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It's Tolley & Joyce like you've never seen them

Our ministers of education star in a new video about night class funding cuts.

Commissioned by PPTA, the 65 second animated clip examines the wisdom of the ministers' decision to cut funding to night classes by 80%.

Despite the fact that for 100 years night classes have provided great learning and employment opportunities for thousands of New Zealanders (with enormous social and economic benefits to the country) these ministers seem unaware of the dimmness of their decision.

Watch the clip at www.dimming.co.nz

Sponsored by PPTA, www.dimming.co.nz is a site dedicated to providing people with fresh perspectives on questionable education policies - wherever they arise.

In addition to the clip, the site offers people a place to learn more about the benefits of night classes and the implications of cutting them, vote in a poll, give feedback, share stories or even send a message to tertiary education minister Steven Joyce (he now oversees adult and community education).

Keep watching www.dimming.co.nz over the next few weeks for more comment about education issues.



Ministers Steven Joyce and Anne Tolley feature in a new animation about night class cuts.

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