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SANTA CLARA COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

IMPACT Weekly

May 19, 2021

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Message from the County Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Mary Ann Dewan

Hello everyone,

May is National Inventors Month. This annual celebration promotes positive portrayals of inventors and their invaluable contributions bestowed on the world.

We see and use inventions every day, many that may not have seemed conceivable five or ten years ago. As we reflect upon our strong connections to inventions of all kinds, let's continue to welcome, encourage, and support voices that manifest creativity, imagination, endless possibility. I encourage you to reflect upon the inventions from around the world that have influenced our lives. As a family, class, or among your friends, discuss what inventions are most important to you. Visit the [National Inventors Hall of Fame](#) to scroll through decades of interesting and fascinating inventions.

With over 2 million vaccine doses administered in Santa Clara County, the amazing progress is a perfect conversation starter about inventions, especially now that ages 12 years and older are eligible. Be sure to visit both [the California Department of Public Health](#) and [Santa Clara County Department of Public Health](#) websites for information to add to your discussions. And, be sure to visit www.sccFreeVax.org to schedule a vaccine appointment today!

And, as you engage in your conversations, it's crucial to remind one another that we must continue to abide by state and local health orders, which have not yet relaxed requirements on face covering guidance. Even though The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recently announced recommendations to relax face covering guidelines for individuals fully vaccinated against COVID-19, all educational facilities must continue to



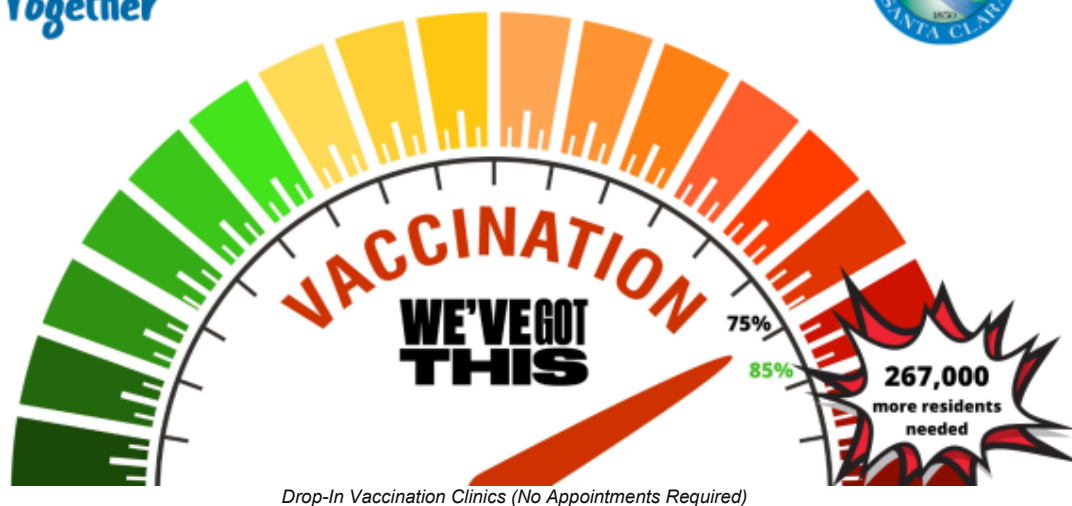
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County Superintendent of Schools

practice the use of face coverings by all individuals while on school property.

Be Well,

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Health and Wellness



The County of Santa Clara Public Health Department's goal is to vaccinate 85% of our county's residents by June 15, the date that the State is expected to open up. The County is currently at 75%. To get to 85%, 267,000 more residents, now including those ages 12-15, need to get first doses.

To do this in less than a month, we need you to reach out to every single one of your family members, neighbors, friends, classmates, coworkers, and others, and not only encourage them to get vaccinated, if they haven't already, but also ask them to engage everyone in their lives as well!

Drop-In Vaccination Clinics (No Appointments Required)

Providers throughout the County have drop-in vaccination sites available, and no appointments are needed. Individuals seeking vaccination are encouraged to arrive at least one hour before closing time.

