



Karen Littlewood, OSSTF

Candidate for Vice-President Position Open at Large

Karen Littlewood is a special education teacher from Barrie, Ontario. She has worked in education since 1991. She has been both an elementary and a secondary teacher, a local and a provincial leader. She served as President of the OSSTF/FEESO from 2021-2025 and has recently retired but remains an active Occasional Teacher.

Karen believes that education is the great equaliser and that public education should be available equitably regardless of socioeconomic status, geography, or background.

Over the past years, Karen served on several boards including as a Governor for the Ontario Teachers' Federation, a Director at the Canadian Teachers' Federation, a member of the Canadian Council of the Canadian Labour Congress.

In 2017 she was presented with the Volunteer of the Year award with the Busby Centre in Barrie.

Karen is a proud union member. "Any day is a good day for a rally!"

Election Statement

Dear CTF/FCE Colleagues,

It is with honour and humility that I present myself for election as a Vice-President of the CTF/FCE. I have served one term as VP and have truly appreciated the ability to be part of a decision-making body for 365,000 CTF/FCE members across this beautiful country. We must have solidarity and collaboration as we strive to protect and enhance publicly funded education from coast to coast to coast.

As a Vice-President, I will be responsible to the membership by offering clear communication, honest responses and a dedicated vision. I bring a desire to work cooperatively to build consensus.

As member organizations, we have so much in common and we can all learn from each other. I ask that you consider me as you look to elect your 25-27 CTF/FCE Executive.

In Solidarity,

Karen Littlewood

