

San Diego Adult Education Regional Consortium

Spring Newsletter #3

San Diego College of Continuing Education and San Diego Unified School District's Adult School collaborate in one of 71 statewide Adult Education Regional Consortia called the San Diego Adult Education Regional Consortium (SDAERC).

SDAERC Voting Members and Constituents Greeting,

This newsletter has San Diego Regional Adult Education Consortium updates for Learners & Professionals.

SDAERC (CAEP Consortium) Meeting: The next SDAERC Meeting will be held on Thursday, March 21st, 2024, from 2pm - 3:30. The meeting location will be held at: 4343 Ocean View Blvd. San Diego, CA 92113 (ECC) Rm 106

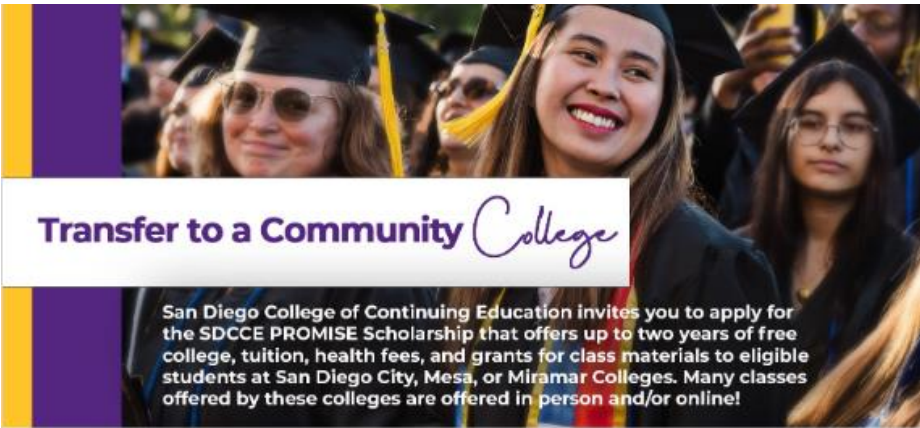
For remote participants can use the following Zoom link here: <https://sdccd-edu.zoom.us/j/86489078557> **PASSWORD:** SDAERC

Meeting Teleconference Access Or by phone: 1-669-900- 6833 Meeting ID: 867 3308 6455
Meeting Agenda can be found at this link [HERE](#). See the agenda for links to agenda items and flyers!

EVENTS & RESOURCES FOR LEARNERS

Apply for SDCCE Promise 2024-2025: The San Diego College of Continuing Education Promise Program provides resources to students who would like to attend college and need financial assistance with enrollment fees.

Applications are now being accepted and are due May 17, 2024. Successful applicants will be informed of their selection by May 27, 2024. See the application link [HERE](#) For more information on SDCCE Promise see below or click [HERE](#)



Transfer to a Community College

San Diego College of Continuing Education invites you to apply for the SDCCE PROMISE Scholarship that offers up to two years of free college, tuition, health fees, and grants for class materials to eligible students at San Diego City, Mesa, or Miramar Colleges. Many classes offered by these colleges are offered in person and/or online!

SDCCE Promise —SCHOLARSHIP— 2024 - 2025

Eligibility Requirements (No age restriction, this program is open to all ages! Students who have obtained an international college degree are eligible to apply.)

- Must be a registered student at SDCCE with a CE Certificate completed (or will complete one by June 30, 2024).
- Must complete a financial aid application for [Federal Student Aid \(FASFA\)](#) or [California Dream Act \(CADA\)](#).
- Must meet California Residency Requirements (as determined by the community college), which includes Permanent Residents, US Citizens, Undocumented, expired visa status, refugee status, and others.
- Must possess a high school equivalency, high school diploma, or equivalent from another country (year completed is not relevant).
- Must be currently enrolled in, registered for, or have already completed the Career & College Readiness Course at SDCCE and provide verification.
- Must commit to attend SDCCD Promise Orientation and the 2024 CE Commencement ceremony.

Make an appointment to talk with a CE Counselor or attend a Zoom workshop:
(listed below)

-Information Workshops-

Morning: Tuesday.....10-11 am
Evening: Wednesday.....6-7pm
Weekend: Saturday.....10-11 am

-Starting 2/14/24 through 05/15/24

→ **Join us on Zoom.**
Meeting ID: 912 4582 5663
Code: 127182

APPLY HERE.

*The CE Promise Scholarship is also available for students with high school or university from other countries.



