

Professional Development Opportunities

This is a listing of the currently scheduled web-based Professional Development opportunities being offered by California Charter Authorizing Professionals (CCAP). One strand is for school districts and county board members, with an emphasis on what board members need to know as the decision-makers. The second strand is for authorizing professional staff. This includes senior leadership such as superintendents and deputy/assistant superintendents as well as the staff that review and evaluate charter petitions and renewals and provide the day-to-day oversight of charters approved by their respective boards.

These web-based trainings are being provided in partnership with the Small School District Association (SSDA). Participation in these Professional Development webinars is FREE, but enrollment is limited, and registration is required.

[CHARTER SCHOOLS 101 – SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND COUNTY BOARD MEMBERS](#)

(November 3, 2021 – 4:00 pm to 5:15 pm)

This is a professional development webinar for board members who have limited experience with charter schools or who would like a refresher. It provides an overview of charter school law and the recent legislative changes. It also reviews the responsibilities of school and county boards and provides guidance on what your board needs to support high-quality oversight and the information you need to make high-quality decisions to approve or deny charter petitions or charter renewals. CCAP welcomes senior school district and county office staff to jointly participate with board members.

[CHARTER SCHOOLS 101 – SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND COUNTY OFFICE AUTHORIZING STAFF](#)

(November 2, 2021 – 10:00 am to noon)

This is a professional development webinar for district and county office staff who have charter authorizing and oversight responsibilities and have limited experience with charter schools or who would like a refresher. It provides an overview of charter school law and the recent legislative changes. It reviews the mechanics of charter school petition review, oversight of current charters, and the charter renewal process. It also overviews the Authorizer Toolkits created by CCAP and other resources that provide key rubrics, processes, and report templates that authorizing staff can use.



CHARTER SCHOOLS 201 – SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND COUNTY BOARD MEMBERS

(November 10, 2021 – 4:00 pm to 5:15 pm)

This is a professional development webinar for board members who have prior experience with charter schools and seek to deepen their knowledge. It provides specific information regarding the recent legislative changes in charter school law and how these impact the work of school and county boards. It provides an overview of the CCAP Authorizer Toolkits. It also engages board members in a discussion of the impact of COVID 19 on oversight and the opportunity to strengthen the renewal process provided by the two-year extension of charter renewals. CCAP welcomes senior school district and county office staff to jointly participate with board members.

CHARTER SCHOOLS 201 – SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND COUNTY OFFICE AUTHORIZING STAFF

(November 9, 2021 – 10:00 am to noon)

This is a professional development webinar for district and county office staff who are experienced with charter authorizing and oversight responsibilities. It provides specific information regarding the recent legislative changes in charter school law and how these impact the day-to-day work authorizing work. It provides an overview of the CCAP Authorizer Toolkits that can provide authorizers with powerful new tools in petition review and charter oversight. It also engages authorizing staff in a discussion of the impact of COVID 19 on oversight and charter renewals and the opportunity to strengthen the renewal process provided by the two-year extension of charter renewals.

The current listings are all web-based training. CCAP is looking forward to providing in-person training as soon as circumstances allow.

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