The following locations and hours are for the week of May 17-22:

Fairgrounds Expo Hall: 2542 Monterey Highway, Gate D, San Jose, CA 95111
Monday: 8:30am-4pm; Tuesday-Thursday: 8:30am-8pm; Friday-Sunday: 8:30am-4pm

Eastridge Mall: 2190 Eastridge Loop #1402, San Jose, CA 95122
Monday-Friday: 11am-6pm; Saturday & Sunday: 9am-4pm

Overfelt High School: 1835 Cunningham Avenue, San Jose, CA 95122
Thursday, May 20: 9am-4pm; Friday, May 21: 11am-6pm; Saturday, May 22: 10am-5pm

North East Medical Services: 1870 Lundy Avenue, San Jose, CA 95131
Monday-Friday: 8:30am-11:30am; 1pm-4pm;
Thursdays: Drive-Thru Clinic

Bay Area Community Health: VTA Santa Teresa Station, 6360 Santa Teresa Blvd, San Jose, CA 95119
Monday-Friday: 9am-4pm

Gilroy High School: 750 W. 10th St., Gilroy, CA 95020
Monday-Friday: 11am-6pm
Youth event for teens and family: Friday, May 21, 2pm-4:30pm

El Camino Health Sunnyvale: 1030 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 7:45am-4:30pm; Wednesday: 7:45am-8pm

Emmanuel Baptist Church: 467 North White Road, San Jose, CA 95127
Tuesday-Friday: 9am-6pm

County Service Center: 1555 Berger Drive, San Jose, CA 95112
Monday and Thursday: 8:30am-4:30pm

Mexican Heritage Plaza (Gardner Health): 1700 Alum Rock Avenue, San Jose, CA 95116
Tuesday: 1:30pm-5pm; Wednesday: noon-5pm; Thursday: 1:30pm-5pm

Edenvale Elementary School: 285 Azucar Avenue, San Jose, CA 95111
Wednesday, May 19: 1pm-8pm

Boynton High School: 901 Boynton Avenue, San Jose, CA 95117
Thursday, May 20: 10am-5pm

Wilcox High School: 3250 Monroe Street, Santa Clara, CA 95051
Friday, May 21: 1:30pm-7:30pm

James Lick High School: 23 North White Road, San Jose, CA 95127
Saturday, May 22: 10am-5pm

Information on how to schedule an appointment or for drop-in vaccinations sites for the upcoming week is available on the County's website at sccfreevax.org, and residents without internet access or who need additional assistance can call 211 for assistance in multiple languages.



New Local Health Order

Effective May 19, 2021

See changes



Required for businesses and government entities:

- > Determine vaccination status of employees (and onsite contractors and volunteers)
- > Comply with the Mandatory Directive on Use of Face Coverings (applicable to individuals as well)
- > Comply with the Health Officer's Mandatory Directive for Unvaccinated Personnel
- > Continue reporting COVID-19 cases amongst personnel to the Public Health Department

Move to the Yellow Tier

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No longer required:

- > Maximizing telework (but still recommended)
- > Social Distancing Protocols
- > The local Mandatory Directive on Capacity Limitations has been eliminated

The County continues to enforce County and State restrictions to limit the spread of COVID-19 in our communities.

Find all requirements:

sccgov.org/cv19order
covid19.ca.gov



Move to the Yellow Tier

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12+ Youth event Free vaccines

FREE for those getting vaccinated:

Boba tea and reusable straw, while supplies last

Edenvale Elementary School

285 Azucar Ave, San Jose, 95111

Wednesday, May 19


1:00 pm - 8:00 pm



sccFreeVax.org



Community News and Resources



Wind Advisory

Published: May 19, 2021

Valid 5 PM PST Wednesday to 5 AM PST Thursday


North Bay Mtns, SF Area (Metro, Peninsula, Shoreline), East Bay Hills, Santa Lucia Mtns, Santa Cruz Mtns, Diablo & Gabilan Mtns




