

COLUSA COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

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IMPORTANT DATES
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for more information

May 1 & 5

Paraeducator
Assessments

May 4

Migrant Farm Housing
Resource Fair

May 17

SELPA CAC
Student Art Show

May 18

Caring Youth Count
Awards

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COLUSA COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS ADVOCATES FOR STUDENTS IN WASHINGTON D.C.

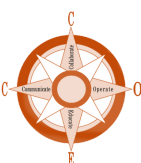
On March 29, Colusa County Superintendent of Schools, Michael P. West, returned from a weeklong advocacy trip to Washington D.C. Mr. West, along with fellow County Superintendents from Amador, Kern, Lake, Lassen, Merced, Napa, Placer, and Santa Clara met with Vice President Kamala Harris's Chief of Staff, Representatives Kevin McCarthy, Kevin Kiley, Doug LaMalfa, Jimmy Panetta, Mike Thompson, David Valadao, and Senator Alex Padilla among others.

While advocating for public school students, Mr. West had the opportunity to discuss Head Start, E-rate/Cybersecurity, Special Education, Secure Rural Schools, and Title 1 Funding at these meetings. This federal advocacy trip has been an annual excursion for the group, but this year's trip was the first time Mr. West and his companions were able to visit the capitol since the COVID-19 pandemic began.



FAMILY FAIR HIGHLIGHTS

The Children's Services Department hosted its annual "Family Fair" event on April 15 at the Colusa County Fairgrounds. Attendees had the pleasure of experiencing live music, a magic show, ventriloquism act, petting zoo, and a vendor fair of over 20 local vendors offering free family resources.



CCOE EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION

WINTER TRIMESTER 2022/23



SAMANTHA GRAVES
Teacher of the Trimester
Special Education

Samantha is a Special Education Teacher at Burchfield Primary School.



KELLI RANDOLPH
Classified Employee of the Trimester
Special Education

Kelli is a Paraeducator at Colusa High School.

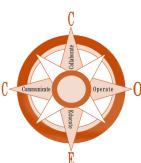


GRISELDA TIJERNIA
Certificated Employee of the Trimester
Children's Services

Griselda is a teacher at the Arbuckle Early Care & Education Center.

ITSAGERI RUIZ
Teacher of the Trimester
Children's Services

Itsageri is a teacher at the Arbuckle Early Care & Education Center.



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WINTER TRIMESTER 2022/23



LYDIA NAVARRO

Classified Employee of the Trimester
Children's Services

Lydia is the Family Services Division
Family Engagement Coordinator.



TIFFANI FUSARO

Certificated Employee of the Trimester
Special Education

Tiffani is a Special Education Speech &
Language Specialist.

CONGRATULATIONS CCOE GRADUATES!



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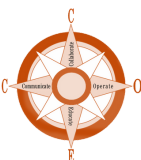
High School Diploma
Colusa County Adult School
March 2023



LETICIA SAAVEDRA HERNANDEZ

High School Diploma
Colusa County Adult School
April 2023

The Colusa County Adult School has open enrollment year-round! Programs offered include High School Diploma, HiSet Preparation, English As a Second Language (ESL), Citizenship, Career Technical Education (CTE), Wildland Fire Academy (WFA), and Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). To learn more, visit www.colusacountyadulthoodschool.net or call (530) 473-1350.





FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM

WILLIAMS UPPER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



CCOE Farm to School Program Lab Supervisor Tanner Bloom spent the month of April teaching Colusa County school children about spring planting. Students had the opportunity to learn about Armenian Cucumbers, Pineapple Tomatoes, Sunflowers, Zinnias, and Marigolds. The children then had the chance to sow seeds from these plants in beds built by Mr. Bloom at their school sites. Below are some photos taken from a few of these student planting experiences at one of the sites: Williams Upper Elementary School.

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"AND LITERACY FOR ALL" RECOGNIZES TOP CLASS



Students at Williams Preschool Learning Center A received special recognition by Superintendent of Schools Michael P. West and the "And Literacy For All" team for their classroom usage of Footsteps2Brilliance. For the month of March, 73% of the students in Teacher Viridiana's class utilized Footsteps2Brilliance each day as part of the daily in-class curriculum. Additionally, the students have spent 231 hours working on literacy development, read 960 eBooks, written 309 of their own eBooks, played 3,070 literacy games, and read 543,059 words so far this school year.

RESOURCE FAIR

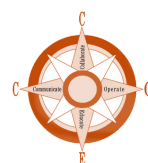


Presented by the County of Colusa with support provided by CCOE's Prevention Services Department

MAY 3:00pm - 6:30pm

4 Colusa County Migrant Farm Housing
400 Theatre Rd.
Williams, CA

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STUDENT ART SHOW



Presented by the Colusa County
Special Education Local Plan Area
Community Advisory Committee



MAY 17, 2023
5:00PM - 7:00PM

CCOE EDUCATION VILLAGE
Multipurpose Room
499 Margurite Street, Williams

WELCOME CCOE NEW HIRES!

NOEMI IBARRA LANDEROS
Paraeducator
Special Education

ISABELLE DELGADO
Paraeducator
Special Education

ROSA SALAZAR
Associate Teacher
Children's Services

We are hiring!
Full-Time, Part-Time &
Substitute
Employment
Opportunities. Contact
Human Resources at
(530) 458-0350 or scan
the QR code to see
current job openings!



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Spring Break Reading Challenge April 10 - May 12

Help your student “spring” into reading this Spring Break!

It’s easy to keep learning during spring break on the Footsteps2Brilliance app.

Join the challenge and complete one square on the gameboard each day to become a **Spring Reading Champion**.

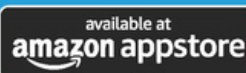
Sherlock's Writer's Club

Top class in the County will be rewarded with a class trophy. Each student in the top class will receive a reading ribbon and certificate.

Play 15 mins a day!



Login to www.myf2b.com from your computer or download the FREE app.



For more information contact **Stefani Santana**.
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Big Brains for Little People™

