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IMPACT Weekly

July 21, 2021

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

Hello everyone,

Summer is in full swing, yet a new school year is right around the corner. On July 13th, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) released updated [K-12 Schools Guidance](#) which modifies the previous guidance. Safety measures will continue to be important for the operation of schools. All schools will be required to implement universal mask-wearing. All individuals must wear masks indoors on school campuses, regardless of vaccination status.

What does this mean for the districts within Santa Clara County? As districts [reopen for in-person instruction](#), all students and staff are required to wear face masks. Masking is a simple and effective intervention to prevent the spread of disease. Schools will also be maintaining protocols such as frequent hand-washing and sanitizing. We strongly encourage vaccinations for all those who are eligible and especially youth aged 12 to 17. We also encourage everyone to maintain prevention measures for those not vaccinated, especially children under age 12.

As the summer fun continues to shine bright, remember to stay hydrated and drink plenty of fluids, even if you're not thirsty. Schedule outdoor activities during the morning or evening hours to avoid hot, midday temperatures. And, check on a friend or neighbor frequently and have someone do the same for you.

Be Well,

Mary Ann Dewan, Ph.D.
County Superintendent of Schools



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Community News and Resources

CHILD INCOME TAX CREDIT



Child Tax Credit

Santa Clara Families: Learn about the new federal Child Tax Credit, who is eligible, and what may be needed in order to receive it. [Download an FAQ](#) or visit [IRS's Advance Child Tax Credit Payments in 2021](#).

NOW HIRING

GRANT WRITER/ RESEARCH
ANALYST, ASSOCIATE



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Now Hiring



Step into Teaching

Join the SCCOE's Virtual Step into Teaching: Opportunities in Silicon Valley Public Schools Event to help learn and prepare for the joys of a teaching career.

- Discover what is needed to become a teacher
- 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, visit:

<http://ow.ly/nJev50FxMIE>

"Service on the Civil Grand Jury offers civic-minded individuals an opportunity to engage with their community to critically assess the operations of local governmental entities. Our Court is currently seeking a diverse group of individuals with strong ethics to help serve the public's interests by investigating complaints and submitting meaningful solutions to a wide range of issues."

SANTA CLARA COUNTY
SUPERIOR COURT
PRESIDING JUDGE
HON. THEODORE C. ZAYNER

A logo of a woman in a white robe holding a sword and scales, standing on a triangular base.

2022 Civil Grand Jury Recruitment
Santa Clara County Superior Court

Civil Grand Jury Applications

Superior Court of California County of Santa Clara is accepting applications for the 2022 Civil Grand Jury until Friday September 17. For more information about the Santa Clara County Civil Grand Jury, visit www.scscourt.org.

