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| **Students are at the center of everything we do…including electing great decision-makers!** TONY THURMOND and GAVIN NEWSOM will stand up for all our students. ***Tony and Gavin will fight for…*** |
| **Our Students** | **Our Profession** | **Our Public Schools** |
| * Smaller class sizes/caseloads so students get more individual attention.
* Access to resources for ALL learners so they have equal opportunity to succeed.
* Safe, stable and supportive schools
* Investing to keep students in school and out of the criminal justice system
* Funding to make sure that all youth have the opportunity to succeed in their post-secondary choices.
* Increased funding for early childhood programs
 | * More resources to help us retain and attract the best educators
* Allow us to continue to make our profession attractive to the best by keeping our retirement safe and well-funded.
* Providing a seat at the decision-making table around building a strong profession.
 | * Will protect neighborhood schools.
* Keep teaching standards high and decided by actual public school teachers.
* No secrets when it comes to accountability for all public schools, including charter schools.
* Charter schools should only be authorized and supervised by locally elected school boards
* As CTA members, students are at the center of everything we do. How does syphoning off needed dollars from neighborhood schools to privately-run, unregulated charters or defunding public education help our students?
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**For more information on how you can ensure that our students have the public education they deserve, go to:** [**https://campaign2018cta.org/campaign-toolkit/**](https://campaign2018cta.org/campaign-toolkit/)

