Dear Carissa,

Good morning! Hard to believe it is already our third week back. I am not aware of any major issues happening...if that is wrong, please let me know!

This Wednesday is our first CVTA Rep Council meeting. Be sure to let your site reps know if there is something you'd like them to share at the meeting.

Here are a few important items to share this week:

- **Lesson plans:** You are required to make them and have them readily available to view in your classroom. There is no requirement to submit them to administration weekly by a certain deadline, but you will be required to submit the entire year's worth of plans at the end of the year. Please work with your administrator to let them know where to find your plans in your classroom or where to submit them electronically, if that is what you choose to do.
- **UCI Math Packets:** These can and should be printed for you at the copy center. Discuss this with your administrator if that conversation has not already taken place. *NOTE - There is currently a backup at the copy center, so please be patient.*
- **New Elementary Science Curriculum:** This is an exploration year and training will be coming. Take the time this year to try the curriculum as you see fit.
- **Members with vaccine exemptions:** There is discussion taking place regarding the requirements of the exemption. When we get an update, we will notify you.

**CVUSD School Board Meeting**

There will be a School Board Meeting this Thursday, 8/25/22. Closed Session begins at 5:30 pm, and Open Session may start at 6:30 pm, but it is often later than that. You may attend in person or watch online (see links in the calendar items below for the viewing link and the link to submit comments).

Not many people consider it important to view these meetings, but it is! Our school board is directly responsible for what takes place in our classrooms. We always hope to have school board members who make decisions based on what is best for students, staff, and the community. You have a right to make public comments on anything on the agenda or anything else you believe the board needs to hear. Agendas are posted on the CVUSD website on Monday evenings prior to the board meeting. Please look them over!

**CVTA Member Spotlight:**

Watch this space in the future to showcase one CVTA Member who is doing great things in our schools or the community. [You may nominate someone here](#). There are no guidelines...if you think what the member is doing is great, let me know about it! We will select one CVTA Member each week, if possible.

**CVTA Site Representation**

We still need reps at the following sites. Please contact me if you are interested!

- **BD:** one rep Oriana Ruggiero, **one vacancy**
- **CDA:** one rep Jeff Kruger, **one vacancy**
- **DO:** **one vacancy**
- **LF:** **one vacancy**
- **SV:** one rep Steven Clifford, **one vacancy** (election coming soon)
- **TC:** one rep Michael Seeger, **one vacancy**
- **VV:** one rep Carlos Villa, **one vacancy**

**Coaches Corner** [TK12support@cvusd.us](mailto:TK12support@cvusd.us)

Tech Tip of the week: Ever wanted to change your profile picture on Canvas? Your wish is our command!

- While you are logged into Canvas, click on the little gray profile picture on the...
Click on Settings
You will now see a pencil on your profile to edit!

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 at 1:30 to 4:30 or Thursday at 7:30 to 10:30
https://cvusd-us.zoom.us/j/81603174702?pwd=WHJOVWWVsYmRjSn12YmFBMnE0M212QT09
Meeting ID: 816 0317 4702
Passcode: 667008

Our TK12 Instructional Coaches have shared a menu of support for your instructional needs. Click the hyperlink Coaches Corner Menu to find those offerings.

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!

Visit Our Website

Important Dates

- **August 24th** - CVTA Rep Council Meeting, 4:30 pm
- **August 25th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 pm (Live Stream Link here) (Submit public comments here)
- **August 31st** - CVTA Executive Board Meeting 4:30 pm
- **September 1-30** - Catastrophic Bank Open Enrollment
- **September 5th** - No school, Labor Day
- **September 8th** - Deadline to balance classes
- **September 8th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 pm (Live Stream Link here) (Submit public comments here)
- **September 17th** - Low Desert Leadership Training and Rep Council Meeting
- **September 20th** - CVTA Virtual Office Hours 4:30-5:30 pm
- **September 22nd** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 pm (Live Stream Link here) (Submit public comments here)
- **September 28th** - CVTA Eboard meeting, 4:30 pm
- **September 30th** - Site Budget notification deadline

Carissa Carrera
CVTA President
"You can't do it unless you organize."

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