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Important Dates

Admission Day Friday, August 31, 2018

ESL Trimester August 13, 2018 – November 9, 2018

Labor Day Monday, September 3, 2018

Unassigned Day, no classes in session Monday, September 10, 2018

Unassigned Day, no classes in session Wednesday, September 19, 2018

Veterans Day Observed Monday, November 12, 2018

Thanksgiving Holiday Thursday, November 22, 2018 and Friday, November 23, 2018

Winter Unassigned Day Monday, December 17th, 2018

Winter Unassigned Break Tuesday, January 2nd, Friday, January 5th, 2019

HAPPY AUGUST BIRTHDAY TO!!

Ms. Vanessa Sanchez, August 12



Mr. Anthony Pedroza, August 12

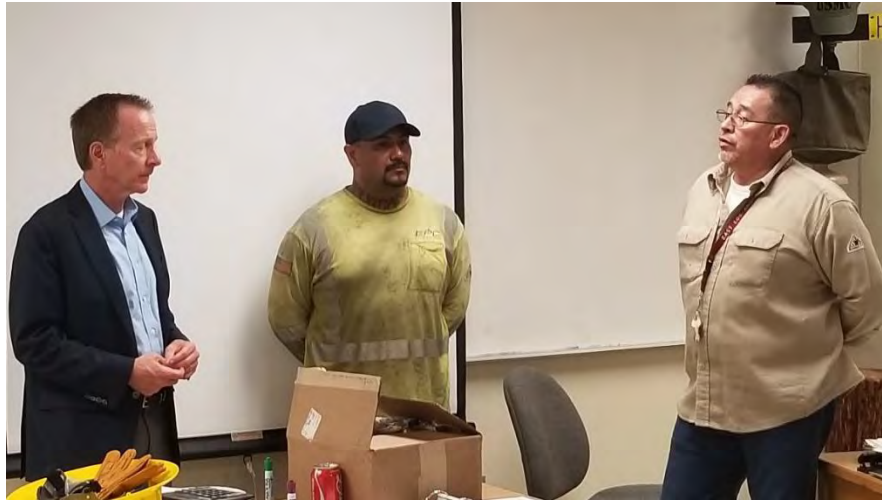
Mr. Phillip Leeman, August 15

Reminders

Please check your LAUSD email and submit your e-attendance daily.

If you cannot teach your assignment, call the main office between 7:00 am and 4:00 pm M-F as early as possible. Assigning substitute teachers can sometimes be difficult. Do not call your own substitute teacher.

LAUSD Superintendent Austin Beutner visit to EALSC



LAUSD superintendent, Austin Beutner visited East LA Skills Center on Wednesday, August 15th, 2018. Mr. Beutner spoke to the Powerline class about his support for programs that increase opportunities in the community. Mr. Estrada (standing right) introduced, Ramon Calvillo (center), a graduate of the program now working in the industry. Mr. Calvillo in turn introduced his daughter, Briana Calvillo, the only female student this semester. He said his daughter wanted this class because she saw a positive change in him. He said he supports her decision because of the work ethic Mr. Estrada instills in all of his students.



East Los Angeles Skills Center also had the honor of the visit by Board President, Monica Garcia, Board member, Nick Melvoin, and DACE Executive Director, Joseph Stark. A representation of the powerline class stands to the right of Mr. Beutner.

District 4, Board member, Nick Melvoin, talks to Principal Rodriguez, Elizabeth Rodriguez, parent, and her daughter, Crystal, an ELASC graduate who is now an LAUSD teacher assistant and is attending East LA College. Mrs. Rodriguez told Mr. Melvoin she is thankful to ELASC and its ACCT Program. Her two sons also graduated from ELASC last year. They took East LA College classes offered at ELASC and received dual credit (HS and college). They are now attending East LA College. She is now considering attending Saturday classes to earn her high school diploma.



Talk about ELASC contributing to the family and community! We are proud of what ELASC and Ms. Elizabeth Rodriguez has done for her family.

