

Durham Local Government UNISON Bulletin

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Schools Edition

Strike Pay Update

We have now completed 12 strike pay sessions and supported 1,207 members in accessing strike pay.

As there are still members who may have not yet been able to attend a meeting, we have arranged another session:

**Wednesday 18th January at County Hall, Committee Room 1A,
Durham, 16:30-18:30.**

If you are unable to attend this and haven't yet been able to attend a meeting, please contact the branch with your name and school and, depending on the level of demand, we can arrange another meeting in your locality.

What do I need to bring?

In order to access this support you will need to bring your **payslips for November and December**. December's payslip will show the deduction arising from industrial action and November's payslip will be used to confirm the loss.

Payments will be administered through a direct transfer to your account. Please could you therefore bring your bank account number, sort code and account name. This will be held securely and used for the transfers. The information will only be held to as long as it is required and then deleted.

If you pay your UNISON subs via Direct Debit, you will also need to bring proof of current membership i.e. your most recent bank statement or membership number.

If there are exceptional hardship circumstances that mean you need access to hardship support more urgently, please email the branch office as soon as possible.

In addition, if you have any access needs which mean you cannot attend a meeting, please let us know.



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