Application: <https://tinyurl.com/CivilGrandJuryApplication>

Informational Brochure: <https://tinyurl.com/CGJBrochure>

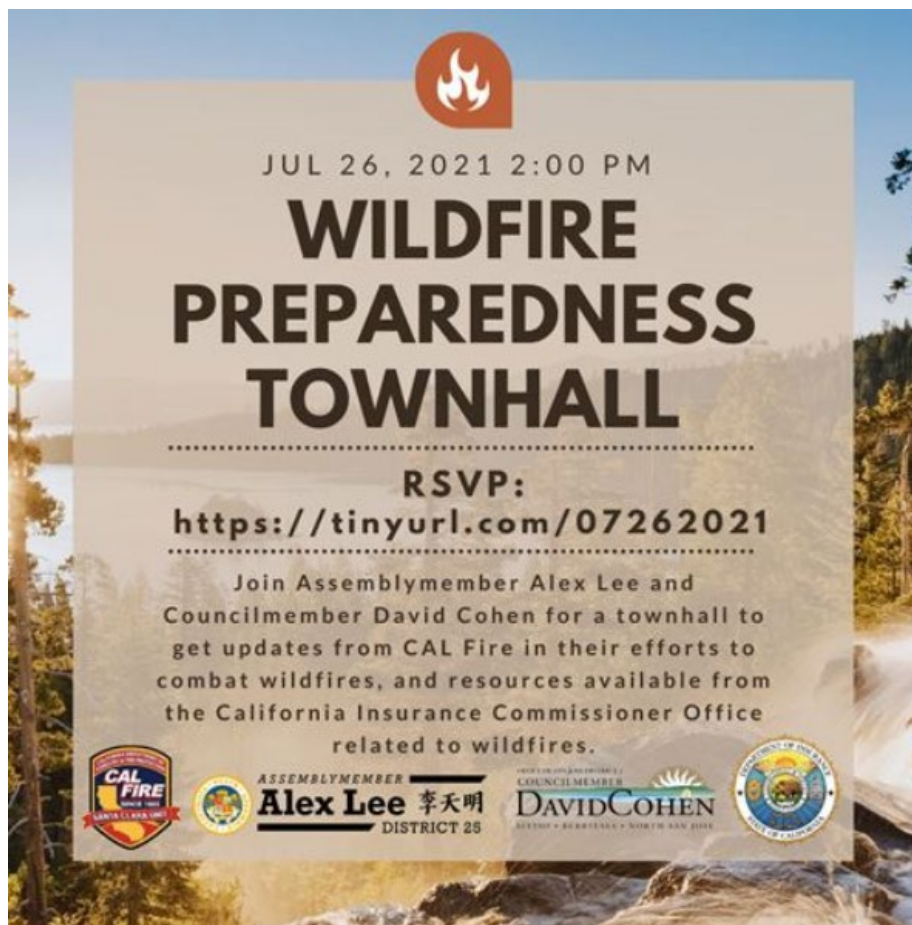


Vision Zero

The City of San José's Vision Zero Team and Fehr & Peers will host public input sessions this week to get feedback on how to make neighborhoods safer to walk, bike, and drive

- Via Valiente & Rajkovich Way: District 10 - Thursday, July 22 at 6 p.m. [Register on Zoom](#)
- Buena Vista: District 6 -Tuesday, July 27 at 7 p.m. [Register on Zoom](#)

Vision Zero is the City's initiative to reduce and eventually eliminate traffic fatalities and severe injuries. Vision Zero has three (3) public input sessions this week.



Wildfire Preparedness

Please Assemblymember Alex Lee, Councilmember David Cohen, CAL Fire's Santa Clara Unit, and the California Insurance Commissioner's Office for a townhall about wildfire preparedness on **Monday, July 26 at 2:00 pm**. Attendees will receive updates from CAL Fire's Santa Clara Unit on their efforts to combat wildfires and receive resources that are available from the California Insurance Commissioner's Office.

To register, visit [Assemblymember Lee's site](#).

Health and Wellness

Santa Clara County Weekly Vaccine Schedule

Week of July 19 - July 24, 2021.

Vaccines are free, easy, and safe. You do not need health insurance and all immigration statuses are eligible. Staff are onsite to support language needs and disability access.

Drop-in/no appointment needed at all of the following vaccine sites:

