

San Joaquin County Office of Education Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA)

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September 2016

WORKSHOP AND TRAINING CALENDAR

(Formerly the Staff Development Bulletin)

This is a summary of many upcoming workshops and training opportunities. For more information, please contact the person listed.

September 2016

- Sept 7** **A Manifestation Determination has Been Triggered: Now What? Using Your Professional Expertise to Strengthen the Process, That's What!** • Presenter: Scott Schwartz, Ph.D., School Psychologist, Diagnostic Center of Northern CA • Location: Davis Joint USD Office – East Conference Room • 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. • For more information, please contact Carolynne Bottum at carolynne.bottum@ycoe.org or 530-668-3787.
- Sept 13** **How Do I Help With Behavior? How to Effectively Use Prompting to Decrease Problem Behavior and Increase Student Independence** • Presenter: Tara Zombres, M. Ed., Education Specialist, Diagnostic Center of Northern CA • Location: TBD- Yuba County SELPA • 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. • For more information, please contact Lora Gonzalez at lora.gonzalez@yubacoe.k12.ca.us or 530-749-4873.
- Sept 21** * **Regional Center Fair Hearings – Improving Your Chance of Successful Outcomes** • Speaker: Katie Hornberger, Director – Office of Clients' Rights Advocacy, Disability Rights California • Location: San Joaquin County Office of Education WEC Building – 2707 Transworld Drive, Stockton CA 95206 • 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. • For more information, please call 209-473-6930 or email marigene.tacan-regan@scdd.ca.gov.
- Sept 28** **Executive Functions: Assessment and Implications to Support the Student** • Presenter: Scott Schwartz, Ph.D., School Psychologist, Diagnostic Center of Northern CA • Location: Folsom Cordova USD Education Service Center – 1865 Birkmont Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 • 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. • For more information, please contact Alycia Bankson at abankson@fcusd.org or 916-294-9007 ext.102411.

October 2016

- Oct 6** **Cognitive Behavioral Interventions in the Classroom** • Presenter: Shari Gent, M.S. Education Specialist, Diagnostic Center of Northern CA • Location: Santa Clara County Office of Education – 1290 Ridder Park Drive, San Jose CA 95131 • 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. • For more information, please contact Ashley Grant at agrant@mpesd.org or 408-223-3775.
- Oct 13** **Autism Spectrum Disorders from A to Z** • Presenter: Ananda Aspen, Central CA Diagnostic Center • Location: San Joaquin County Office of Education WEC Building – 2707 Transworld Drive, Stockton CA 95206 • 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. • For more information, please contact Patti Farhat at pfarhat@sjcoe.net or 209-468-4928.
- Oct 13** **New Dimensions in Autism Spectrum Disorders** • Presenter: Ananda Aspen, Central CA Diagnostic Center • Location: San Joaquin County Office of Education WEC Building – 2707 Transworld Drive, Stockton CA 95206 • 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. • For more information, please contact Patti Farhat at pfarhat@sjcoe.net or 209-468-4928.
- Oct 18** **Maximizing Student Engagement, Minimizing Disruptive Behaviors-How a Para-educator Can Help** • Presenter: Jodie Dittmar, Central CA Diagnostic Center • Location: San Joaquin County Office of Education WEC Building – 2707 Transworld Drive, Stockton CA 95206 • 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. • For more information, please contact Patti Farhat at pfarhat@sjcoe.net or 209-468-4928.

Oct 18 **The Para-educator’s Role in Differentiating Instruction for Students with Organizational, Behavior and Attention Challenges** • Presenter: Jodi Dittmar, Central CA Diagnostic Center • Location: San Joaquin County Office of Education WEC Building – 2707 Transworld Drive, Stockton CA 95206 • 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. • For more information, please contact Patti Farhat at pfarhat@sjcoe.net or 209-468-4928.

Oct 25 **SAVE THE DATE - LSH Fall Energizer – More Information to Come**
• Location: San Joaquin County Office of Education WEC Building – 2707 Transworld Drive, Stockton CA 95206 • 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. • For more information, please contact Patti Farhat at pfarhat@sjcoe.net or 209-468-4928.

*** Community Advisory Committee**

“Parents, educators and agencies working together to share information and build knowledge about the special education needs in our SELPA. While parents can sign up to attend any trainings, the asterisked workshops presented by various agencies contain information that may be of particular interest to parents of children with special needs”



Everyone is welcome to attend quarterly CAC business meetings held at the San Joaquin County Office of Education. For more information, please call Patti Farhat at 209-468-4928.

The Family Resource Network (FRN) serves families raising children, ages birth to 22 years, with special needs and is another training resource for families and professionals. FRN provides training workshops and seminars to parents and professionals using a culturally sensitive and family focused approach. FRN’s calendar can be accessed at <http://www.frcn.org/calendar.asp>.

La Red de recursos de la familia (FRN) provee servicios a las familias criando a hijos, desde el nacimiento hasta los 22 años de edad, con necesidades especiales y es otro de los recursos de entrenamiento para familias y profesionales. La FRN ofrece talleres de entrenamiento y seminarios para los padres y profesionales utilizando un modelo de enfoque culturalmente sensible y familiar. Se puede acceder al calendario de la FRN en <http://www.frcn.org/calendar.asp>.

Please access the San Joaquin County Office of Education's home page at www.sjcoe.org for additional workshop information under the Calendar of Events. Additional workshop information can be located at California Department of Education at www.dcc-cde.ca.gov.

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