

Dear and respected Slovak teachers,

when I learned about your current situation, I felt sad. I totally understand your needs and the efforts you are making to maintain your self-esteem and right of surviving as a teacher. I am also a teacher and work in China where nobody would deny the fact that teachers' job should be highly respected and valued, even though the teachers there are far from best paid and the investment in teacher development is not that fair, either. However, the situation is changing for the better compared with the teachers' situation in the past. Once teachers in China were given a very bad name which showed contempt for teachers; once thousands of teachers were persecuted and pushed to the bottom of the society; luckily history has shown that integrity and fairness would defeat evil in time. I believe in your upright enterprise and admire your great courage. God bless you.

Best Regards,

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