

# PRESS RELEASE

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## **Sherwood Education Association Schedules “Walk-In” Advocacy Event for May 8, 2019**

On May 8th, teachers throughout the state are planning walk-outs to bring attention to the issue of state education funding, causing many area districts to cancel classes for that day. However, the Sherwood Education Association has instead elected to participate in a “walk in” activity that day. Teachers at all Sherwood Schools locations will gather in front of their campuses that morning, joined by administrators and members of the Board of Directors, to raise public awareness of the need for increased education funding in the state of Oregon. At the start of the school day, each group of teachers will walk into their buildings together.

“We want to thank SEA for their positive approach to making a difference,” noted Superintendent Dr. Heather Cordie. “This is just one more reason we are so thankful for the wonderful partnerships we have in Sherwood.”

All schools in the Sherwood School District will remain open on May 8th, and will follow the normal class schedule for the day.

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For more information, contact the Superintendent's Office at 503-825-5002.