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El Centro Fire Department partners with Central Union High School District to launch an emergency preparedness program

EL CENTRO, Calif. — February 19, 2025 — The El Centro Fire Department has launched a new emergency preparedness program in collaboration with the Central Union High School District, designed to enhance safety protocols across the district during monthly staff minimum days.

The program provides school staff with essential emergency response training, including fire extinguisher use, basic first aid, and other critical safety procedures. The goal is to ensure that school staff are well-prepared to respond to emergencies, creating a safer environment for students and faculty.

The program recently held its inaugural session at Central Union High School, marking the first step in an ongoing partnership between the fire department and the school district. With a focus on continuous improvement and preparedness, the initiative is expected to provide lasting benefits to the El Centro community.

The El Centro Fire Department looks forward to expanding the program across the district, ensuring that all school staff receive the necessary training to respond swiftly and effectively in emergency situations.

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