

BVEA Site Reps Interest Form (24-25) (link no longer active)

Hello everyone!

Welcome back! 🙌🙌🙌 I am so grateful for my BVUSD family... we all bring something special to the table and I truly appreciate you all. 😊 I'd also like to welcome back everyone who served on our BVEA executive board from last year...everyone's returning! WHOOOO! You can see those people [HERE on the top two rows of this webpage](#).

In addition, I just returned a few days ago from a three day CTA union President's Conference. I'm on fire for supporting you all and I'm looking forward to a great year, as is the rest of my team! 🔥🔥🔥

Each member of the team is critical to making sure the union runs smoothly. Each year, BVEA asks for 1-2 persons per site to participate as Site Reps. If you aren't sure what a site rep does, they work hand-in-hand with the president and other exec board members to keep the sites informed, and also sit in on disciplinary meetings with members and admin as a notetaker and important witness. Site reps also run site elections and help with organizing in case of impending strike. This is a great way to get your feet wet with union participation and there is a small stipend involved. *If you're interested, either as a new site rep or returning, please reply to the above linked form no later than Tuesday, July 30th at 5pm.* At this time, North Shore is the only site with two reps. BVVA is represented by the BBMS site rep and CT is represented by the BBHS rep. Certificated members, such as psychologists/speech therapists/counselors/district nurse, who are considered Districtwide or are primarily housed at the DO, will be represented by the Fallsvale site rep.

If more than one person volunteers per site, there will be a paper ballot election next week to determine who will serve this year or members may choose to share the responsibilities. **Sites DO NOT need to have a conversation in a staff meeting and come to consensus before this form is filled out, but of course, if your site wants to do that, go right ahead. Just realize that ANYONE can fill out this interest form and that's how the decision will be made.** This is our third year of choosing site reps in this way.

In addition, here is the [BVEA/CTA/NEA dues structure for this year](#). BVEA dues did NOT increase, but there has been a slight increase from last year in CTA (\$30 annually) and NEA (\$5 annually).

Thanks again for all you do and I'll be more in touch next week about who will be serving as your site reps. Good luck this year and let's enjoy the process together as the awesome TEAM we are and can be!

