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What Are My Contractual Rights Concerning Parent Conferences?

You are encouraged to conference with parents or guardians of their students regarding individual progress during the school year. Article IV. Hours and Assignments Section J outlines the requirements for parent conferences.

- You are not required to attend parent conferences of students who are not in your class.
- If you request support at a parent conference, an administrator must attend.
- Except in the case of an emergency, you have the right to one day advance notice before meeting with the parent or guardian of a student in your class.

To meet the needs of parent conferences, the instructional day must be reduced by no less than 650 minutes in K-5 settings and 560 minutes in 6-8 settings. Bargaining Unit members will provide the site administrator with reports on the conferences scheduled and conferences held. Each Bargaining Unit member is required to attend four evening meetings each year. The meetings may not begin before 5 p.m. nor end after 8 p.m. A site administrator may require a Bargaining Unit member to attend evening conferences as one of the evening meetings.

Head Start - Bargaining Unit members will conduct home visits and inform the administrator of the date, time, and location of home visits. And administrator shall be available during these home visits for immediate telephone contact.

K-3 Settings - Bargaining Unit member shall schedule and attempt to conference with parents/guardians of all students who are assigned to their classrooms during fall conferences. During the second conference period Bargaining Unit members shall schedule and attempt to conference with parents/guardians of students with whom they have not contacted since the fall conferences and whose academic or behavioral progress may require intervention.

4-8 Settings - Bargaining Unit member shall schedule and attempt to conference with a minimum of 30 parents or guardians of students assigned to their classrooms during the fall conference period. During the second conference period, Bargaining Unit members shall schedule and attempt to conference with parents/guardians of students whose progress they deem at risk and with whom they have not had contact since the fall.

9-12 Settings - Through instructional technology, Bargaining Unit members will generate communications to parents/guardians regarding students who receive a grade of "D" or lower or who are in danger of failing at the end of the grading period.

High School Director Elizabeth Kocharian volunteers at the Phone Bank October 10.



Over, please...



Phone Bank Fun!

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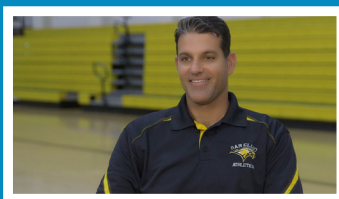
Volunteers are phone banking at the MTA office. See the complete schedule at MontebelloTeachers.org.



Monday	17-Oct	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.	GWE	
Tuesday	18-Oct	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.	LME	MPE
Wednesday	19-Oct	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.	SHS	
Thursday	20-Oct	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.	EAI	AMSA
Monday	24-Oct	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.	CCE	
Tuesday	25-Oct	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.	MHS	MGE
Wednesday	26-Oct	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.	FRE	AMSA
Thursday	27-Oct	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.	JGE	BGE BVE

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