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STUC have teamed up with the Scottish People's Assembly to protest the Cost of Living Crisis as part of events happening across the UK. Come along to George Square at 1pm on Saturday, 12th February, bring your flags and banners! More info [here](#).

[General secretary's blog: Levelling up – far too little, way too late](#)

[Communications awards 2020/2022 - Everything you need to know](#)



Scotland in
UNISON 154
February 2022

Low pay, high impact - here is how some of UNISON's lowest-paid women members are representing the needs of fellow workers from different levels of the union's leadership



UNISON social work survey is open for responses

UNISON is conducting this survey to find out about your recent experiences of working in social work, and those of thousands of others employed in this challenging sector. Survey info [here](#).



Winter fuel grant programme

UNISON's winter fuel grant programme will open for applications on Monday 31 January 2022. It offers grants of up to £200 for those who are eligible. More info [here](#).

PICK OF THE MEDIA

03/02/22 morningstaronline.co.uk

If there is no price control - **don't expect wage restraint**

04/02/22 theferret.scot

More than 13,000 Scots households in temporary accommodation seeking homes.

03/02/22 morningstaronline.co.uk

The Subsidies Bill - **is not good for devolution**

03/02/22 tuc.org.uk

Chancellor's £7pw cost of living support is 'hopelessly inadequate'.

02/02/22 dailyrecord.co.uk

West Dunbartonshire Council facing estimated budget gap of £5m despite extra cash.

01/02/22 localgov.co.uk

Scotland back to dangerous levels of air pollution, data shows.

28/01/22 heraldscotland.com

Scottish councils warn £250m funding gap remains despite extra funding.

2022 year of
disabled workers



unison.org.uk

UNISON has dedicated 2022 to a year-long national campaigning and organising strategy to support and celebrate **disabled workers**. Scotland has a particular interest in the campaign as the idea was developed by one of our Scottish branches.



Welcome to UNISON Scotland learning!

Here is our online education programme for January to April 2022. As part of its extensive learning and training programme, UNISON offers new members a choice of free one day workshops to help you at work and in everyday life. Build your skills with our national programme UNISON Learning.

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