5 PM Wed – 5 AM PDT Thurs

Northwest winds 15 to 25 mph with gusts up to 40 to 50 mph

- Secure loose outdoor objects/structures.
- Tree limbs could be blown down and result in a few power outages.
- Difficulty driving for high profile vehicles or those pulling trailers

NOTE
Gusty winds may develop earlier along the coast



   NWSBayArea

San Francisco Bay Area/Monterey
weather.gov/bayarea

Bay Area Wind Advisory



Please Join Our Upcoming Webinar On:

Hate Crime

&

Personal Safety



The San Jose Police Department, Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office, AACI, and Japantown Prepared are presenting on Hate Crime, Personal Safety, and Community Resources. Guest speakers include Senator Dave Cortese and San Jose Councilmember Maya Esparza.



Topics covered include:

- Hate Crime Trends in San Jose
- Judicial Process
- Personal Safety Tips
- Community Resources



Date: Wednesday, May 19, 2021

Time: 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

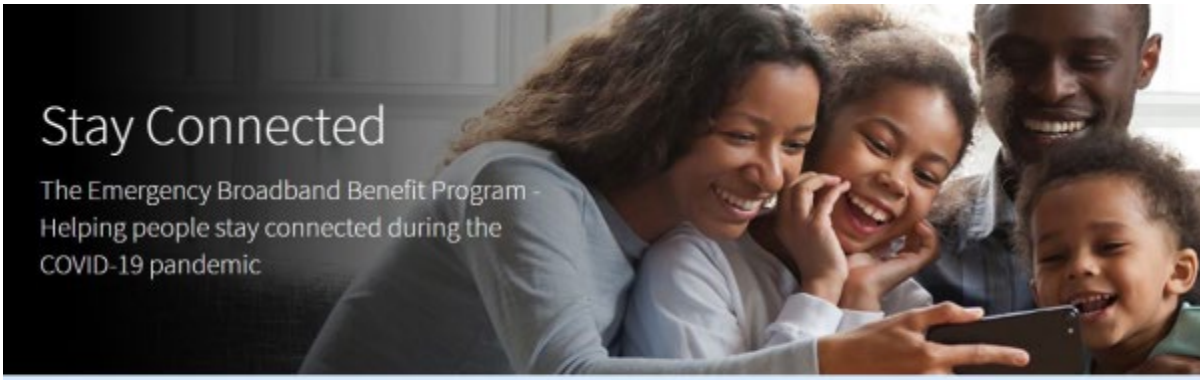
<https://sanjoseca.zoom.us/j/92288161919>

Zoom Webinar ID: 922 8816 1919

Join by Phone : (408) 638-0968

To arrange an accommodation under the Americans with Disabilities Act to participate in this public meeting, or to request interpretation in Spanish or Vietnamese please call 408-277-4133 at least 72 hours before the meeting

Hate Crime and Personal Safety Webinar



Stay Connected
 The Emergency Broadband Benefit Program -
 Helping people stay connected during the
 COVID-19 pandemic

FCC The Emergency Broadband Benefit Program is administered by USAC
 with oversight from the Federal Communications Commission (FCC).

Emergency Broadband Benefit Program

Emergency Broadband Benefit Program Available

The Emergency Broadband Benefit Program is a Federal Communications Commission (FCC) program that provides a temporary discount on monthly broadband bills for qualifying low-income households. If your household is eligible, you can receive:

- Up to a \$50/month discount on your broadband service and associated equipment rentals
- Up to a \$75/month discount if your household is on qualifying Tribal lands
- A one-time discount of up to \$100 for a laptop, tablet, or desktop computer (with a co-payment of more than \$10 but less than \$50)

Only one monthly service discount and one device discount is allowed per household. The FCC has announced that consumers can begin applying for and enrolling in the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program on May 12, 2021. The program will end when the fund runs out of money, or six months after the Department of Health and Human Services declares an end to the COVID-19 health emergency, whichever is sooner.

For more information, visit: <https://getemergencybroadband.org/>

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669-212-5437

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BIKE TO WHEREVER DAY 2021

Bike to Wherever Day

Bicycling is one of the best ways to **reduce Climate Change**, get healthy, save money, and **have FUN!!!** Register today to Pledge to Ride for Bike to Wherever Day at <https://tinyurl.com/bikewherever>. There are chances to win random prize drawings during Bike Month and on Bike to Wherever Day itself -- May 21, 2021.



REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

County Voter Information Guide Delivery Options

Household Hazardous Waste Program



FOR SANTA CLARA COUNTY

SERVING RESIDENTS AND SMALL BUSINESSES
Hazardous Materials Compliance Division

The County of Santa Clara's Hazardous Materials Compliance Division is holding an on-line training for businesses that are Small Quantity Hazardous Waste Generators at 10 a.m. on May 27. Sign up online at <https://hmcd.eventbrite.com/>. If you can't make it, the team has published a recorded class that anyone can watch at www.EHInfo.org/hazmat.

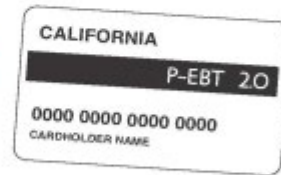
Need help buying groceries?



You might qualify for CalFresh, a free EBT card you can use to buy food at most stores and select online retailers.



If you receive CalFresh benefits, **you may also be eligible for P-EBT**, a grocery benefit that provides **\$375 per child** 18 and under over the summer months.



Want to find out if you qualify?



Call us at **1-800-984-3663**, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. or **scan the QR code** to request a call.

We speak English, Spanish, Vietnamese, Cantonese, Mandarin and Tagalog.

Second Harvest can also connect you to other food programs in your community. Call us!



CalFresh

The National Compadres Network in partnership with
County of Santa Clara Office of LGBTQ Affairs
Presents

La Cultura Cura Philosophy Overview

A Training on the National Compadres Network Healing Informed Philosophy and Framework delivered with a focus on honoring our LGBTQ2S families and Communities

Conducted by Maestra Debra Camarillo
& Maestro Jerry Tello

When: **Wednesday, June 2, 2021 9-12pm**

Registration Link:
<http://bit.ly/NCNSCC602>

La Cultura Cura is a transformative health, learning, justice, and healing philosophy that recognizes that within individuals', families' and communities' authentic cultural values, traditions and indigenous practices exist the path to healthy development, restoration and lifelong well-being.

The LCC health and Wellbeing framework acknowledges and lifts up the sacredness of all people as they are while promoting the fundamental tenet of honoring all our relations based on culturally grounded physical, emotional, mental and spiritual principles and practices.

"Within the collective Dignity, Respect, Trust and Love of all people exists the wisdom, practices and resources for a healthy and harmonious wellbeing" Jerry Tello

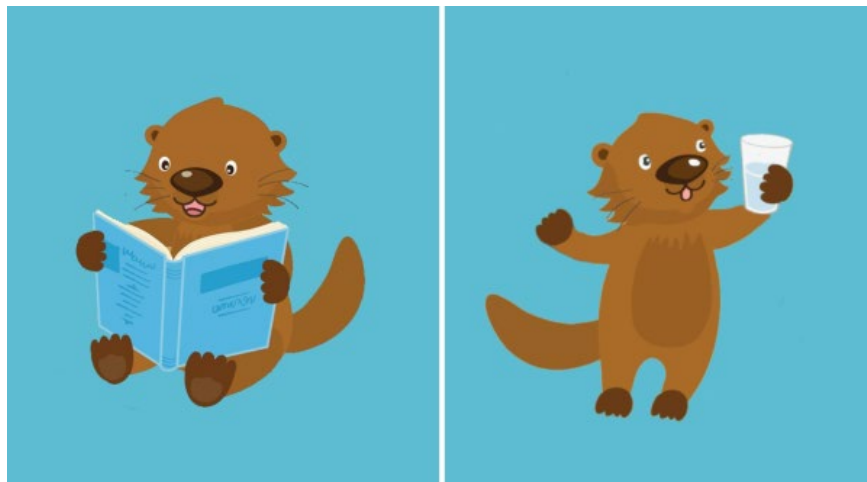
For registration information please contact:
Mario Ozuna-Sanchez
408-484-4161 or mos@compadresnetwork.org

La Cultura Cura Philosophy Overview

La Cultura Cura Workshop: A National Compadres Network Training. The Healing Informed Philosophy and Framework delivered will focus on honoring our LGBTQ2S families and communities.

