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MEMORANDUM

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To: All Staff, Code 2A

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From: Tish Gallegos, Community Relations

Subject: CalEITC Awareness Week

The California Earned Income Tax Credit (CalEITC) provides critical support to working families across the state, helping them cover bills, pay for groceries, and other daily expenses. It is an annual tax credit for working people making between \$1 and \$30,000. As of tax year 2021, both individuals filing with a Social Security Number OR an Individual Tax Identification Number (ITIN) are eligible to receive the credit. More than 4 million families may be eligible for the credit in tax filing year 2022.

EHSD is supporting the CalEITC Awareness Week social media campaign which runs through this Friday, February 4th. Please retweet and share our posts to help spread the word @ContraCostaEHSD.

Community members can learn more about getting tax help by visiting the United Way Bay Area website. They can also contact the Contra Costa Crisis Center by calling 211 or (800) 833-2900, or texting HOPE to 20121 for resources and support, 24/7. Information about EITC is also available on ehsd.org.

Thank you for your help sharing this information with EHSD customers.