



There's one news outlet that has been very unsympathetic to the striking teachers and staff in Chicago, to say the least. Fox News has been blasting the Chicago Teachers Union since the strike began; host Greta Van Susteren proudly proclaimed that "CHILDREN LOSE!" on her blog as teachers began their actions.

But in its spree of teacher-bashing, there's one very serious conflict of interest that Fox News has failed to disclose.

Let's start in 2010. That's when Fox News's parent company, News Corporation, acquired the education technology company known called Wireless Generation by purchasing a 90 percent stake in the company. Soon afterwards, former New York City schools chief Joel Klein — who had a history of warring with unions — became head of the education division at News Corp.

News Corporation's involvement in a hacking scandal eventually lost Wireless Generation its planned contract with the state of New York.

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