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TO: The Board of Education

FROM: Anna Trunnell, Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources

SUBJECT: Authorizing Teachers to Teach Outside of Their Major or Minor- Teacher Consent Report

As of September, based on the 2020-2021 master schedules of class assignments, the following teachers were being asked to teach outside of their major or minor fields. To support the principals' class schedules, we are requesting the Board approve the following list of teachers to teach outside of their credential area through provisions set forth in Education Code and Board Policy 4113.

Board Policy 4113 reads: "With his or her consent, a full-time teacher with special skills and preparation outside of his or her credential authorization may be assigned to teach in the areas of his or her special skills, provided the assignment is approved by the District".

With respect to the following teachers and their class assignments, you will notice the majority of the classes are electives. In some cases there is no credentialing in the area. Teachers have been asked to keep in contact with their Human Resources Technician who will keep a list of units, workshops, seminars and other activities attended to support their knowledge and skills to keep course curriculum relevant.

School	Name	Assignment	Education Code Authorization	Years Teaching Class	Professional Growth Activities or Coursework	Is Credential Available?
Comstock Middle School	Angela Ghigliazza	Connections/ Exploring College & Career	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	1	Ms. Ghigliazza holds a Multiple Subject Credential with a Math Auth. plus General Subjects Exam. She has taught curriculum from Junior Achievement for the past 3 years in math class.	Business
Comstock Middle School	Dale Horine	Exploratory Art/Video	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	1	Mr. Horine holds a Single Subject Credential in Math. He also holds a BA in Music, and is credentialed to teach music in Arkansas and Ohio. He taught music in Arkansas (2010 to 2017), and in Ohio (2017 to 2019). He was a music minister from 2002 to 2012. He plays and writes music regularly.	Art
Lawrence Cook Middle School	David Fiore	AVID	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	6	Mr. Fiore holds a Multiple Subject Credential and Single-subject credential for ELA. (He recently passed the CSET Single Subject for ELA Subtests I-IV.) He passed a University of Phoenix course in methodology directly related to teaching in a departmentalized setting in the specific content area. He did an AVID Digital Training at their Summer Institute. He's been a presenter at Teacher Professional Development for Tech Days. He has been a mentor teacher for a Sonoma State University student teacher. He does ongoing Grade Level collaboration with his site.	None

Lawrence Cook Middle School	Jennifer Dominguez	ASB/Leadership	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	3	Ms. Dominguez holds a Single Subject Credential in PE. She has participated in Dynamic Mindfulness and CRSH, has been trained in Restorative Classroom Circles and Restorative Conferencing. She has been an MTSS Tier 1 Lead, has done a CHOPS Leadership Conference, and attends Department Chair meetings.	Social Science
Herbert Slater Middle School	Sandra Martin	Multi Media Production	Ed Code 44258.3	16	Ms. Martin holds a Multiple Subject Credential and an EL Authorization. He attended Digital Media Tech, and CLMS Tech. An observation of a lesson was completed on 1/21/2021 by Mitchell Tucker, principal of Slater Middle School.	Art or Industrial & Technology Education
Herbert Slater Middle School	Sandra Martin	Leadership	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	16	Ms. Martin holds a Multiple Subject Credential and an EL Authorization. She attends CASL, and CADA Leadership Conferences yearly and completed coursework in Leadership and Activities Planning. She is the Leadership Teacher and Activities Director at Slater Middle School. She runs the Student Council and leads community service events.	Social Science
Herbert Slater Middle School	Kyle Desideri	Wood Industrial Technology	Ed Code 44258.3	20	Mr. Desideri holds a Single Subject Credential in Social Science. He works in construction and subscribes	Industrial & Technology Education

					to magazines and watches YouTube videos on the subject. He also does personal projects as ideas for new class projects. An observation of a lesson was completed on 1/15/2021 by Mitchell Tucker, principal of Slater Middle School.	
Rincon Valley Middle School	Jen Toby	Video Tech 1	Ed Code 44258.7(c)	17	Ms. Toby holds a Single Subject Credential in English. She minored in Media and Communications at Sonoma State. She has attended the Windsor Film Festival, and several Filmmaking and Video Tutorials.	Art
Rincon Valley Middle School	Kirsten Bathe	Leadership	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	5	Ms, Bathe has a Single Subject Teaching Credential in Physical Education. She has taken two 3-unit college courses ("Adding New Ideas to Curriculum" and "Teaching More Creatively and Motivationally"), and she was mentored by a Leadership Teacher.	Social Science

