

Sacramento City Unified School District
Board of Education Meeting

June 25, 2020 Public Comments

Name:	Alina Cervantes
Comment:	<p>First priority: we need a plan for fall now! There needs to be a requirement that teachers are prepared to teach online and use Google classroom in the fall in case of future shut downs. There will be no excuse this time for not being prepared. Doing nothing more than Emailing assignments is not acceptable for Fall. Refusing to use the districts platform of google classroom should not be an option. Our children can not afford to miss more days of instruction. Parents also need to plan ahead. We can't wait until a couple of weeks before school for a decision to be made. Second priority: If you are calling for an end to police union money in city council and school board elections, but are dead silent on teachers union money you are either a hypocrite or your eyes are still closed, particularly those of you who sit on this Board and know the game. It's time to get SCTA money out of school board races. I challenge all people running to say no to the cash. We need independent leaders who will be free to put our children first, not people who owe favors to adults and use their platform as a microphone for SCTA talking points. Put your money where your mouth is, and reject police AND teachers union money.</p>

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Comment:	<p>The SCTA proposal for MTSS is infuriating. SCTA, a labor organization that represents adults, continues to think they are in charge of our school district and should be able to dictate what services are offered to children with special needs.</p> <p>We already know from previous actions like Appendix D that SCTA serves adults, not children. That is literally their job- protect labor conditions and salary. They are not an organization designed to serve children with special needs. Union boss John Borsos is not Christine Baeta. We will never get reform with teachers unions acting like they are the school board and police unions acting like they are the city council!</p> <p>For the SCUSD negotiations team, don't you dare sell out our kids like this. We are sick of board members that roll over and let the labor union decide what service our kids will get. That has blocked reforms for our district for decades. This is exactly why no one running for school board should ever take teacher union money.</p>

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Name:	Michelle Sweezey
Comment:	Teacher's Unions used to be about ensuring fair labor practices for educators, now they are about influencing politics and making money. We need organizations that are here for kids, not adults. A union that's focused on its own best interest isn't one that's focused on children and learning. I request that SCUSD ban campaign contributions from Teachers Unions for board elections to ensure fair and unbiased elections.

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