National Compadres Network has partnered with the Office of LGBTQ Affairs, in collaboration with many other community groups, to bring this transformative health, learning, justice, and healing philosophy to our community. La Cultura Cura lifts up the sacredness of all people and recognizes that within our authentic cultural values, traditions, and indigenous practices exist the path to health, restoration, and well-being.

Space is prioritized for folks in Santa Clara County. Register today - bit.ly/NCNSCC602



Which Potter are you today?



COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA Behavioral Health Services Palo Alto University CLEAR
LGBTQ+ CLINICAL ACADEMY
 ARE YOU INTERESTED IN IMPROVING YOUR CLINICAL SKILLS IN WORKING WITH LGBTQ+ POPULATIONS?
APPLY FOR THE LGBTQ+ CLINICAL ACADEMY TODAY!

- A free 4-month, 40-hour intensive clinical learning experience
- Eligibility:
 - Master's-level or above behavioral health provider
 - Work for Santa Clara County or a contracted agency
 - Provide direct services to community members
- Provides advanced knowledge and skills to better serve LGBTQ+ clients
- Consists of training from experts in the field
- Includes experiential activities, role plays, discussions, and clinical consultation groups
- Offers CEUs for attendance

 The Academy will be offered online beginning in September 2021. Space is limited!
 To apply, click on the following link: tinyurl.com/lgbtqclinicalacademy
 Application is due: **June 8th, 2021**
 For more information contact: LGBTQacademy@palloatou.edu

LGBTQ+ Clinical Academy




TransFamilies Support Groups
 Peer-led support groups for parents and caregivers of transgender, non-binary, and gender expansive children and adults in the Bay Area and Santa Cruz.
 Please check out our website to view meeting days & times, and see contact info for our groups below.
www.TransFamiliesCA.org

TransFamilies of Santa Cruz
TransFamiliesCA@gmail.com
 &
TransFamilies of Silicon Valley
TransFamiliesSV@gmail.com
 Note: We welcome individuals from all local areas!

Trans Families Support Groups



Celebrate Your Road to Wellness
 Welcome to the support group.
 This is an informal peer facilitated group where we offer support to each other, talk and have fun.
On Zoom Saturdays at 2PM
To Join Email: RoadtoWellnessDeFrank@gmail.com

 Normally Held in person at the


Celebrate Your Road to Wellness



celebrating our school employees
may 2021 

Classified School Employees Appreciation Week



ScholarShare529

County and District Superintendents, Charter School Administrators, and School Principals

[A letter](#) from the [California Department of Education](#) and the [California State Treasurer](#) regarding the [ScholarShare 529](#), California's College Savings Plan was released on May 13th. To celebrate National 529 College Savings Day on May 29, 2021, ScholarShare 529 will be offering a \$50 contribution to families that open a new ScholarShare 529 account between May 24 and May 31. [Please review the letter for more information.](#)



Grant Opportunities for Educators

Santa Clara County  Office of Education

[Grant Opportunity Spreadsheet for May](#)

Be sure to check out the [Grant Opportunity Spreadsheet for May](#). There are multiple possibilities for grants that provide funds to improve the student experience.

A promotional banner for the Ed100 Academy for Student Leaders. The background is a grayscale image of a person's hands typing on a laptop. On the left, there is a teal box with the text "STUDENT ACADEMY" and "Ed 100" in white. On the right, there is a teal box with the text "Apply Now" in orange and "June 21-23 2021" in white.

STUDENT
ACADEMY
Ed 100

Apply Now
June 21-23 2021

Ed100 Academy for Student Leaders

Do you know high school students with leadership potential? Nominate them or encourage them to apply for the Ed100 Academy for Student Leaders, June 21 - June 23. No prior experience is required - no charge to participate, but the deadline to apply is June 4. For more information, visit <https://ed100.org/blog/student-leader-academy>.