Ridgway High School - ISPI	Ann Bocc	Independent Study: Math, English, Science, PE	Ed Code 44865	4	Ms, Bocc has a Single Subject Teaching Credential in General Science; she also holds a Multiple Subject Credential. She is a guide for all subjects taught to high school and middle school through ISP -- this includes all core subjects for grades 7-12 and several different electives. She taught science for 2 years at Cook Middle School. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Santa Rosa Middle School	Debra LaPrath	Leadership	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	26	Ms. LaPrath holds a Single Subject Credential in Adaptive Physical Education. She is a CADA Member and regularly attends CADA Webinar Sessions, including their Service Learning virtual event; She attended the "We" Seminar. She is currently working on a Master's Degree in Educational Administration and Leadership with an Administrative Credential.	Social Science
Elsie Allen High School	Sabrina Vedder	AVID	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	3	Ms. Vedder holds a Single Subject Credential in Spanish. She attended the AVID Summer Institute in 2018 and 2019. She has an ongoing MyAVID subscription and participates in an AVID teacher's Facebook collaboration group. And she attends weekly AVID meetings.	None

Elsie Allen High School	Richard Molloy	AVID	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	3	Mr. Molloy holds a Single Subject Credential in Social Science. He weekly uses MyAVID.org. In 2021 he completed 7 hours of training in Step Up to Writing professional development, an important component for AVID since writing is one of the five skill domains of AVID. And in 2020-2021 he attended various professional development classes sponsored by the district that support WICOR.	None
Elsie Allen High School	Rosa Martinez	Student Government	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	1	Ms. Martinez holds a Single Subject Teaching Credential in Math. She attends a leadership meeting with all Sonoma County leaders monthly, attends Best Plus meetings monthly, does regular food drives. She was in student leadership in High School.	Social Science
Elsie Allen High School	Annette Bustamante	AVID	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	9	Ms. Bustamante holds a Single Subject Credential in Biological Sciences. She attends the AVID Summer Institute yearly, and collaborates weekly with other AVID teachers.	None
Montgomery High School	Andrea Kenny	AVID	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	2	Ms. Kenny holds a Clear Single Subject Credential in English with an EL Authorization. She attends the AVID Summer Institute yearly.	None
Montgomery High School	James LaFrance	Student Government	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	6	Mr. LaFrance holds a Single Subject Credential in Math. He attends a monthly ASB Advisor Collaboration, gets weekly CADA updates, is on the Principal's Advisory Committee, and he is a volunteer Board Member.	Social Science

Montgomery High School	Grant Gibbs	AVID	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	11	Mr. Gibbs holds Single Subject Credentials in English and History. He attends the AVID Summer Institute yearly.	None
Montgomery High School	Tina Angel	AVID	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	13	Ms. Angel holds a Clear Single Subject Teaching Credential in Foundational Level Math. She attends the AVID Summer Institute yearly and has a membership with myAVID.org.	None
Montgomery High School	Paul Van Tuyl	AVID	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	5	Mr. Van Tuyl holds a Single Subject Credential in English with a CLAD certificate. Attends the Summer AVID Institute yearly and attended an AVID Digital Teaching and Learning workshop.	None
Montgomery High School	Paul Van Tuyl	Theory of Knowledge IB	Ed Code 44258.3	1	Mr. Van Tuyl holds a Single Subject Credential in English with a CLAD certificate. He attended IB Portal Programme Resource and Communities Reading, and will be attending IB Theory of Knowledge Training summer 2021 for Curriculum Review Changes. An observation of a lesson was completed on 1/28/2021 by Adam Paulson, principal of Montgomery High School.	Social Science

