

Education Minnesota Trainings for WSPFT Members Winter 2021-2022

Degrees, Not Debt: Dealing With Student Loan Debt

We want to make sure you know about existing student loan forgiveness programs, how to find out if you're eligible and how to apply for them. Education Minnesota's Degrees, Not Debt program is rallying public support to decrease the cost of college and make it easier to pay student loan debt. We know that student loan debt makes life hard for many educators, driving some away from teaching. Many see the cost of college as a barrier to getting into the profession. These challenges weaken the diversity and depth of our teaching corps.

Monday, Dec. 13. 6-7 pm

ONLINE

Joining info: meet.google.com/kwf-ggjq-mgf

Ask a Lawyer Forum

Many laws impact educators in the classroom and affect your working conditions and employment. Can I use FMLA to care for my sick grandchild? Does the district have to give me time off to send off my son who was just called up for active duty? This session will review various state and federal leave laws and include what to look for in your collective bargaining agreement. Bring your contract and your questions.

Monday, Jan 10. 6-7 pm

ONLINE

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➔ **Please fill out the form [HERE](#). to register for either of the offerings.**

**These meetings are open to WSPFT Members. EDMN personnel will be leading the meetings. Please direct any questions to Kristy Otte at Kristy.otte@isd197.org.*

