there is no disruption to learning or any changes to normal operations. All RVS schools and facilities remain open and classes and planned activities are continuing as normal.

Please be assured that RVS is actively monitoring the situation between the ATA and the provincial government and is committed to providing families with new information as the process continues.

RVS highly values all our 3,000+ staff and the contributions they make to student success. We respect the bargaining process and remain hopeful that the provincial government and the ATA reach a negotiated settlement. In the event of any changes to school operations, we will inform you as soon as possible via email, our website, and other channels as needed. A <u>Labour Action</u> webpage on our website will be updated as we have more information.

Thank you for your continued understanding and support.

Sincerely,

Greg Luterbach

Superintendent of Schools Rocky View Schools