



February 15, 2022

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Greetings!

Good morning. I hope you had a nice weekend. Next weekend is also a 3-day weekend, and our weekly email will be sent on Tuesday again.

At last week's school board meeting, Board President Blanca Hall stated that she received two emails from teachers who claim that the union is bullying them by telling them they cannot speak to the school board. Nothing can be further from the truth. Each time there is a school board meeting, we publish the link to access the meeting as well as the link to submit public comments to the board. Additionally, we regularly ask members to voice concerns to the school board to help bring awareness to current issues. Please contact me if you have any concerns about this matter.

Also at the school board meeting, two MOUs were approved:

- [Early Retirement Notification MOU](#) - This incentive is to encourage those planning to retire in June to notify the district early. Legally you have until June 30th to notify, but that leaves the district very little time to seek a replacement. This incentive applies only to June retirements, even if you've already notified them. Take a look at the MOU, as there are two amounts related to two different notification deadlines.
- [Employment Incentive MOU for 2022/2023](#) - This is a hiring incentive for next school year for certain positions only. If you know of a fully credentialed person looking for a position in any of the mentioned areas, please share this with them.

Office Hours Today, 4:30 pm-5:30 pm

Please join us on Zoom today, anytime between 4:30 - 5:30. This is an opportunity to ask questions, share concerns, or even just to listen to what other members are talking about. Hope to see you there!

Topic: CVTA February Office Hours

Time: Feb 15, 2022 04:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81525079515>

Meeting ID: 815 2507 9515

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Student Placement in the Collective Bargaining Agreement

This article is in the CBA, but year after year it seems that administrators are not aware of this requirement:

17.5 Students shall be placed systematically at each site and the staff shall be informed of the rationale for the placement or change of placement. Any request for placement of students or change of placement **shall be discussed with the teacher(s) involved before any decision is made relative to placement.**

This is a relatively simple article to follow. Before a student is placed in or removed from your class, there must be a meeting to discuss that placement. This provides the teachers an opportunity to ask questions or share concerns related to that placement, if there are any. This applies to newly enrolled students, parent requests, IEP team decisions, SST team decision, etc. If this article is not followed at your site, please contact your site reps to help with filing a grievance.

Coaches Corner

This week, our TK12 Instructional Coaches will be available by Zoom to support with ANY topic. No need to sign up, just log into the Zoom meeting below. Breakout rooms will be open for those needing one-on-one assistance.

Wednesday, February 16 from 7:30am-10:30am

Wednesday, February 16 from 2:30pm-4:30pm

Topic: ANY

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://cvusd-us.zoom.us/j/83146055041?pwd=eG1jWkFOWVBWbN2ZDZTZrb0M2WERUQT09>

Meeting ID: 831 4605 5041/Passcode: 905459

Here is a menu of support for your instructional needs. Click the hyperlink here [Coaches Corner Menu](#) to find those offerings. Our coaches can work with you to successfully integrate the use of evidence-based practices and strategies in all content areas, as well as various technologies. Just reach out!!

[Coaches Corner Menu](#) (hyperlink)

Email: TK12support@cvusd.us

Reporting COVID Illnesses or seeking COVID Information

If you need information about what leaves are available or to report a positive COVID case, please use the HRleaves@cvusd.us email and the contact_tracing@cvusd.us email.

As always, thank you for everything you do for the students of CVUSD! Have a great week.

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Important Dates

- **February 15th** - Bargaining Day... please wear your CVTA shirt to show your support!
- **February 15th** - CVTA Office Hours 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm
- **February 21st** - School Holiday
- **February 23rd** - CVTA Eboard Mtg 4:30 pm
- **February 24th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting ([submit comments here](#)) ([link to meeting here](#))

Carissa Carrera

CVTA President

"It takes each of us to make a difference for all of us." - Trevor Moawad

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