San Jose

Overfelt High School*

Thursday 7/22 10am-5:30pm

Friday 7/23 11:30am-7:30pm

Saturday 7/24 10am-5:30pm

1835 Cunningham Ave, San Jose, CA 95122

ALPHA Blanca Alvarado

Middle School

Monday 7/19 11am-6:30pm

1601 Cunningham Ave, San Jose, CA 95122

Del Monte Soccer Park

Tuesday 7/20 5pm-9pm

1806 W Home St, San Jose, CA 95126

Lvl Up

Friday 7/23 9am-1pm

409 S 2nd St, San Jose, CA 95113

Global Travel Broadcom

Friday 7/23 10am-5pm

280 Innovation Dr, San Jose, CA 95134

James Lick High School

Saturday 7/24 10am-5pm

23 N White Rd, San Jose, CA 95127

Mountain View

Google Charleston/Devcon

Construction

Friday 7/23 9am-1pm

1890 Shoreline Blvd, Mountain View,

CA 94043

Santa Clara

Saint Clare School and Church

Thursday 7/22 11am-3pm

810 Lafayette St, Santa Clara, CA

95050

Sunnyvale

Lakewood Elementary

Wednesday 7/21 9am-5pm

750 Lakechime Dr, Sunnyvale, CA

94089

Bishop Elementary School

Thursday 7/22 9am-3pm

450 N Sunnyvale Ave, Sunnyvale, CA

94085

*** Participating Raffle Location**

 2-1-1 sccFreeVax.org





In Conversation with the County

VACCINE EDITION

A virtual session where you can ask questions directly about COVID-19 to experts.



Wednesday, July 21

2:30 p.m.

Live on:



Facebook: @sccpublichealth



YouTube: SCCPublicHealth



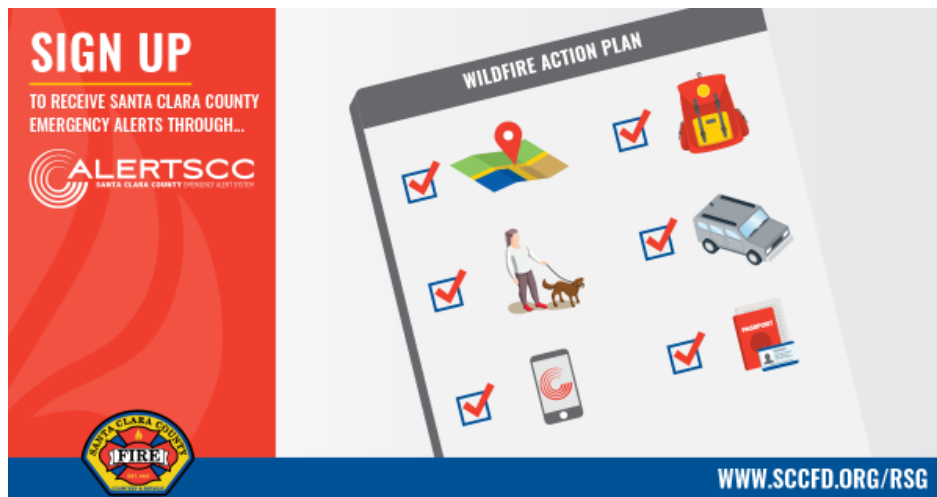
Submit your questions before the webinar by

- email: COVID19@eoc.sccgov.org
- Facebook Messenger: @sccpublichealth
- WhatsApp or Text: 669-666-4635



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sccvacuna.org
sccgov.org/cv19-es



ALERTSCC App

How can Santa Clara County Fire warn you if we can't reach you? Register to receive [#SantaClaraCounty](https://twitter.com/SantaClaraCounty) emergency alerts at alertscc.com. For more information on preparing your home and family for wildfire, visit sccfd.org/rsg.



Park Closures & Access Update

District News and Resources

~~TUPE~~
**TOBACCO USE
 PREVENTION EDUCATION**

Santa Clara County  Office of Education

TUPE Kick-Off Meeting: TUPE Site Coordinators and District Grant leads are invited to attend an orientation to learn about the Tobacco Use Prevention Education (TUPE) program for the 202-2022 school year. There will be the opportunity for TUPE teams to network and learn about local tobacco prevention services and resources available to students, families, and the greater community

The Meeting Will Cover:

- TUPE Program at a Glance 2021-2022
- TUPE Training & Event Calendar
- Youth & Parent Engagement Available Resources – Positive Behavior Interventions & Supports (PBIS) & Santa Clara County Public Health Department

The TUPE Program provides support, training, technical assistance, and information to districts in the development and implementation of tobacco-free policies and practices in schools. To learn more about the TUPE program, visit <https://www.sccoe.org/tupe>.

Email Alison Medeiros at amedeiros@sccoe.org with any questions.



