

What's New With Community Schools?

The newly ratified contract article on Community Schools focuses on transforming schools and improving outcomes for students. Community Schools Organizing Chairperson Elizabeth Kocharian (BGH) has visited community organizations highlighting the reasons students in the district will benefit from the implementation of the Community Schools system.

The Community Schools program is based on the philosophy that “every child deserves a chance to be their best every single day, and that the community can participate in identifying and solving the issues that get in the way of them being their best.” In September of 2021, Council passed a [Resolution for Educational Justice](#), affirming our commitment to the implementation of high quality Community Schools which will provide all students with equitable access to a high quality education.

The Community Schools system is built on four pillars: Expanded and Enriched Learning Time, Collaborative Leadership Practices, Active Student and Family Engagement and Integrated Student Supports.

The new contract language begins the process of composing a steering committee representing school employees, students, parents, and community partners.



Community School Organizer Elizabeth Kocharian and President David Navar visit community schools in Anaheim Union Secondary School District.

Ballot Waived: Local NEA RA Election Results

The NEA RA Delegate ballot was waived. The number of candidates was equal to or fewer than the number of NEA RA seats available. The following members were elected as delegates: Lorraine Richards, Andy Shinn, Renita Armstrong, William-Phil Rodriguez, and Maria Ramirez. In addition, David Navar and Margie Granado had been elected previously on two and three year seats, respectively.

Revenue and Expense Open Hearing
Tuesday, February 21 at 4 p.m. via Zoom
 Email MTA@MontebelloTeachers.org for an invitation