

You can't have a **1st class**
higher education system
by offering a **2nd class**
contract. But that's what
OSSHE is trying to do.

Quality education is our top concern.

As higher education workers, we provide valuable services to students, faculty and the community. Our services are essential to insuring a top flight educational system for Oregon's students. A commitment to quality is why we're fighting to end a 4-year wage freeze, and fighting to stop attacks on our medical benefits and pensions. Quality education is only possible if we retain quality workers on our campuses. **That means winning a fair contract.**

A fair contract means a hard fight.

The Oregon State System of Higher Education (OSSHE) has made it clear that the only way higher education workers can win a fair contract is by fighting for it. That's why we're getting ready for a strike preparation vote on June 12, and that's why during the next few weeks we'll be holding rallies, marches and demonstrations on higher education campuses around the state. OSSHE refused to listen to us at the bargaining table. **We have no choice but to make our voices more clearly heard.**

United, the community can make a difference.

OSSHE doesn't see our fight for a fair contract as important to the future of Oregon's higher education system. It's time for the community to show them how wrong they are. By coming together — higher education workers, faculty and community — we can make a difference. That's why we're asking you to:

- Contact Joe Cox, Chancellor of OSSHE (111 Susan Campbell Hall, (541) 346-5700, or Joseph _Cox@sch.osshe.edu.) and tell him that as a member of the community you want to retain a top flight educational system. **That means reaching a fair contract with higher education workers.**

**Stop treating higher education workers like
2nd class citizens. It's the only way to
build a 1st class higher education system.**

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