

Anaheim Elementary Education

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The vision for AEEA is to build strength through unity, growth in leadership, and increased participation by providing service, support, and advocacy for members' rights. *AEEA Executive Board, July 28, 2008*

DID YOU KNOW?

- Intervention TOSAs are not contracted for before or after school intervention/activities. Those programs are compensated at the hourly rate.
- 40-49% TOSA contracts do not include health benefits. 50-74% contracts include benefits for the employee only. 75% or more include family benefits.
- In order to receive a year of service credit and step advancement on the salary schedule, 75% or more of the contracted days in any given year must be worked or be paid days if you are on a leave. 75% of 176 (current contract with 8 furloughs) equals 132 paid days. Partial contracts over consecutive school years can be combined to equal 75% and to qualify for step advancement. Excess or extra partial percentages cannot be "banked" for credit toward an additional year. (See contract article 11.4.)
- Requirements for Column Advancement on the salary schedule are outlined in Article 11.9 sections 1-6. Prior to starting courses for an advanced degree or for any column movement, please read this section of the contract carefully and contact AEEA if you have questions or need clarification.
- **Your contract with the ACSD is available online at www.aeea4u.org or via the district website under Human Resources.**
- The 2012-2013 Education Council has a vacancy for an AEEA member that either teaches SDC or RSP or is a Speech and Language Pathologist. The council meets one Thursday each month at 3:45. Please contact Kristen if you are interested in joining the council.
- **Sign up to receive AEEA texts and the most up-to-date information.** Email our electronic media master, Sam Castellano, or Kristen, if you are interested and have not signed up yet. (sjcastellano@gmail.com or aeea4u@gmail.com) Texts are only sent when needed.

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POSITIVELY POLITICAL

- **PROP 30 - The Schools and Local Public Safety Protection Act:** “This initiative is a temporary tax that asks the richest of Californians to pay their fair share to help fund public education and other essential services. If the initiative fails, public education is facing an additional \$6 billion in budget cuts.” (CTA President, Dean Vogel)
- **PROP 32 – The Special Exemptions Act:** This is the misleading, unfair, and unnecessary attempt by wealthy, anti-union forces to silence the political voice of CTA members and of all unions across the state. It is disguised as reform, but in reality it is a corporate power grab that prevents educators from using their collective voice to protect students, improve schools and colleges, and enhance the teaching profession. Super PACs and billionaire business people would be allowed to write their own rules and have an even greater influence in politics. (Source: California *Educator* magazine)
- As busy as everyone is already and will be when all tracks are back and doing the most important work of educating students, if everyone finds a little bit of time to work for a “YES” on 30 and a “NO” on 32, everyone’s work in public education will be better protected and more secure.
- **Please don’t wait** for your AEEA Rep to notify you about opportunities to help secure funding for public education or to keep the richest and most powerful corporations from silencing the voices of public educators and unions, call the Anaheim Educators office or email or call Kristen and get involved today!

Some of the Benefits of Membership

Visit the CTA Website at www.cta.org and check out the discounts available to CTA/AEEA members. From car rentals to airfare and various other discount tickets, there are many opportunities to save money.

Remember too that the Anaheim Educators office sells discount movie tickets. Call in advance to verify your preferred venue is in stock and the office staff is available to sell tickets. Krikorian, Edwards/Regal, AMC, and Cinemark tickets are available.

DATES TO REMEMBER

August 6
August 13
August 22
August 27

Instruction Begins for Track D
ACSD School Board @ 6:00
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AEEA Rep Council @ 4:00
ACSD School Board @ 6:00

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