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## **Greetings!**

Good morning! Can you believe there are only 55 days left in this school year? I saw that posted somewhere the other day and couldn't believe it. It has also been 2 years since schools were abruptly shuttered and we began teaching on Zoom. Hard to believe. Today is the start of optional indoor masking. All other safety precautions should still be in place. Please be sure to remind students that masking is someone's personal choice, and no one should face criticism for wearing one or for not wearing one, as we each have our own level of comfort with the pandemic.

Next Monday (3/21/22) is a non-student PD Day. There are some great trainings available, so look for the registration email this week.

Last week we were able to attend the 2022 RCOE State of Education Address virtually. It's always inspirational to see what other districts are doing as well as hearing CVUSD mentioned for a couple of reasons. It's only 45 minutes long if you are interested in watching the recording. View the RCOE 2022 State of Education Address here

Status of the Tentative Agreement

As you know, Certificated Bargaining Unit Members voted to pass the TA with 71.9% voting in favor of the agreement. Last week, the CVUSD School Board voted unanimously in favor of the TA. The language is now officially contractual language and a new Collective Bargaining Agreement will be typed and printed for distribution.

Many of you have been asking about when you will see the raise and retro on your paychecks. Here is the information recently provided to us by payroll:

- April paycheck raise and retro raise
- May paycheck retro extra services
- June paycheck retirement incentive
- July paycheck perfect attendance stipend

#### Panelists Needed for Transfer Interviews

With the new language regarding interviewing for transfers, we are going to need some panelists for the interview panels. We will need at least 2 CVTA members for each panel, and teacher panelists are paid for their time (both during the school year and the summer, as transfer opportunities become available). If you are interested in being on a panel at your site for incoming transfers, or being available for summer panels, please let me know. The language is very specific about CVTA assigning their own panelists, so telling your admin you are available is not sufficient. (Note: a transfer is a move from one site to another. A move within your current site is a reassignment, and is not subject to the interview process. Reassignments will continue to use the seniority process.)

CVTA March Office Hours - Tomorrow 3/15/22

On Tuesday from 4:30-5:30 pm we have our office hours. This is a time for members to join the Zoom (at any time within the hour) to ask questions, share a concern, or just visit to see what others are talking about. We hope to see you there!

Topic: CVTA March Office Hours

Time: Mar 15, 2022 04:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87510950706

Dial by your location

+1 213 338 8477 US (Los Angeles)

+1 669 219 2599 US (San Jose) Meeting ID: 875 1095 0706

LCAP Focus Group - CVTA

This week on Thursday, from 4:30 - 6:00 pm, certificated bargaining unit members will have a second opportunity to get information and participate in the LCAP process. If you attended the first session, you may still want to join this one as it will have a different focus. You did not have to attend the previous meeting in order to participate in this one. Remember, the LCAP is a plan for spending priorities, and you get to have a voice in what those priorities should be. We hope you will take the time to participate in the decision making.

CVTA LCAP Focus Group Meeting

Thursday, March 17, 2022

4:30 - 6:00 pm

Zoom Meeting Link: <a href="https://bit.ly/LCAPCVTA">https://bit.ly/LCAPCVTA</a> Meeting ID: 823 1668 2261

Passcode: CVTA

#### CVTA Committees

It's the time of year again to begin planning committees for the 2022/2023 school year. Attached is a list of all CVTA Committees. Please take a look at the list and let me know if you are interested in supporting your union through committee work.

#### Coaches Corner

This week, our TK12 Instructional Coaches will be available by Zoom to support with ANY topic. No need to sign up, just log into the Zoom meeting below. Breakout rooms will be open for those needing one-on-one assistance.

Wednesday, March 16 from 7:30am-10:30am Friday, March 18 from 7:30am-12:30pm

Topic: ANY

Join Zoom Meeting

https://cvusd-us.zoom.us/j/83146055041?pwd=eG1jWkFOWVBwN2ZDZTZrb0M2WERUQT09

Meeting ID: 831 4605 5041/Passcode: 905459

For those of you that are interested in participating in Summer Professional Development, please take a few moments to offer your suggestions of desired topics in this <u>Summer 2022 Professional</u> Development Survey

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 and the contact tracing@cvusd.us email.

As always, thank you for everything you do for the students of CVUSD! Have a great week.

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# **Important Dates**

- March 15th CVTA Office Hours 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm
- March 16th Elementary Conferences
- March 17th Elementary Conferences
- March 17th 2nd CVTA LCAP Meeting 4:30 -6:00 pm
- March 18th End of 3rd Quarter
- March 21st CVUSD PD Day
- March 24th CVUSD School Board Meeting (submit comments here) (link to meeting here)
- March 29th High School Conferences
- March 30th CVTA Eboard Meeting 4:30 pm
- March 31st Middle School Conferences
- **April 1st** Minimum Day for Secondary

**CVTA President** 

"It takes each of us to make a difference for all of us." - Trevor Moawad

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