



**Baltimore Teachers Union**  
**Teacher Chapter Contract Ratification 2021-2023**

**Teacher Contract Ratification Window: Sept 20 - Oct 1**  
**Teacher Chapter Members can vote by Online Voting or In-Person Ballot**

***Online Voting Instructions:***

- Every Teacher Chapter member will be sent an email from Election Runner to vote on the Teacher Contract Ratification on Sept 20th at 8:00am.
- Election Runner will send each Teacher Chapter member a link that includes a unique voting ID and password. This will ensure anonymity. Election Runner will only tell us that you voted, not how you voted.
- Select Yes to ratify (accept) the contract or select No to reject the contract.
- Submit your online vote by 11:59pm on Oct 1st.

Login Information:	
Voter ID:	7C3LCJ5P
Voter Key:	69LL7HVQ

[Click Here to Vote](#)

***In-Person Ballot***

- On Wednesday Sept 29th and Thursday Sept 30th from 6:30am to 7:30pm, there will be in-person voting available at the BTU Office (5800 Metro Drive, Baltimore MD 21215).
- In-person voting will use a double-envelope system where the ballot is put into a sealed unmarked inner envelope, and then put into a sealed outer envelope with the member's name written on it.
- If an online vote was not already completed, the inner unmarked envelope is removed from the other envelope with the member's name on it for counting.



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**BALLOT**

Please check one (1). Any other markings will make the ballot null and void.

- YES
- NO

***If a member does both Online Voting and In-Person Ballot:***

- As online votes come in, a column for online voting will be checked off in a spreadsheet next to the member's name.
- For in-person voting, the name on the outer envelope is used to check the spreadsheet and see if an online vote was already completed.
  - **If an online vote was already completed, the in-person ballot is made invalid and not included in the ballots to count.**
- The online vote will be the only vote that counts for that member.

***Important Information:***

- On Sept 30th, members who have not yet voted online or by in-person ballot will get a reminder email to vote online by the deadline of 11:59pm on Oct 1st.
- In-person ballots will be counted by BTU staff.
- Valid in-person ballots and online votes will be combined for the total count.
- Results of the Teacher Contract Ratification will be announced on Oct 2nd.

***To get more information about the Teacher Contract before voting:***

- Look on the BTU website [www.baltimoreteachers.org/teachers/](http://www.baltimoreteachers.org/teachers/) for:
  - Virtual Information Session Dates and Links to Register
  - Summary of Contract Changes
  - Powerpoint Presentation from Info Sessions
  - Video Recording of Sept 8th Info Session
  - Full Teacher Contract with Changes Highlighted to Ratify

***If you have Election Runner online voting questions, email Cindy Sjoquist at [csjoquist@baltu.org](mailto:csjoquist@baltu.org). If you have any other questions, email Zach Taylor at [ztaylor@baltu.org](mailto:ztaylor@baltu.org)***