2021 Grosvenor Teacher Fellows Recognition

**2021 Grosvenor Teacher Fellows Recognition
August 11 | 5 to 6:30 p.m.**

Join this special recognition hosted by Dr. Mary Ann Dewan, County Superintendent of Schools for the two Santa Clara County educators of 50 exemplary educators selected from across the U.S. and Canada for the 2021 Grosvenor Teacher Fellows! Learn about this once-in-a-life-time field-based professional learning opportunity on geographic education and local resources for teachers, students, and communities who deeply care about the planet. Intended audience includes teachers, administrators, and school board members. To register, [visit https://tinyurl.com/2021GTFellows](https://tinyurl.com/2021GTFellows).



Summer Series

The SCCOE's Grants and Partnerships Department is offering three (3) sessions in its summer training series.

Developing Logic Models for Grant Proposals

August 3 12:00 p.m.- 12:30 p.m.

To Register: <https://tinyurl.com/DevLogicModels>

Developing Measurable Outcomes for Grant Proposals

August 4 12:00 p.m.- 12:30 p.m

To Register: <https://tinyurl.com/DevOutcomes>

Building a Grant Proposal Budget

August 5 12:00 p.m.- 12:30 p.m

To Register: <https://tinyurl.com/BuildingGrantBudgets>

Click the links provided to to sign up for the workshop. If you have questions, please contact grants@sccoe.org.



[*Grant Opportunities for Educators*](#)

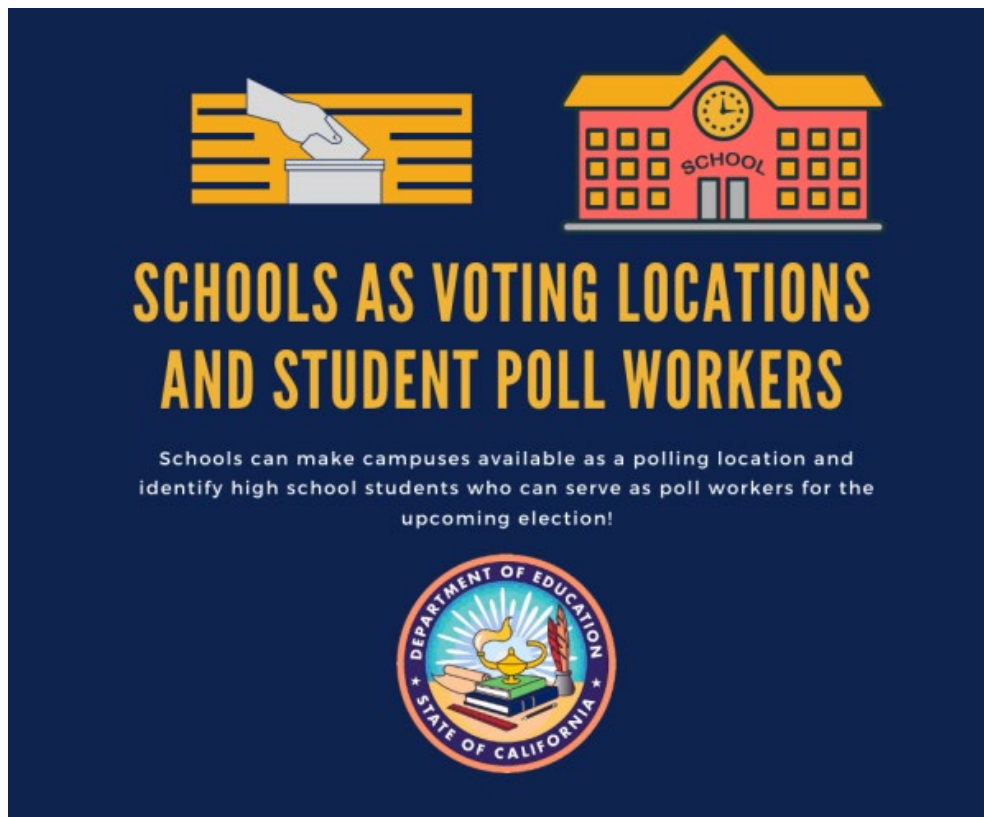
Teen Talk

On Wednesday, July 21, from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m., teens from across California will join a virtual meeting to discuss issues that are on their minds as they prepare for a safe return to campus this fall.

