

March 9, 2020

Good morning. Hope you are all healthy and doing well. Many of you have reached out regarding Coronavirus concerns.

There is no additional information other than what the District sent out via email on 2/28/2020. We will certainly keep you updated if there is new information regarding CVUSD plans.

In preparation for the April 1 posting of transfer opportunities, there should be discussions taking place at your school sites regarding known vacancies at your site. If you have not heard anything, please reach out to your site reps and admin. This process will be reviewed with reps at this week's Rep Council.

TODAY: Meeting with CVUSD School Board Trustee Neftali Galarza - Topic: District Calendar

Join us today, March 9th, from 4:30-5:30 p.m. at the CVTA Office to speak with Neftali Galarza. He would like to discuss the calendars for upcoming school years. Speakers may be limited to 3 minutes each in order to allow everyone an opportunity to voice their opinions or ask questions. CVTA Office 86695 Avenue 54, Suite J, Coachella 92236

CLOSES TODAY: NEA-RA Local Delegates Election - Nominations close March 9th

CVTA gets to send 6 delegates to the NEA-RA, and this year it will be held during July in Atlanta, Georgia. Please click the links below for an election description and timeline. (Please note...delegates will need to pay out of pocket for expenses related to attending the NEA-RA, and will be reimbursed later by CVTA.) Flyers will be placed in your mailboxes, as well.

[NEA-RA Local Delegate Election Announcement](#)

[NEA-RA Local Delegate Election Timeline](#)

CLOSES TODAY: CVTA Election for CTA State Council Representative - Nominations close March 9th

CVTA is allowed two representatives to CTA's State Council.

Meetings are held in Los Angeles four times per year, on weekends. We also need alternates, so this election includes two positions for which you can run, Seat 2 or Alternate. Please be sure to notify which position for which you are submitting a nomination. (Please note...representatives and alternates will need to pay out of pocket for expenses related to attending State Council, and will be reimbursed later by both CTA and CVTA.) Flyers will be placed in your mailboxes, as well.

[State Council Representative Election Announcement](#)

[State Council Representative Election Timeline](#)

Contractual Issues Happening Right Now

[Find the contract here](#). Here are the things we are working on:

- Grievances need to start at the informal level. This means that you have a conversation with your immediate supervisor, whether face to face or via email, in order to give them the opportunity to remedy the situation. It is important that you actually state, "This is my informal grievance." This will begin the timeline, and will ensure your administrator understands that there is a timeline to follow. Sample grievance forms can be found on our website at www.mycvta.org under Documents. The Uniform Complaint Form and the Williams Complaint Form can be found there as well.

Here are some important dates to keep in mind:

- **March 9th** - Meet with CVUSD Board Trustee Neftali Galarza, 4:30-5:30 at the CVTA Office
- **March 11th** - CVTA Rep Council Meeting, 4:30 p.m. @ CDA Library
- **March 12th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m. @ CDA
- **March 18th** - Bargaining Day - wear your CVTA shirts
- **March 23rd** - PD Day (non-student day)
- **March 25th** - Bargaining Day - wear your CVTA shirts
- **March 26th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m. @ DO