



Board of Education

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Dear Parent:

Covina-Valley Unified School District will continue to participate in California's ***School District of Choice Program*** permitted by Education Code 48300 through 48317 as established in SB 680, the "School District of Choice" Bill. Since C-VUSD is a "School District of Choice," **any parent or guardian who does not live within C-VUSD school district boundaries and is interested in having their child attend C-VUSD schools entering grades TK-11, will not be required to be released from their district of residence if they apply for, and are accepted to, our District of Choice program.**

District of Choice applications MUST be completed and submitted to the Covina-Valley Unified School District between October 16, 2026 and December 18, 2026. You do not need to be released from your district of residence to submit your application and be accepted. Please return the application either in person or via U.S. mail (**postmarked no later than December 18, 2026**) to:
Covina-Valley Unified School District, Student Services (ATTN: D.O.C.), 519 E. Badillo St., Covina, CA 91723.

District of Choice applications will NOT be accepted if hand-delivered or postmarked after December 18, 2026.

Also, note that we are unable to accept applications for students from the following districts: Pomona USD, Rowland USD, Charter Oak USD, or Azusa USD.

If the number of applications exceeds the number of available spaces in the Covina-Valley Unified School District, a public lottery drawing will take place in January 2027. If the number of applications does not exceed the number of available spaces, all applications received by December 18, 2026, will be accepted for admission by the Board of Education. Letters will be mailed out by March 2027 with tentative school assignments. **PLEASE NOTE: School assignments for the 2027-28 school year are based on space availability. Your school assignment may be changed through August 16, 2027.**

Late applications will not be accepted - no exceptions! Any applications received after the December 18, 2026 deadline will NOT be considered for the 2027-28 District of Choice enrollment.

We look forward to serving your family's educational needs in the Covina-Valley Unified School District. Please contact my office at (626) 974-7000 should you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Fernando Sanchez
Director of Student Services