This Zoom event will be broadcasted on Facebook Live, Instagram Live and will be moderated by the 2021-22 incoming student board member for the State Board of Education, Rana Banankhah, who will be joined by several other California student leaders as co-facilitators. The event will feature remarks by State Superintendent [Tony Thurmond](#) and a special recorded message from several [Golden State Warriors](#) players.

Pre-register: <http://tinyurl.com/teentalkCDE>

FB event: <https://www.facebook.com/events/264380878787643>



Polling Locations Needed

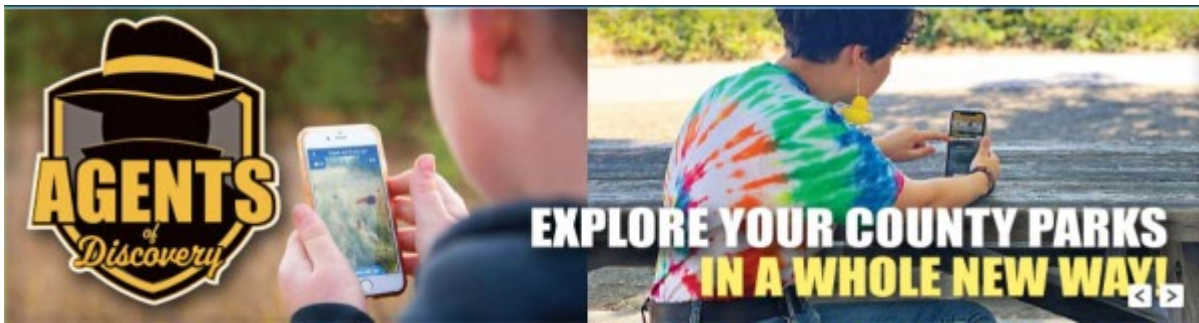
The shortage of voting locations and poll workers is a challenge facing local elections officials in California every election day. Campuses can be made available as a polling location, and students can be civically engaged and assist with the elections process, serving as poll workers. For more information, visit <https://www.cde.ca.gov/nr/el/le/yr21ltr0715.asp>.

Attendance Supervisor Certification Training

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August 25 | 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Reducing California's high chronic absenteeism rates is a priority in District Learning Continuity and Attendance Plans. This free webinar will focus on the three tiers to attendance supervision to support LEAs tiered reengagement strategies for students in the upcoming school year. To register, visit <https://tinyurl.com/AttendanceSupCert>.



[Agents of Discovery Mobile Game](#)



Jeffrey Coots, teaching algebra I from his parents' home earlier this academic year when all students were online only. "I've had to teach in a lot of different places this year," he says. (Jeffrey Coots)

[Mindshift Article: How to Help Students Succeed in Algebra 1 This Year](#)

CDE Equity Summit

CDE Summer Equity Summit Thursday, July 22

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Tony Thurmond and the California Department of Education (CDE) will host the CDE’s second virtual equity summit on Thursday, July 22, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. Convening to reimagine what schools and classrooms will look like as we re-engage students and families, the Summer Equity Summit invites participants to take a student-centered and data-driven approach to equity. For more information, or to register, visit <https://www.cde.ca.gov/eo/in/summer-equity-summit.asp>.

Announcements

There are no announcements for this week.

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 that provides instructional, business, and technology services to the 31 school districts of Santa Clara County. The County Office of Education directly serves students through special education programs, alternative schools, Head Start and State Preschool programs, migrant education, and Opportunity Youth Academy. The SCCOE also provides academic and fiscal oversight and monitoring to districts in addition to the 22 Santa Clara County Board of Education authorized charter schools.

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July 2021 Events Calendar

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