

Cambrian School Board Briefing

Cambrian School District, Thursday, September 5, 2019



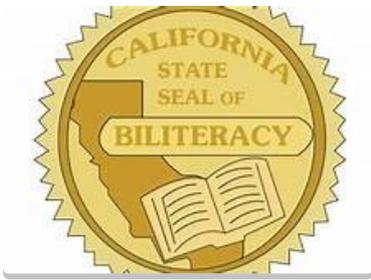
Middle School ELA/ELD Curriculum Adopted

The Board of Trustees unanimously voted to adopt new ELA/ELD curriculum. **Mr. Linh Nguyen**, Assistant Superintendent of Educational Service, summarized the District's English Language Arts/English Language Development Program selection process and gave the District recommendation of the final program selection for Grades 6-8, to be adopted in the 2019-2020 school year. The review committee chose Houghton Mifflin Collections for the 6-8 ELA/ELD Program. The estimated total cost is \$180,000, which includes professional development and eight years of digital subscriptions and consumables. The cost will be paid as follows: \$163,000 will come from restricted lottery funds, and \$17,000 will come from Title II and Supplemental Funds. [Click here to review](#) the new middle school curriculum.

CSD Enrollment Update

Superintendent **Dr. Carrie Andrews** provided an update as to current District enrollment, comparison overtones and the overall implication to the budget. **Presently, there are 3342 students enrolled in Cambrian Schools, down 46 students from projected enrollment of 3388.** Dr. Andrews also shared that other districts in the county are experiencing declining enrollment as well. [Click here](#) to review Dr. Andrews' presentation regarding enrollment.





Biliteracy Pathway Awards Program

In April of 2019, the Board of Trustees of the Cambrian School District adopted Board Resolution No.18-19-06 for adopting a Seal of Biliteracy and Biliteracy Pathway Awards Program to recognize significant student achievement in learning two or more languages.

Mr. Linh Nguyen presented to the Board the Biliteracy Pathway Awards Program implementation timeline for the 2019-20 school year, and gave them the opportunity to ask questions. Promotional material and a communication campaign will take place within the District to publicize the program and inform families. [Click here](#) to review the Biliteracy Pathway Awards Program Implementation presentation.

2019-20 Board Meeting Calendar Revision

The Board of Trustees voted to add **Wednesday, October 2nd** to the **Board Meeting calendar**, so as not to conflict with the annual County Teacher of the Year Recognition Celebration being held on Thursday, October 3, 2019.. [Click here](#) to view the calendar revisions.



CSEA/CSD Initial Proposal for Negotiations

To begin the collective bargaining process, the California School Employees' Association, Local 641 and the Cambrian School District's Initial proposals for negotiations were identified and the articles from the contract they would like to open for negotiation were introduced and approved by the Board. [Click here](#) to view the CSEA proposal for negotiations. [Click here](#) to view the CSD proposal for negotiations.

NEXT BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING

The next Cambrian School District Board of Trustees meeting will be held **Thursday, September 19, 2019** at the Professional Development Center at the District Office (4115 Jacksol Drive, San Jose, CA 95124). A **special community forum will take place from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. to discuss revenue-enhancing property redevelopment within the District. Then, the regular meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m.** [Please click here](#) to review the property redevelopment presentation.





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