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Things you should know for the Week of February 6, 2017

Monday, February 6, 2017 - No School for Teachers and Students - this is a banked PD Day. Click [here](#) for PD Calendar.

Transfer Rounds - Will be posted on [Staffnet](#) by **noon** on **Monday, February 6, 2017**. Interviews will begin on Monday, February 13. Don't forget to send an **updated** resume hard copy to the school you are applying to and bring a hard copy with you to your interview. [Click here for schedule](#).

Motivated Mondays! - Negotiations have begun. We would like to encourage all CFT/CFOP members to wear their CFT/CFOP T-shirts/Sweatshirts on Mondays to show your support for the bargaining teams! Take a picture of your entire staff wearing their gear and send them to cft@cft-aft.org and we will feature them on our [Facebook](#) page!

Feed the Fire! - Our negotiations teams are volunteering their evenings and weekends to negotiate fair contracts for certificated staff and office professionals. We are asking each school to "fix a meal or provide healthy brain snacks" and deliver them collectively to the bargaining teams on bargaining days. Please sign up by checking with your building representative for the schedule.

EFLEX Card - your EFLEX card will be shut off for 3 weeks beginning February 8 at midnight. You should receive a new Navia card by March 1, 2017 with your new wellness balance. Make sure you log into your EFLEX account before February 8 and verify the balance to make sure the correct amount transfers. Please refer to email sent by Jennifer Bailey, Benefits Manager, on Thursday, February 2 to all CPS Employees, for any questions.

Dump DeVos - Contact Senator Portman and tell him to "Dump DeVos". She is unqualified to be Education Secretary. 202-224-3353.
Have a great weekend!