

**ALBANY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD AGENDA BACKUP**

Regular Meeting of May 28, 2024

**ITEM: AGREEMENT BETWEEN ALBANY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
AND UNITEK LEARNING EDUCATION GROUP CORP.
FOR NURSING INTERNS FOR THE 2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR**

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TYPE OF ITEM: CONSENT

PURPOSE: The purpose of this item is for the Board of Education to approve the Contract Agreement between Albany Unified School District and Unitek Learning Education Group Corp. for nursing interns for the 2024-25 school year.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Unitek Learning Education Group Corp., which includes and operates Brookline College, Eagle Gate College, Provo College, Unitek College, and Unitek Healthcare Training, LLC, has students enrolled in all Nursing Programs who need “volunteer hours,” which amount to internship opportunities for the completion of their program. Our District Nurse is qualified to support them, and could benefit from their service.

DETAILS:

An approved contract with Unitek Learning Education Group Corp. will allow us to accept nursing volunteers who will serve in an intern-capacity, who can work under the supervision of our District Nurse with tasks such as vision screenings, daily medical issues that come up, nursing-related filing, and other related tasks. Each nursing student needs 36 clinical hours, so we would be positioned to benefit from those hours. The first round of interns would be positioned to support our District Nurse in September and October. If that goes well, we would look to take on more nursing students throughout the year.

STRATEGIC GOALS ADDRESSED:



Objective #2: *Support the Whole Child. Goal: We will foster the social and emotional growth of all students, implement an array of strategies to increase student engagement, identify individual socio-emotional and behavioral needs, and apply collaborative appropriate interventions.*



Objective #3: Communicate and Lead Together.

Goal: *All stakeholders will collaborate and communicate about decisions that guide the sites and district.*

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the Agreement with Unitek Learning Education Group Corp. for Nursing Interns