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East Los Angeles Skills Center  
**WEEKLY BULLETIN**  
February 20, 2017

Submit items including pictures for the Weekly Bulletin to Jose Rico, APO [jrico6@lausd.net](mailto:jrico6@lausd.net)

## CALENDAR

### Academic Department Meeting

Wednesday, February 22, 2017 at the Skills Center from 12:00—1:00 pm in Room # 230.

### Smartboard Workshop

On Friday, February 24, 2017 from 1-3 pm at the Skills Center in the Auditorium. It is available for all interested teachers.

### ESL WIOA WORKSHOP

Wednesday, March 1, 2017 at Eastside LC from 12:30—2:30 pm in room #111.

Please see or contact Mr. Wong for more information.

### ESL Articulation Meetings

Thursday, February 23, 2017 at Eastside and the Skills Ctr.

Notes from

Ms. Rodriguez

Please note the Smartboard workshop this week. We have Smartboards you can use in the classroom.



Los Angeles Unified School District | Division of Adult and Career Education

**SAVE THE DATE**  
Career Technical Education  
Safety Practices for Student Success Spring 2017



February 25, 2017 | 8:30 am -2:00 pm  
**East Los Angeles Skills Center**  
3921 Selig Place  
Los Angeles CA 90031 | (323) 224-5970

**Role of DACE CTE in LARAEC Consortium**

- Professional Learning Communities
- Effective instructional strategies through collaboration
- Breakfast and lunch will be served

**To Register Contact:**  
Ana Martinez  
[amarti07@lausd.net](mailto:amarti07@lausd.net)

Participants will be paid at the District-sponsored training rate or receive salary step advancement credit.

### East Los Angeles Skills Center

#### Course Offering



**Counseling 1: Introduction to College**  
(1) CSU Unit

Offered by: 

**Earn High School & College Credit**

**Location:** East Los Angeles Skills Center  
3921 Selig Place  
Los Angeles, CA 90031

**Schedule:** February 22, 2017 – April 12, 2017  
Wednesdays 1:30 pm – 3:35 pm



For more information contact the Counseling Office at (323) 224-5970

## In the News In the News In the News

### CTE Conference on Saturday:

Teachers, are you attending the CTE Conference this Saturday here at the Skills Center? This will be a great opportunity for you to share and learn effective instructional strategies in your career field with instructors around the Division. Breakfast and Lunch will be provided. Please contact Ana Martinez for more information at [amarti07@lausd.net](mailto:amarti07@lausd.net)

**REMINDER:** Teachers, please remind your students that the **AALA Scholarship Application for \$2,000 is due on Friday, February 24, 2017. Please contact Ms. Family for more information.**

### Summer Applications:

This is a friendly reminder that Summer Applications are due to the Principal on Friday, February 24, 2017 by 5:00 pm.

### Celebrating Black History Month

LAUSD is celebrating Black History Month. There is a wonderful exhibit through the month of February at Los Angeles City Hall that recognizes many prominent African-American leaders who have had a positive influence on American history and culture. To access Instructional Resources for Black History Month, please go to the Division of Access, Equity & Acceleration at [www.lausd.net](http://www.lausd.net) or call (213)241-3340.

The Grammy Museum mission is to help students use music as a gateway to learning and as a way to inspire and cultivate creativity and critical thinking. The museum has designated the month of February to **Celebrating Black History Month** through music and has scheduled the following event:



#### **Music of the Civil Rights Movement**

February 21, 2017 11—12pm

For more information visit the Museum's web-site at [www.grammymuseum.org/education](http://www.grammymuseum.org/education).

## Student Corner

### PARKING:

Please park your cars in areas designated for student parking. Note that the Board of Education is not responsible for theft or damage to cars. School security personnel patrol the parking areas of the school as often as time and number of security personnel allow. Students are advised to remove all valuables and lock their cars before going to class. Do not park in spaces marked "Handicapped" without a permit. Tickets for violations are costly, especially for parking illegally in handicapped spaces. The administration cannot intervene once a ticket has been written.

### EARN HS AND COLLEGE CREDITS:

East Los Angeles College will be offering a college class, Counseling 1: Introduction to College, here at the Skills Center every Wednesday starting February 22 through April 12, 2017. Please see your counselor for more information.

### THANK YOU:

Big Thank You to all of the students and staff who contributed to our productive Valentine's Day fundraising event both at Eastside and the Skills Center. The funds will be allocated for students' scholarships being awarded at the graduation ceremony scheduled for June 8, 2017.

## NEW CLASSES FOR YOU

We will have new classes for you in the afternoon and on Saturdays starting Saturday, February 25, 2017:

ESL all levels, Citizenship, Conversation, Pronunciation, Vocabulary and Idioms, Computer and Internet, HiSET preparation in English & Spanish, I.I. Lab Security Guard, Vocational ESL on medical terminology and Security Guard, AIS, Physical Therapy Aid, Graphic Design/Advertising/Web, Manicurist, and Special Ed Trainee. Go to the counseling office to register for the classes.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Life is not about waiting for the storm to pass...

It's about learning to dance in the rain

## Women in Leadership Summit

ACSA Region XVI is hosting a Women in Leadership Summit at Cal State Dominguez Hills on Saturday, May 20, 2017. Panelists will include LAUSD Superintendent Michelle King. Registration is now open at <http://womensummit.weebly.com>.

## Professional Development Opportunities

### ◆ Using Questioning Strategies to improve instruction:

This course offers questioning strategies that foster higher-order thinking skills while developing responses beyond the level of recall. Help students connect the dots as they process new information to answer questions designed with a purpose. This is an online professional development that runs March 6th through April 3, 2017.

To register go to [www.calpro-online.org](http://www.calpro-online.org).

### ◆ ABC's of Student Engagement:

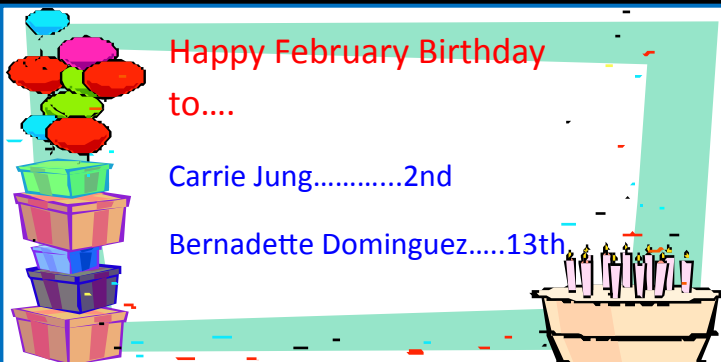
LAUSD Teacher Resource and Development Branch is offering this Professional Development opportunity for all LAUSD Teachers on Saturday, February 25, 2017 from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm.

To register and/or for more information contact Susan Masero, PAR Coordinator, at (213) 241-5501.

## \$\$ DISCOUNT TICKETS \$\$

The Employee Recreation Ticket Office offers discount tickets to a variety of theme parks, movie theaters, and recreational venues for all LAUSD employees.

To view and/or purchase tickets please visit [www.recreationconnection.com](http://www.recreationconnection.com). For assistant, contact Employee Recreation at (818) 587-4363 M-F 11 am—5:00 pm.



The students in Ms. Carrasco's ESL Intermediate High A through Advanced Low classes were getting prepared for job and career readiness by learning about the Do's and Don'ts before during and after job interviews. The students created posters and made classroom presentations.

