



Warning of strike and lockout in Ballerup Municipality

Strikes and lockouts may be on their way to Danish municipalities. If there is a national strike and lockout, this will also affect Ballerup Municipality

Negotiations on the renewal of collective agreements and employment agreements in the municipal sector in Denmark have broken down.

In connection with this, a number of trade union organisations have warned of a strike. This would potentially enter into force from the start of **Sunday 22 April**. If the strike becomes a reality, the list of affected institutions in Ballerup Municipality includes (but is not limited to) state primary and lower secondary schools, day-care facilities, after school clubs and the municipal catering service, Køkken Ballerup.

[See the complete list of potential strike areas](#) (opens in a new window)

Due to the imminent possibility of a strike, employers have subsequently warned of a lockout. Should the lockout become a reality, it will enter into force from the start of **Saturday 28 April**.

In Ballerup Municipality a potential lockout would mean that many sectors besides those institutions already mentioned would also be affected.

Exceptions to the lockout would be large parts of the elder care sector, care homes, home care and home health nurses. Similarly, staff at special day institutions and special schools as well as those employed at residential care facilities for people who are dependent on the municipality and public utility companies are exempt from the lockout.

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Note: The negotiator can, however, prior to the above date announce that she has given up hope of reaching a satisfactory outcome. The conflict can then start on the fifth day after this decision.