



**NOTICE REGARDING UPCOMING VISIT
BY CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, CIVIL RIGHTS ENFORCEMENT
SECTION, BUREAU OF CHILDREN'S JUSTICE**

Dear Parents and Guardians:

The mission of the Bureau of Children's Justice, within the California Department of Justice's Civil Rights Enforcement Section, is to protect the rights of children, including the right to be free from sexual abuse, assault, and harassment.

On May 17 and 18, 2023, the Bureau of Children's Justice will visit Redlands Unified School District to continue to gather information about the District's policies and practices with respect to responding to complaints of sexual abuse, assault, and harassment.

Among other things, California law protects students from being subjected to sexual abuse, assault, and harassment. The District must respond promptly and equitably to complaints about these issues and provide a determination of findings and responsibility, an opportunity to appeal, and, as appropriate, measures to stop, prevent, and redress sexual misconduct. Additionally, California law requires school district employees to immediately report suspected child abuse or neglect to law enforcement.

During the Bureau of Children's Justice's visit, we will be holding office hours for students, parents, and guardians on:

- **Wednesday, May 17, 2023, from 3:15-5:30 p.m. at Citrus Valley High School, 800 W Pioneer Avenue**
- **Thursday, May 18, 2023, from 3:15-4:15 p.m. at Cope Middle School, 1000 W Cypress Avenue**

We would like to hear from you about any experiences you and/or your child may have had with the District's handling of allegations of sex discrimination and sexual harassment, assault, or abuse, including any investigations undertaken or supportive measures and remedies offered by the District.

To schedule a 15-minute meeting with a representative from the Bureau of Children's Justice during these office hours, **please email Deputy Attorney General Danielle Elliott at danielle.elliott@doj.ca.gov**. Please also contact us at this email address if you are unable to meet with us on the days of our visit, but would like to speak with us at another time by phone or virtual meeting.

All information gathered during such individual meetings is confidential.



AVISO SOBRE VISITA DE LA OFICINA DE JUSTICIA DE MENORES DE LA SECCIÓN DE DERECHOS CIVILES DEL DEPARTAMENTO DE JUSTICIA DE CALIFORNIA

Estimados padres y tutores legales:

La misión de la Oficina de Justicia de Menores, parte de la Sección de Derechos Civiles del Departamento de Justicia de California, es proteger los derechos de los menores de edad, incluyendo el derecho de ser libre de abuso, asalto y acoso sexual.

El 17 y 18 de Mayo, 2023, la Oficina de Justicia de Menores visitará el Distrito Escolar Unificado de Redlands para seguir recopilando información sobre las prácticas y políticas del Distrito con respecto a su respuesta a denuncias de abuso, asalto y acoso sexual.

Entre otras cosas, las leyes de California protegen a los estudiantes de ser sujetos a abuso, asalto y acoso sexual. El Distrito tiene la obligación de responder puntualmente y equitativamente ante denuncias que abarquen estos temas y proveer una determinación de hallazgos y responsabilidad, la oportunidad de apelar y, según proceda, medidas para detener, prevenir y remediar conducta sexual indebida. Asimismo, las leyes de California imponen a los empleados de distritos escolares la obligación de reportar inmediatamente a la autoridad competente abuso y negligencia de menores sospechados.

Durante la visita de la Oficina de Justicia de Menores, celebraremos sesiones informales para reunir con estudiantes, padres y tutores legales los días:

- **Miercoles, 17 de Mayo, 2023, de 3:15-5:30 p.m. en Citrus Valley High School, 800 W Pioneer Avenue**
- **Jueves, 18 de Mayo, 2023, de 3:15-5:30 p.m. en Cope Middle School, 1000 W Cypress Avenue**

Quisiéramos saber sobre las experiencias que usted y/o sus hijos hayan tenido con el manejo del Distrito de denuncias de discriminación de género y abuso, asalto y acoso sexual, incluyendo cualquier investigación llevada a cabo por el Distrito o medidas de apoyo o remedios ofrecidos por el Distrito.

Para agendar una reunión de 15 minutos con un representante de la Oficina de Justicia de Menores durante estas sesiones, **por favor envíe un correo electrónico a subprocurador general Christopher Medeiros en christopher.medeiros@doj.ca.gov**. También contáctenos a través de esta dirección de correo electrónico si no puede reunir con nosotros los días de nuestra visita pero le gustaría hablar con nosotros en otra ocasión por teléfono o reunión virtual.

Toda información recopilada durante estas reuniones individuales será confidencial.



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