



Message from Dr. Mary Ann Dewan, County Superintendent of Schools

Dear Santa Clara County Community,

The winter chill is upon us. We must collectively wrap our arms around our communities to ensure their well-being and safety as colder temperatures approach.

During the Season of Giving, the Santa Clara County Office of Education will host a coat drive to benefit Santa Clara County youth in need. As we open our hearts this holiday season to support community members, please consider donating to the [One Warm Coat drive](#). To learn more about the SCCOE's Season of Giving Campaign and more, watch the County Superintendent of School, Dr. Mary Ann Dewan's Monthly Minute, found here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qT8hVCFHBVQ>



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DID YOU KNOW?

Earlier this year the SCCOE hosted a coat drive alongside One Warm Coat and about 50 jackets were donated.

Donated coats will assist families in their efforts to prepare for winter. Whether you prefer to spend the winter months indoors or outside, [Ready.gov](#) encourages communities to become winter-ready. The Santa Clara County Office of Emergency Management provides resources for county residents to prepare for emergencies, including those created by severe weather. An important resource to share is the [warming centers](#) throughout the county. By signing up

for AlertSCC, you can receive official alerts and warnings to help you and your communities stay safe.

When we all work together to protect and care for our most vulnerable populations, we can all thrive.

In partnership,

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- [SCCOE YouTube Channel](#)

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BECOME A PART OF **OUR** STORY

Visit the [SCCOE Job Opportunities Page](#) for the latest information and about job postings.

To stay up to date on all job opportunities at the SCCOE, register to receive the Jobs Bulletin: <https://sccoe.to/SCCOEJobsBulletin>

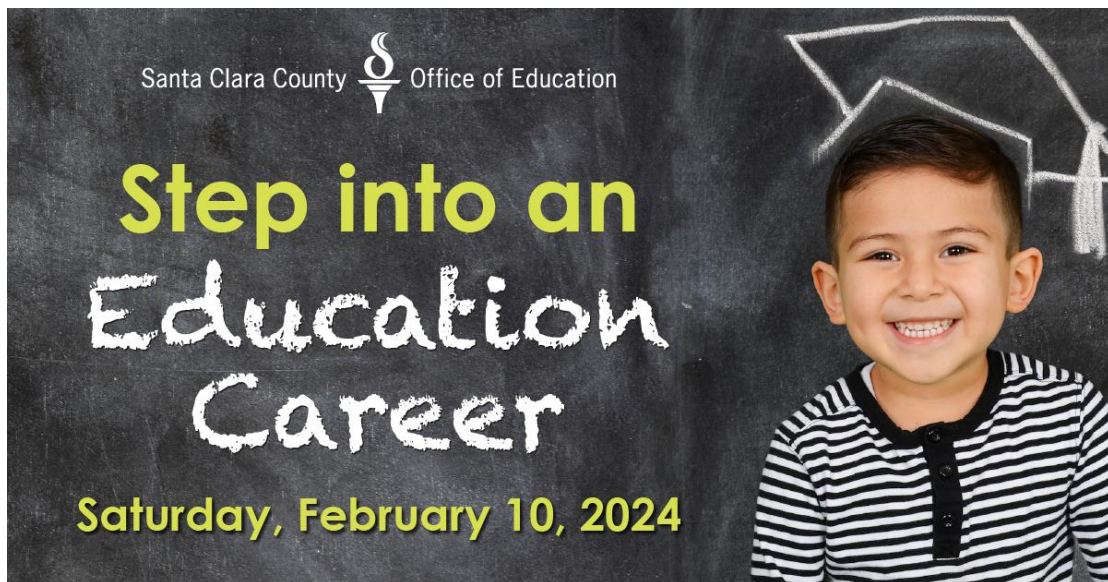
Community News and Resources



County Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Mary Ann Dewan, Monthly News Minute

Listen to County Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Mary Ann Dewan, discuss giving campaigns at the Santa Clara County Office of education.

To view, watch above or use this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qT8hVCFHBVQ>



Step Into an Education Career

Join us for the SCCOE's Step into an Education Career Event to help you learn and prepare for the joys of a career in education.

- Discover what is needed to become a teacher, counselor, school nurse, speech-language pathologist, and audiologist.
- Learn how to navigate the credentialing process.
- Talk with representatives from local universities and teaching programs.
- Learn about compensation, benefits, financial aid, and retirement.

To learn more or register, visit: www.sccoe.org/stepintoteaching



Monthly In-Park Junior Ranger Program

Join the Santa Clara County Parks Department for their Junior Ranger Program. Families are encouraged to join this one hour program. Once youth have completed three, they are eligible for a Santa Clara County Junior Ranger Badge.

To learn more or register, visit: <https://parks.sccgov.org/plan-your-visit/programs-events/junior-ranger-program>



Grant Opportunities for Educators

Educators are encouraged to view the grant opportunities available to them.

To view them, visit: <https://sccoe.to/GrantOpportunitiesforEducators>



SCCOE's Educator Workforce Pathways

The SCCOE has opportunities to advance your career with new credential options. Educator Workforce Pathways offers one-on-one support to help individuals secure grants and other funding opportunities to further their education.

To learn more, visit: <https://www.sccoe.org/educator-preparation-programs/Pages/ewp.aspx>



Storm Preparation

As winter weather approaches, it is important to prepare for a storm before they happen. The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services has information about what to do after storms.

To view this resource, visit: <https://news.caloes.ca.gov/what-to-do-after-a-severe-storm/>



Second Harvest of Silicon Valley

Free, healthy groceries are available for qualifying families through Second Harvest of Silicon Valley.

To learn more visit: www.shfb.org/getfood or call 1-800-984-3663

About the Santa Clara County Office of Education

Working collaboratively with school and community partners, the Santa Clara County Office of Education (SCCOE) is a regional service agency committed to serving, inspiring, and promoting student and public school success. The SCCOE is a premier service organization driven by the core principles of equity, diversity, inclusion, and partnership. For more information about the Santa Clara County Office of Education, please visit www.sccoe.org and follow us @SCCOE on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and [LinkedIn](#).

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