UCSC HCP the history & civics project
@ UC SANTA CRUZ

Teaching with Primary Sources: Thinking Historically about Race and Whiteness—Possibilities for Antiracist Pedagogies

Teaching with Primary Sources: Thinking Historically about Race and Whiteness—Possibilities for Antiracist Pedagogies

This free three-day virtual workshop is sponsored by the Library of Congress happening on June 21, June 22, and June 23, 9:30am-12:30pm PST each day.

YOU ARE INVITED TO
THE 2021
**EUPHORIC
STARRY
NIGHT
VIRTUAL
QUEER
PROM!**

FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 2021
6:30-8:30 PM

JOIN US FOR FUN WORKSHOPS,
INCENTIVES, GAMES,
MOTIVATIONAL SPEECHES, GIFT
BOXES, AND MORE.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

REGISTRATION LINK:
<https://forms.gle/65jvExRFxgKzsvjt5>

THE LGBTQ YOUTH SPACE PUBLIC HEALTH
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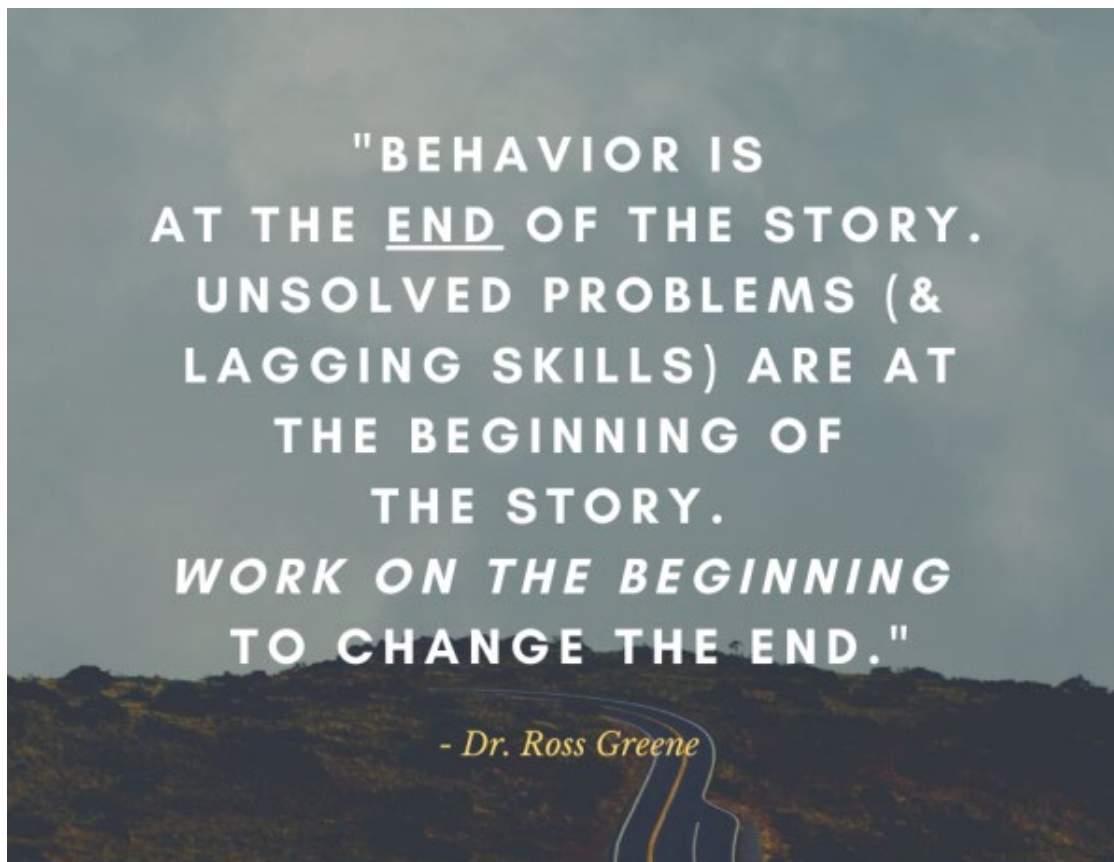
San Joaquin County Office of Education

"Euphoric Starry Nights" Queer Prom

Don't miss this year's Virtual Queer Prom on June 18 from 6:30-8:30pm! Open to all high school students in grades 9-12 in Santa Clara County.

