

Stand together for better pay

COUNCIL & SCHOOL WORKERS PAY 2024

Get Ballot Ready

We asked the employers in councils and schools for a pay increase of £3,000 or 10%, whichever is greater. You and your colleagues were offered a flat rate pay increase of £1,290.*

We think this offer falls far short of what you need and deserve. That's why we're balloting members working in councils and schools, asking if you're prepared to take industrial action. It's time to stand together and send a clear message to the employers that you need a better pay rise.

Every single eligible member needs to vote in the upcoming ballot. We can only take lawful industrial action at your workplace if at least 50% of UNISON members return their ballot papers, with a majority voting **YES** for action.

Here are three quick and easy things you can do to #GetBallotReady:

Check your details are up to date

1. This is the most vital step of them all. We must have your correct address and contact details on file to keep you informed and to ensure you receive your ballot paper in the post promptly.
unison.org.uk/my-unison

2. Get your colleagues involved

Speak to colleagues about the issue and encourage new colleagues to join UNISON. They'll be able to vote in the ballot when they join, before and up to **3 October**.
join.unison.org.uk

3. Spread the word on social media

Encourage colleagues, friends and family to get involved and support the campaign using the hashtag **#PayUp2024** and by emailing your councillors, asking for their support.

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Learn more about our campaign

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*For part time and term time only staff, the amount will be less. In inner London, the offer is £1,575 and in outer London, it is £1,491.