

## Are You Registered to Vote? The Deadline Is Monday, October 19

You can register to vote online at [LAVote.net](http://LAVote.net).  
You can also:

- View Your Sample Ballot
- Find Your polling place
- Download a map to the polls

You may apply to **Vote By Mail** October 5 through October 27 at:

**LAVote.net.**

The polls are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. election day  
**Tuesday, November 3.**



2015 Delegates to the National Education Association Representative Assembly (NEA RA) reported on the proceedings at Council Tuesday, September 15. From left to right: Andy Shinn (BGI), Ed Guzman (MOI), Margie Sullivan (MPE), Margie Granado (BAE), Lorraine Richards (MTA), Kathy Reyes (BGI), Sandra Day, and Colleen Nishikawa-Alanis (BAE). Next year's NEA RA is in Washington D.C. Look for declarations of candidacy in January 2016.

## Apply Now! 2016 CTA Scholarship Applications Are Available

CTA has recently announced that applications are now being accepted for 2016 scholarships for members and their children.

1. CTA Scholarships for Members - Up to five \$3,000 scholarships will be awarded.
2. CTA Scholarships for Dependent Children (includes one *D. A. Weber Scholarship* for students attending continuation and alternative education high schools that plan to continue their education in a higher education institution) - Up to thirty-four \$5,000 scholarships will be awarded.
3. L. Gordon Bittle Memorial Scholarship - Up to three \$3,000 scholarships will be awarded to Student CTA (SCTA) members.
4. Del A. Weber Scholarship—Up to one \$5,000 scholarship for a dependent child attending continuation high school or an alternative education program.

Each scholarship requires a separate application, letters of recommendation and verification of membership. **Applicants must request President Lorraine Richards sign each application prior to submission.** In order to be eligible for consideration, all forms must be postmarked by **Friday, February 5**. Applications and additional information are available at [montbelloteachers.org](http://montbelloteachers.org) or [cta.org/scholarships](http://cta.org/scholarships).

## Enter the CTA César E. Chávez Memorial Education Program

The CTA César E. Chávez Memorial Education Program will provide recognition for students and their teachers who demonstrate an understanding of the vision and guiding principles by which César E. Chávez lived his life.

Group and individual awards are available. The Awards Program will honor the memory of this great man and ensure that the spirit of his work continues in the classrooms of California. Entries are due **Friday, January 15**. Applications are available at [cta.org](http://cta.org) and [montbelloteachers.org](http://montbelloteachers.org).

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