Register now for FREE at: <http://bit.ly/tupequeerprom21>

Developed by the youth planning committee, the theme for the Virtual Prom is "Euphoric Starry Nights" - inspired by the fashion & colors of the hit show, "Euphoria", and the incredibly fascinating concept of the galaxy's bright stars and planets. This virtual experience will be filled with entertainment, educational workshops, and so much more .



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May 20, 2021 at 6:00pm
Senator Dave Cortese's
VIRTUAL
**SACRAMENTO BUS
TRIP FOR
EDUCATION**

RSVP: tinyurl.com/SD15BusTrip

Join Senators Dave Cortese, John Laird, Josh Becker and Bob Wieckowski, Assemblymembers Ash Kalra and Alex Lee and more!

Send any questions to Senator.Cortese@senate.ca.gov

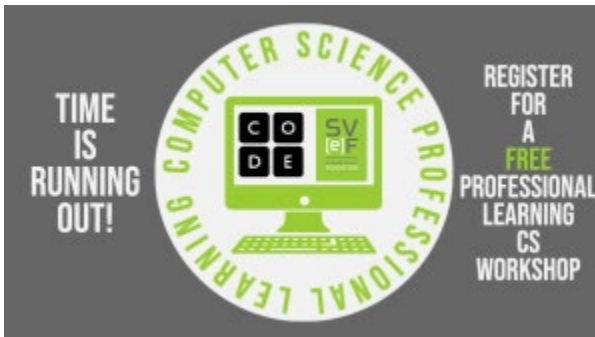
SD15 Bus Trip

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join us!
OUT FOR
SAFE SCHOOLS

The SCCOE is thrilled to partner with [OUT for Safe Schools™](#) and the [LA LGBT Center](#) to further support LGBTQ (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer/Questioning) youth, families, caregivers, and communities in Santa Clara County so everyone is welcomed and affirmed on all school campuses. SCCOE districts, their educators, administrators, and other school staff/ district employees will be invited to “come out” as visible allies for LGBTQ youth.

As part of the OUT for Safe Schools™ program, participating district staff will wear badges identifying themselves as allies in order to make school a safer, more welcoming place. Interested districts and/or schools will manage their respective campaigns with the support of an SCCOE OUT for Safe Schools™ Coordinator. The campaign includes OUT for Safe Schools™ multiple trainings, posters, badges, banners, and other affirming supports, at no cost, for (at least) the 2021-2022 school year. If interested, please contact Dr. Christina Arpante (she/her) at carpante@scoec.org.



CS Workshop



Save the Date

Free Professional Learning workshop hosted by <http://code.org>. No computer science experience is necessary! For more information, visit <https://code.org/educate/professional-learning/middle-high>.

The CCSS conference is scheduled for March 4-6, 2022. Sessions may include SEL resources, implementing the CA HSS Framework, and literacy strategies for ALL students.



Free and Asynchronous Summer PD

KQED is offering flexible summer PD, free and asynchronous. Get an intro to video production and plan a project unit from start to finish. Access the content at your own pace + instructor support from expert educators. Starts June 7. To register: <https://teach.kqed.org/course/video-production-for-the-classroom-june-2021>

Announcements

There are no announcements for this week.

About the Santa Clara County Office of Education

Working collaboratively with school and community partners, the Santa Clara County Office of Education (SCCOE) is a regional service agency that provides instructional, business, and technology services to the 31 school districts of Santa Clara County. The County Office of Education directly serves students through special education programs, alternative schools, Head Start and State Preschool programs, migrant education, and Opportunity Youth Academy. The SCCOE also provides academic and fiscal oversight and monitoring to districts in addition to the 22 Santa Clara County Board of Education authorized charter schools.

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