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SUMMER REMINDERS!

- If you are taking any courses over the summer, make sure you
 have registered on <u>mylearningplan.com</u>. You must get District
 approval at least 10 days before taking any course.
 New weighted courses must begin on or after July 1, 2024.
 - Salary Adjustment forms may be picked up in Personnel or the Main Office of your building. Make sure all required coursework is completed before filling out these forms. Contact Mary Rogers in Personnel with any questions.
- Notify the District AND FFT Office of any changes in address, email, phone number, or marital/family status.

Summer Office Hours

If you need to speak with an FFT Officer over the summer, call (631) 249-0773 and leave a message. Remember to include your name and complete phone number, including your area code.



Although the office will be operating on a summer schedule, there is always an officer available to help you with your union needs. Your message will be answered as soon as possible.

FFT Buy Lines

FOR SALE:

1.5 Hofstra Credits. Contact Katie Duke katieduke@me.com (631) 662-3611

FOR SALE:

1.0 Molloy College. Contact Brian Weber Gamble1013@aol.com (631) 355-3020



Congratulations!

This year the Farmingdale Federation of Teachers will say farewell to several of our members. We express our sincere gratitude to our retirees who have dedicated their careers to our students and to public education.

We extend our warmest wishes for a happy and healthy retirement to:

Albany Avenue

Felice Shapiro

Farmingdale High School

Stacy Cabrera
Cherie Dreyfus
James Hughes
Stephani Jones
Francis Mayerhofer
Kathleen Pallace-Hughes

Michael Hungerford

Dr. William Sperduto

Howitt Middle School

Barbara Morris Kathleen Gatti-Nelson Gail Panaro Arlene Rapinat

Northside

Paula Kelly

Woodward Parkway

Sandra Demopoulos-Vradis Robin Gerberg Laurie Kaden Laila Savelis

From all of us at the FFT Office



Have a well-deserved, happy and healthy summer!

LAW HELPS BREASTFEEDING WORKERS

DID YOU KNOW?

The Providing Urgent Maternal Protections for Nursing Mothers Act (PUMP Act) is a law that requires employers to provide reasonable break time and a private space for nursing employees to pump breast milk. The law went into effect on April 28, 2023 and applies to employees in a variety of industries, including retail, restaurant, transportation, care, and teaching.