



June 1, 2021

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## Greetings!

Good morning! This is our last week of the 2020/2021 school year, and it sure hasn't been an easy one for any of us. No one expected this school year to be this way, but you made it to the end, and so did your students! I hope you take the time you need this summer to relax and recharge. The 2021/2022 school year will be here before we know it!

Most bargaining unit members' first contractual workday next year is Tuesday, August 10th. Any trainings or meetings scheduled prior to that day will be completely optional.

**CVUSD will be holding many interviews over the summer...if you are interested in serving on any interview panels as a CVTA panel representative, please let me know. We are always looking for volunteers.**

At the CVUSD Board meeting last week, the board announced three new supervisory hires: Dr. Luis Valentino for superintendent, coming to us from Portland, OR; Encarnacion Becerra for HR Director (one of two positions, the other being held by Maria Mcleod already), coming to us from his position as SV principal; and Dr. Mike Williams for Secondary Director of Education, coming to us from Tustin, CA.

**Please watch for information regarding insurance changes and options!** Open enrollment will be from July 1 to August 6th, and you may want to make adjustments. Changes can only be made during that time period.

## Reminder

June 1st, 2nd, and 3rd are all minimum days. Your workday will end 2 hours before the usual time and principals should have shared the daily schedules with you for those three days. Also, no staff meetings should be held on June 2nd.

## Negotiations 6/2/21

We have the third meeting of negotiations this week for the regular Collective Bargaining Agreement. As in the past, we ask that you show your support for our team by wearing your CVTA shirt. Additionally, you could use our logo as a backdrop in your Zoom meetings on Bargaining days. Please watch your email for an update from the team that afternoon or evening.

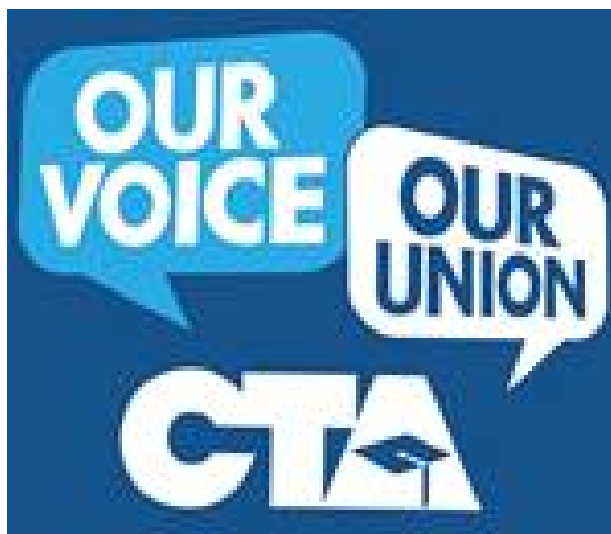
## Upcoming Special Enrollment Opportunity for CVTA Members

CVTA and CTA have made it possible for you to apply for CTA-endorsed Disability and Life Insurance with Standard Insurance Company (The Standard) starting **August 15, 2021**. Sign up for text alerts to get a reminder when enrollment opens by texting 1033 to 74050. Learn more at [standard.com/cta/coachella](https://standard.com/cta/coachella)

## 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](mailto:HRleaves@cvusd.us) email.

**You are doing a great job educating our students during this pandemic! Thank you for working as hard as you are.**



## Important Dates

- **June 3rd** - Last day of school
- **June 10th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 pm
- **June 24th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 pm
- **June 30th** - Last day to submit Intent to Return letters
- **July 15th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 pm
- **August 5th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 pm
- **August 10th** - First teacher workday for the 2021/2022 school year

**Carissa Carrera**  
CVTA President

"You can't do it unless you organize."

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