

University Tuition Fee Increase – Cégep Heritage College Student Vote

Gatineau, March 23, 2012 – On March 21, 22 and 23, the Cégep Heritage College Student Association held a student vote on a 3-day class boycott in support of the student protest movement against the planned university tuition fee increase. 218 students voted for the boycott, and 413 students voted against. There will therefore not be any course disruptions at Cégep Heritage College nor will there be any other form of student protest.

College management is very pleased with the way the Student Association led the organization of their general assemblies, with the voting protocol, and with the involvement of the student population. The process was handled democratically in an atmosphere of mutual respect.

About Cégep Heritage College: Cégep Heritage College is one of 48 CEGEPs (Collèges d'Enseignement Général et Professionnel) in the province of Quebec, the only English CEGEP in Western Quebec. The College offers five pre-university programs, and eight career programs. Quality education, small classes, a friendly atmosphere, and dynamic extra-curricular and social activities make Cégep Heritage College the perfect place to study and meet new friends. The College's modern facilities feature a gymnasium, fitness centre, dance studio, comprehensive library, and 156-seat auditorium. Our spacious campus grounds include a large soccer field, basketball court, beach volleyball courts, biking and hiking paths.

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