Dear Carissa,

Good morning! We have two Zoom meetings for membership this week. Please attend if you are able!

The CVTA Office Hours Zoom is on Tuesday from 4:30-5:30 pm. Please attend if you have questions, concerns, or just want to check in and see what others are discussing. Click this link to join our Office Hours (Meeting ID: 869 9795 0015)

The second (and final) Bargaining Survey Zoom is on Wednesday from 6:00-7:00 pm. If you have suggestions for bargaining priorities, please attend to share your ideas. Click this link to join our Bargaining Survey meeting (Meeting ID: 860 4710 7832)

*Don't forget to also complete the Bargaining Survey Google Form! Your opinion is valuable and necessary to ensure we are focusing on necessary contract articles. This form is available to complete until 5:00 pm on April 27th. Access the Google Form here.

This week I will: meet with Ed Services, visit school sites, attend the Policy Committee meeting, hold CVTA Office Hours, attend interviews, attend the Climate and Culture Committee meeting, hold CVTA Eboard, hold the second Bargaining Survey Zoom, attend Low Desert Presidents Meeting, and attend the Virtual Academy Focus Group meeting.

Here are a few more important items to share this week:

- **Transfer Opportunities**: These will continue to be sent each Monday as new vacancies open up. Please be sure to remember contract language as it applies to transfers. You may only transfer once per year, so once you've accepted a new position for the 23/24 school year, you cannot transfer again. Additionally, if more than one person applies for the same vacancy, an interview must be held.
- **Final Evaluation Conference**: The deadline for this meeting to be held is 4/25/23. If you are asked to meet after this date, and/or asked to backdate the document, please contact your site reps immediately. It is at this meeting that you may ask to be placed on a 5 year evaluation cycle, if you qualify and if your administrator agrees.
- **CVTA Scholarships**: We are finalizing the applications and will contact the applicants soon! We had 29 applicants, and are very excited to be able to offer this opportunity to your children attending college.

CVTA Member Spotlight: You may nominate someone here.

This week we do not have any new nominees. Please be sure to nominate a deserving CVTA Member using the above link!

Coaches Corner TK12support@cvusd.us

Upcoming benchmarks:

- TK-2nd grade Phonics Survey- May 1-May 12th
- iReady K-12- May 8 - June 2

Our TK12 Instructional Coaches will have open office hours this week to help with anything from the Coaches Corner Menu or other needs. Pop on into our Zoom: Monday 1:30-4:30 pm or Thursday from 7:30 to 10:30 am. https://cvusd-us.zoom.us/j/81603174702pwd=WHJOVWVsYmRjSsnl2YmFBMnE0M212QT09 Meeting ID: 816 0317 4702
**Reporting COVID Illnesses or seeking COVID Information**
Please continue to report any positive tests to `contact_tracing@cvusd.us`. If you need information about which leaves are available, please use the `HRleaves@cvusd.us` email.

Have a great week!

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**Important Dates**

- **April 25th** - Final Evaluation Conference Deadline (end of workday)
- **April 25th** - CVTA Virtual Office Hours via Zoom, 4:30-5:30 pm Meeting ID: 869 9795 0015, no Passcode
- **April 26th** - CVTA Executive Board Meeting via Zoom, 4:30 pm
- **April 26th** - Bargaining Survey Zoom Meeting 6:00-7:00 pm (link above in email)
- **May 2nd** - National Day of the Teacher
- **May 9th** - CA Day of the Teacher
- **May 10th** - CVTA Rep Council Meeting 4:30 pm via Zoom
- **May 11th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting
- **May 16th** - CVTA Office Hours 4:30 pm-5:30 pm
- **May 19th** - CVUSD Retirement and Recognition Banquet
- **May 24th** - CVTA Eboard Meeting 4:30 pm
- **May 29th** - Memorial Day holiday
- **May 30th** - Final CVTA Rep Council Meeting
- **June 6th** - CVUSD last day of school

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**Carissa Carrera**  
CVTA President  
"An injury to one is an injury to all."

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