Montgomery High School	Simone Harris	Theory of Knowledge IB	Ed Code 44258.3	10	Ms. Harris holds a Single Subject Credential in English with a CLAD Certificate. She has been Appropriately trained in IB TOK and attended several extensive professional IB trainings for the course. She is a regular subscriber to Philosophy Now and has a keen understanding of how epistemological concerns in TOK relate to different schools of philosophy and areas of knowledge. Her expertise and extensive graduate work in literature is highly relevant to the area of knowledge of the Arts as well as language. She studies ethics, mathematics, the natural sciences, history, religious knowledge systems and indigenous knowledge systems through books, articles, lectures and Ted Talks. An observation of a lesson was completed on 1/19/2021 by Monique Luke, vice principal, of Montgomery High School.	Social Science
Maria Carrillo High School	Tyson Ruzler	Computers	Ed Code 44258.3	2	Mr. Ruzler holds a Single Subject Credential in Biological Sciences, Geosciences. He has completed numerous Professional Development courses in Computer Science, totaling nearly 100 hours. An observation of a lesson was completed on 2/1/2021 by Katie Barr, principal of Maria Carrillo High School.	Business
Piner High School	Mark Mantoani	Health Science Biotech	Ed Code 44258.3	15	Mr. Mantoani holds a Clear Single Subject Credential in: LifeScience,	Biology

					Chemistry and Psychology. He helped write the course and it used to be under the science department purview, for which he is department chair. He has spent hundreds of hours developing the curriculum and practicing skills. He has gone on field trips, attended many workshops, and did field work related to this course. An observation of a lesson was completed on 1/14/2021 by John Kennedy, assistant principal at Piner High School.	
Piner High School	Amanda Park	Student Government	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	3	Ms. Park holds a Preliminary Credential: Mild/Moderate. She has a yearlong CADA Membership, she does regular networking with other ASB advisors from across Sonoma County, does monthly Workshops with ASB advisors and student government students in Sonoma County, and attended a Professional Development for all ASB advisors.	Social Science
Piner High School	Kurt Kruger	GIS	Ed Code 44258.3	20	Mr. Kruger holds a Single Subject Credential in Chemistry and Life Science with a supplementary authorization in Psychology. He has attended the GIS Day Committee, and done ArcGIS Online training and GIS Teaching online during Covid Webinar. He reads 2 professional journals: ArcGIS News and ArcNews,. He has done the FAA Drone Prep. and attends The American Surveyor. An observation of a lesson was completed on 1/20/2021 by Stacy Desideri.	Geoscience

Piner High School	Eric Cecil	Health Science Biotech-3 (CTE)	Ed Code 44258.3	2	Mr. Cecil holds a Single Subject Credential in Science, Biological Sciences. He holds a MS in Biology and has a prior career in mental health. This year he intends on pursuing his CTE credential. He just cleared his science credential. He is investigating starting a HOSA chapter, and is a NSTA member. An observation of a lesson was completed on 1/29/2021 by Stacy Desideri.	CTE Credential
Piner High School	John Williams	Project Make Year 1 and 2 - Applied Physics. (Electives)	Ed Code 44258.7 (c)	1	Mr. Williams holds credentials in Math, Foundational Science and English. He has done four trainings in early 2021: on CoderZ platform for Robotics and Programming, on EarSketch platform for Music and Programming, on Easel platform for CAD development and CNC carving, and lastly on Arduino programming. He completed a three-month Autodesk Fusion 360 software training course. He completed three webinars on Educating for Equity in STEM. He is a member of the Computer Science Teachers of America and attended the CSTA National Conference July of 2020. Also, he is Trellis Mentor Fellow where he provides mentorship and support for new STEM teachers from pre-service through the first 5 years of teaching. Lastly, he meets with other teachers to plan and implement Electronic Vehicle-related curriculum.	Physics

