Greetings!
Good morning. This week we have a district LCAP meeting open to all CVTA members on Tuesday, a Rep Council meeting on Wednesday, and Bargaining on Friday (please wear a CVTA shirt to support the team).

LCAP Meeting for CVTA Members
Last Friday afternoon, an email from the district was sent to members at each site with the information about the LCAP meeting on Tuesday. Many of you have expressed concern for how the district prioritizes its money, but very few of you have been involved in the process of setting those priorities. This is your chance to get involved!

There will be three Zoom meetings just for CVTA members this year, each meeting with a different focus. Please plan to attend each one to learn about what money the district gets, where it has been prioritized, and most importantly to share your ideas about what should be prioritized in future budgets. It's on Zoom, and won't take too much of your time for such an important chance to effect spending priorities in CVUSD!

Read the CVTA LCAP meeting email here

CVUSD Vaccine Mandate
Interactive process meetings for religious or medical exemptions are currently being scheduled and held in HR. Please don't wait too long to submit your request if you plan to seek an exemption. As of this morning, we are not aware of any approval/denial decisions made by the district for those meetings already held.

We anticipate that decisions from the district will be made sometime this week (decisions should be on a case by case basis and sent to the employee involved, not shared with everyone). If the district denies your exemption request, please reach out to me as soon as you can. We will need to arrange for you to be represent by a CTA attorney at the point anyone is placed on unpaid leave because of the vaccine mandate.

Here is a copy of the email about the vaccine mandate

Click here for Religious Exemption information
Click here for Medical Exemption information

Coaches Corner (we are now including a weekly section from our TK-12 coaches)
This week, our Instructional Coaches will be available by Zoom to support with MasteryConnect and District Benchmarks. No need to sign up, just log into the Zoom meeting below. Breakout rooms will be open for those needing one-on-one assistance.
- Monday, December 6 from 7am-10am
- Tuesday, December 7 from 12pm-4pm
- Wednesday, December 8 from 3pm-5pm
- Friday, December 10 from 7am-10am

Topic: MasteryConnect (MC) Meet
Join Zoom Meeting https://cvusd-us.zoom.us/j/83146055041?pwd=eG1jWkFOWVBwN2ZDZTZrb0M2WERUQT09
Meeting ID: 831 4605 5041/Passcode: 905459
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, as well as the appropriate form in School Stream.
As always, thank you for everything you do for the students of CVUSD! Have a great week.

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**Important Dates**

- **December 7th** - CVTA LCAP meeting 4:30-6:00 pm (see Zoom link and info above)
- **December 8th** - CVTA Rep Council Meeting 4:30 pm
- **December 10th** - Bargaining - Wear your shirts!
- **December 14th** - CVTA December Office Hours 4:30-5:30 pm
- **December 15th** - CVTA Eboard Meeting 4:30 pm
- **December 15th** - CVUSD School Board Meeting, 5:30 pm ([Live Stream Link here](#))
  (Agenda should be available 12/10 @ 5:30 pm)
- **December 16th** - Bargaining - Wear your shirts!
- **December 18th to January 9th** - Winter Break
- **January 10th** - Return to work
- **January 10th** - Mandatory Vaccination Deadline
- **January 12th** - CVTA Rep Council Meeting 4:30 pm
- **January 18th** - CVTA January Office Hours 4:30-5:30 pm
- **January 20th** - Bargaining - Wear your shirts!
- **January 26th** - CVTA Eboard Meeting 4:30 pm

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**Carissa Carrera**  
CVTA President  
"It takes each of us to make a difference for all of us." - Trevor Moawad

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