

SEA Waves



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SEA Special Ed Round Table:

We have scheduled an additional SEA Special Ed Round Table on **Thursday, April 30th** at 3:30 p.m. Please email SEA if you would like to receive a Zoom Invite. Please share your concerns and let's problem solve!

Early Tell

Retirement Deadline

This year the deadline has been extended to **May 1st**. Please use this link to obtain the Resignation/Retirement Form: <http://simi-ca.schoolloop.com/file/1537515200605/1551083720326/163304779761612204.pdf>
In future years, the deadline will revert to February 1st.

MEMBERSHIP PASSES TENTATIVE AGREEMENT

The Tentative Agreement was approved by membership, and the results were sent out to membership via email. On April 21st, the proposal will go before the School Board for ratification. After this, it has to be approved by the county. SEA is working with the district on timelines for issuing the 2% off schedule bonus and the PLC Leader Stipend of two days paid at the daily rate for 2019/20. We will communicate the dates once they are solidified.

VOLUNTARY & INVOLUNTARY TRANSFERS

We have begun to review preliminary staffing numbers with the district. The district may have to conduct some **involuntary transfers** due to enrollment shifts and retirements. In May, we hope to know more exact numbers, **but there is a chance that final moves will not be known until August**. The involuntary transfer contract language (**Article VII, Section D**) will be followed in order to make these placements for next year.

At this time, the district is posting known vacancies to create applicant pools.

<https://www.simi.k12.ca.us/certificatedemployment>

If you are interested in a possible **Voluntary Transfer**, please contact Janice Carnahan in Certificated Personnel,

janice.carnahan@simivalleyusd.org,

to express possible interest once the location of the open position is determined. Once the district determines the specific openings, you can pass on interviewing if you do not prefer the particular availability. Please see **Article VII, Section C** for our Contract Language regarding Voluntary Transfers. The district will go forward with interviewing new hires, but will not place the new hire until the Voluntary Transfer process is completed.



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