Ridgway High School	Caitlin Cameron	Living Earth/Biology	Ed Code 44865	1	Ms. Cameron holds a Single Subject: Credential in Foundational General Science, and a Multiple Subject Credential. She is on the SRCS Living Earth Curriculum Pilot Team. She facilitates the FARMS Team, and attended the NGSS summit at SCOE. She does school garden network trainings and has participated in TESA at her school site. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Ridgway High School	Nora Patterson	Financial Math	Ed Code 44865	1	Ms. Patterson holds a Multiple Subject Credential and a Reading and Literature Certification. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Ridgway High School	Dinah Costello	Financial Math	Ed Code 44865	1	Ms. Costello holds a Lifetime Elementary Credential and a Supplemental Authorization in Geoscience. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A

Ridgway High School-ISP	Francine Leiphart	Independent Study: Math, English, Science, PE	Ed Code 44865	1	Ms. Leiphart holds a Single Subject Teaching Credential in Math, and a BL Auth. in Spanish. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Ridgway High School-ISP	Elizabeth Brennan	Independent Study: Math, English, Science, PE	Ed Code 44865	6	Ms. Brennan holds a Single Subject Teaching Credential in English. She has attended a Google Arts & Cultural Workshop, a Workshop for New Science Curriculum, and Visual Thinking Strategies Training (for art). Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Santa Rosa High School	Sherry Trainor	Independent Study: Math, English, Science, PE	Ed Code 44865	4	Ms. Trainor has a Single Subject Teaching Credential in English. She has passed the CSET and has a Specialist Instruction Credential in both Reading and Special Education. She has both the Autism Spectrum Disorders Authorization and the Emotional Disturbance Authorization where she can assess, and provide instruction and special education related services to individuals with these disabilities. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A

The Bridge Academy	Katherine Hill	Math, Science, English	Ed Code 44865	5	Ms. Hill holds a Multiple Subject Credential. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Learning House	Florentino Garcia	Project Learning House (Electives)	Ed Code 44865	24	Mr. Garcia holds a Single Subject Teaching Credential in Social Science. He attends Rooster Fellowship at SCOE, did Project Wayfinder Training, did ABC Clio Problem-based Learning webinar, and participates in a Learning House Collaborative. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Learning House	Annie Scully	Project Make/Learning House (Electives)	Ed Code 44865	1	Ms. Scully holds a Single Subject Teaching Credential in English. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Learning House	Deborah Ramos	Project Make/Learning House (Electives)	Ed Code 44865	8	Ms. Ramos holds an Education Specialist Instruction Credential. She does PBL with SCOE weekly, and she participates in Mike Hauser Algebra Academy weekly. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A

Learning House	Sarah Oster	Project Make/Learning House (Electives)	Ed Code 44865	16	Ms. Oster holds a Single Subject Credential in English. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Learning House	Jaime Hamilton	Project Make/Learning House (Electives)	Ed Code 44865	1	Ms. Hamilton holds a Single Subject Teaching Credential in English with a Social Sciences Authorization. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A
Learning House	Tyler Ahlborn	English, Math, Science, Social Science/Learning House	Ed Code 44865	6	Mr. Ahlborn holds a Single Subject Credential in both English and General Science. Ed Code 44865 allows that a valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.	N/A

Key to Local Assignment Authorizations

1. Ed. Code 44263 - Out of Major/Minor, authorization to teach a single subject with 18 semester units or 9 upper division units.	2. Ed. Code 44256 (b) – holding Multiple Subject or Standard Elementary Credential can teach a single subject in grades 9 and below with 20 semester units or 10 upper division units.	3. Ed. Code 44258.2 – holding a Single Subject or Standard Secondary Credential can teach in grades 5-8 with 12 semester units or 6 upper division units.	4. Ed. Code 44258.3 - Verification of Subject Matter Knowledge - Assessment completed and verified.	5. Ed. Code 44258.7 (c) -Petition to teach electives outside of Credential Authorization.	6. Ed Code 44865 - A valid teaching credential issued by the CTC shall be deemed qualifying for assignment in a necessary small high school or home and hospital setting.
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