CTE News

The Perkins CTE Strengthening Career and technical Education for 21st Century Act was approved by the Senate and signed into law in late July. It updates career and technical education to give workers and students, the skills they need to find high-skills, high-wage and high-demand jobs. It comes with technical assistance to meet the performance goals within three years. The Act funds programs that help to improve the academic and technical training of adult CTE students transitioning from secondary to postsecondary education. East LA Skills Center received Perkins funding for program upgrades in the Photovoltaic, Medical Assistant, Health Information Technology, CNA programs for the 2017-2018 school year.

CASAS News

CASAS pretest starts Monday, August 27th, 2018.

ESL News


ESL Teacher, as discussed in the Back-to-School ESL Department meeting, a copy of the English Language Proficiency Standards for Adult Education is available at: <http://iincs.ed.gov/publications/pdf/elp-standards-adult-ed.pdf>. The new ESL standards correlate to the College and Career Readiness Standards for English Language Arts and Literacy, and Mathematical and Science Practices. The ELPS will help teachers prepare lesson plans aligned to the forthcoming new ESL course outlines.

JOB OFFERINGS

Bonnie Brae Convalescent Hospital (420 South Bonnie Brae Street, LA, 90057) is accepting applications for Certified Nursing Assistant positions. Contact Sharon Natividad, Director of Staff Development at (213) 483-8144 for more information.

Cambrian Homecare is now hiring for the following positions: Caregivers, CNAs, HCAs. Assisting seniors with activities of daily living. Apply at (866) 650-4300 or www.cambrianhomecare.com.

American Red Cross Blood Drive



HOPE begins with you.

**East LA Skills Center
Blood Drive**

Location: Auditorium, 2nd Floor

**Thursday, August 30, 2018
9:00 AM to 3:00 PM**

To make your life-saving appointment, please sign up at the Main Office or visit redcrossblood.org and use sponsor code: ELASC

As a thank you for your generosity, if you come to give at this drive, we'll send you a \$5 Amazon.com Gift Card*, via email. *Restrictions apply, see amazon.com/gc-legal. Terms and conditions apply. Visit: RedCrossBlood.org/Together

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ELASC will host the American Red Cross for a Blood Drive on Thursday, August 30th, 2018 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. A representative will speak to your students this Friday the 24th, for about 5 minutes to give students more information.

Educator Development and Support Training

In preparation for participating in the District's teacher evaluation process, EDST offers resources to help assist you. You will find these resources by navigating to the following link: <https://lausd.truenorthlogic.com> using your single sign on. Please review the following teacher resources available in the Resources tab of the District's evaluation platform, My Professional Growth System (MyPGS):

- EDS Planning and Preparation Teacher Handbook
- EDST Overview Videos
- EDST Overview
- Teaching and Learning Framework
- Initial Planning Sheet
- Formal Observation Cycle

Social Media

Please ask your students to log on to our website: www.eastlaskillscenter.org and review it in their Facebook accounts to advertise our high quality programs.

Elder Abuse Hotline

Call (800) 992-1660 to report elder and dependent adult abuse victims.



Our Mission

The East Los Angeles Skills Center in collaboration with community—based organizations and stakeholders will provide access to educational programs and services to students to achieve their personal and or career goals through language acquisition, academic and career pathways.

Our School-wide Learning Outcomes

The East Los Angeles Skills Center offers opportunities for all students to:

- Have access to an educational plan and course of study to increase employability
- Obtain technical skills for entry and advanced employment
- Acquire language and academic skills for advanced educational options and careers

Our Vision

To be a dynamic educational and job training institution to empower students to be college prepared and career ready.

State Senate ELASC Recognition



ELASC Photovoltaic program received recognition from State Senator Holly J. Mitchell, District 30. ELASC has volunteer/externship opportunities in collaboration with Grid Alternatives to install solar panels in greater LA. Congratulations Photovoltaic teachers Mr. Calderon and Mr. Ruiz, as well as the students!