The deadline to fund the federal government has been extended to December 8, 2017. Therefore, National PTA has decided to extend our #STOPCutsToClassrooms campaign to December to continue to spread our message and advocate for greater federal investments in public education.

Below are sample tweets and Facebook posts for all education advocates to use on their social media platforms to support the #STOPCutsToClassrooms campaign. Please use the specific tweets and posts for the Friday that it is listed for consistency and a greater impact across social media platforms. Also, don’t forget to use #STOPCutsToClassrooms across all your social media channels (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram).

**November 3**

**Twitter**
- Tell your friends to send a letter to Congress TODAY requesting to #STOPCutsToClassrooms & invest in education [https://goo.gl/Y5z3rH](https://goo.gl/Y5z3rH)
- #RaiseTheCaps to adequately invest in ED programs in FY18 and #STOPCutsToClassrooms @SenateGOP @HouseGOP @SenateDems @HouseDemocrats
- Join @NationalPTA & Education advocates nationwide TODAY for Funding Friday to #STOPCutsToClassrooms PTA.org/STOPCuts

**Facebook**
We are joining National PTA in Funding Fridays to say #STOPCutsToClassrooms! Send a letter to your member of Congress TODAY asking them to #STOPCutsToClassrooms and ensure funding for public education is more than 2% of the federal budget in fiscal year 2018. Make your voice heard by sending a letter at [https://goo.gl/Y5z3rH](https://goo.gl/Y5z3rH).

**November 10**

**Twitter**
- Tell Congress that funding SFECs at $10M is a priority @NationalPTA. Send your letter TODAY at PTA.org/STOPCuts #STOPCutsToClassrooms
- .@StatePTA Thanks @TomColeOK04 @rosadelauro for incl. $10M for SFECs in HR3354. We ask @PattyMurray @RoyBlunt to support SFECs in FY18!
- Join @NationalPTA & education advocates nationwide for Funding Fridays! Will you help #STOPCutsToClassrooms? PTA.org/STOPCuts
Facebook
Congress is currently debating what federal programs to fund in the next fiscal year. Make sure your voice is heard about the importance of engaging families in their child’s education and the impact cuts to public education are having on our students, families and schools. Send a letter to your members of Congress TODAY urging them to #STOPCutsToClassrooms and support funding Statewide Family Engagement Centers (SFECs) at $10 million in fiscal year 2018. View the letter at PTA.org/STOPCuts

November 17

Twitter
- ED funding = 2% of budget since 1967. When will we prioritize ED? #STOPCutsToClassrooms @SenThadCochran @SenatorLeahy @USRepRodney @NitaLowey
- Investments in Defense & NDD programs like ED are essential to US security & prosperity. Congress must #RaisetheCaps & #STOPCutsToClassrooms
- Today is Funding Friday! Like, share & retweet @NationalPTA to #STOPCutsToClassrooms. Tell Congress 2% isn't enough PTA.org/STOPCuts

Facebook
Enough is enough. The federal spending caps put in place by Congress in 2013 have led to harmful cuts to education programs. Urge Congress to raise the federal spending caps in order to significantly increase the federal investment in public education programs and #STOPCutsToClassrooms. Congress must prioritize federal funding for public education THIS YEAR and create a plan to steadily increase federal resources for students and teachers in the years to come. Learn more at PTA.org/STOPCuts.

November 24

Twitter
- Congress needs to #StopCutsToClassrooms by investing more than 2% in ED. In FY18: fund SFECs & increase funding for Title I, IDEA & Title IV
- A bipartisan budget deal is needed to #STOPCutsToClassrooms & invest more than 2% in ED @SenateMajLdr @SpeakerRyan @SenSchumer @NancyPelosi
- Today is Funding Friday. Like, share & retweet @NationalPTA to #STOPCutsToClassrooms. Tell Congress 2% isn't enough PTA.org/STOPCuts
Public schools around the country are struggling to give our children the resources they need because Congress has not prioritized federal funding for public education programs. National PTA is urging members of Congress to create a plan to steadily increase federal resources for students and teachers such as modest increases to Title I, IDEA, Title IV and funding for Statewide Family Engagement Centers in FY 2018. Such investments will create a foundation for greater investments in public education over time and #STOPCutsToClassrooms. Learn more at PTA.org/STOPCuts.

No more extensions! Congress needs to fund the gov in FY18 to invest in ED and #STOPCutsToClassrooms. 2% is not enough.

Every child deserves to reach their full potential through family engagement & adequate investment in ED. #STOPCutsToClassrooms in FY18!

Today is the last Funding Friday in 2017. Make your voice heard. Tell Congress 2% isn't enough PTA.org/STOPCuts #STOPCutsToClassrooms

Education advocates have waited 50 years for adequate investments in public education. We cannot wait any longer. In fiscal year 2018, we demand more than 2% of the federal budget go towards our nation’s kids. Tell your Representative and Senators that 2% isn't enough and we should #STOPCutsToClassrooms! Go to PTA.org/STOPCuts.