To: [Activist Name]

Subject: Honoring Our Veterans this Weekend...Weekly Updates Inside

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Veterans Day, formerly known as Armistice Day, was originally set as a U.S. legal holiday to honor the end of World War I, which officially took place on November 11, 1918. In legislation that was passed in 1938, November 11 was "dedicated to the cause of world peace and to be hereafter celebrated and known as 'Armistice Day.'" As such, this new legal holiday honored World War I veterans. In 1954, after having been through both World War II and the Korean War, the 83rd U.S. Congress -- at the urging of the veterans service organizations -- amended the Act of 1938 by striking out the word "Armistice" and inserting the word "Veterans." With the approval of this legislation on June 1, 1954, Nov. 11 became a day to honor American veterans of all wars. https://www.military.com/veterans-day/history-of-veterans-day.html Weekly Updates below....

**OTES Help Session** – Have you had your building's annual evaluation orientation, but still have questions about the process? Do you want tips on identifying evidence for the new rubric language and HQSD? We have ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY for you...OTES Pilot Help Session. Click here for all the information. RSVP Required. Limited space available.

**CPS Internal Communications Survey** - The Communications + Marketing Team is reviewing our internal communications tools and practices. We need your input and feedback to give us insight as we develop our strategic communications and marketing plan for the 2020-21 school year. Please take a few minutes to fill out this survey and help us to improve our communications. The survey is open until Friday, Nov. 22.

**IPDP Overview & Help Session** - Need a plan to renew your 5-year professional teaching license? Just upgraded from a 4-year Resident Educator license to a 5-year professional license? You should attend! More info available here.

- Tuesday, November 19, 2019
- 4:00 6:00 pm

• Westwood Elementary School 2981 Montana Ave, 45211

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## The difference between Veterans Day and Memorial Day

Memorial Day honors service members who died in service to their country or as a result of injuries incurred during battle. Deceased veterans are also remembered on Veterans Day but the day is set aside to thank and honor living veterans who served honorably in the military - in wartime or peacetime.

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CFT/CFOP would like to thank all of our Veterans and their families for their service and sacrifice.