SDCCE Welcome Centers: New students can visit an SDCCE Welcome Center at any SDCCE Campus to help with signing up for classes and more! For more information click on this link: [Campuses | San Diego College of Continuing Education \(sdcce.edu\)](https://www.sdcced.edu/campuses)



San Diego College of Continuing Education
WELCOME CENTER

Visit our welcome centers for support in the following areas:

- Application Support
- mySDCCD Portal Setup
- Student Email Setup
- Canvas and Zoom Support
- General Questions

CE at Mesa

Mon: 9 am - 4 pm
 Tue: 9 am - 4:30 pm
 Wed: 9 am - 3 pm
 Thur: 1 pm - 4:30 pm

César E. Chávez Campus

Mon: 8:30 am - 5 pm
 Tue: 8:30 am - 12pm/3-7pm
 Wed: 3 pm - 7 pm
 Thur: 8:30 am - 1 pm

Mid-City Campus

Mon: 8 am - 8 pm
 Tue/Wed/Thur: 8 am - 7 pm
 Fri: 8 am - 2:00 pm

CE at Miramar

Tue: 9 am - 12 pm
 Wed: 9 am - 12 pm

Educational Cultural Complex

Mon/Thurs: 8:00 am - 5 pm
 Tue/Wed: 8:00 am - 7:00 pm
 Fri: 9 am - 12 pm

North City Campus

Mon: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
 Tues/Wed: 9:00 am - 6:00 pm
 Thur: 9 am - 1 pm

West City Campus

Coming soon!

Questions?

Contact us at:
 P: 619.388.SDCE (7323)
 E: sdcceoutreach@sdccd.edu
 IG: @sdcceoutreach



Scan QR code to visit our social tap page



Recording of Black History Month Event: SDCCE hosted several events in celebration of Black History Month. Of special interest to regional adult education programs, see the following recording link for one of these events:

Dr. Adisa Alkebulan, an associate professor in Africana Studies at SDSU, provides insight into the History of Haiti, telling a story of resilience and people's migration:

<https://youtu.be/GXQ05jSjt4>

Secondary Education Enrollment Nights: The public is invited to learn more about earning a High School Diploma or High School Equivalency. Teams will be onsite to help

prospective students apply and enroll for Secondary Education courses spring semester 2024. The next events will take place:

March 20th

5:00 pm- 8:00 pm

Mid-City Campus: 3792 Fairmount Ave.

virtual support [Join on Zoom](#)

For more information, contact sdcemidcity@sdccd.edu

City of San Diego Digital Navigator Resources and Schedule: The City of San Diego Digital Navigator and the new “Tech on the Go” calendars are available for April. See the flyers below for the April Schedule.

For more information visit <https://www.sandiego.gov/digital-navigator-program>

For a full calendar of appointments and classes for tech help see [HERE](#)



Need Tech Help and Tech Resources?

The City of San Diego, SDF and C2K partner to offer Free Digital Navigator services.
Drop-in or call for assistance.

1 (800) 350-6945

APRIL 2024 DIGITAL NAVIGATOR SCHEDULE

Central Library – Downtown San Diego 330 Park Blvd.	Park de la Cruz Recreation Center 3911 Landis St.
<u>English</u> Tuesday: 11:30 am – 3:30 pm <u>English</u> Thursday: 11:30 am – 3:30 pm <u>English</u> Friday: 11:30 am – 3:30 pm	<u>English</u> Tuesday: 9:00 am – 11:00 pm <u>English</u> Thursday: 9:00 am – 11:00 pm
Logan Heights Library 567 S. 28th St.	Valencia Park/Malcolm X Library 5148 Market St.
<u>English/Somali/Hindi/Urdu</u> Monday: 11:30 am – 3:30 pm *	<u>English</u> Monday: 11:30 am – 7:30 pm* <u>English</u> Wednesday: 11:30 am – 3:30 pm
San Ysidro Library 4235 Beyer Blvd.	
<u>English/Spanish</u> Friday: 9:30 am – 1:30 pm	

*Monday, April 1st Library closed for César Chávez Day



APRIL 2024 TECH ON THE GO SCHEDULE

Our classes can help teach you how to be confident with your devices. Our structure is as follows:	HOUR 1: Hands-on basic technical exercises and Q&A	HOUR 2: Class discussion on monthly topic	HOUR 3: Q&A for basic tech questions	Scan this QR code for more information	
Valencia Park/Malcolm X Library 5148 Market St. Thursdays 10 am - 1 pm <i>Community Topics</i>		Park de la Cruz Recreation Center 3911 Landis St. Mondays & Wednesdays 9:30 am - 12:30 pm <i>Social Media Safety</i>			
4/4 Smart Home Technology 4/11 Assistive Technology 4/18 AI (Artificial Intelligence) Technology 4/25 The Future of Technology	4/1 HOLIDAY 4/8 Social Media Safety Basics 4/15 Social Media Privacy Tips 4/22 Social Media Phishing 4/29 Texting and Cyberbullying				
<i>Open Office Hours</i> Fridays 10am - 1pm		<i>Smartphone Basics</i> 4/3 Smartphone I - Navigating Phone and Settings 4/10 Smartphone II - Contact and Block People 4/17 Smartphone III - Taking Photos 4/24 Smartphone IV - Apps			
Logan Heights Library* 567 S. 28 th St. Wednesdays 10:30 am - 1:30 pm <i>All About Apps</i>		Central Library – Downtown San Diego 330 Park Blvd. Tuesdays 11:30 am - 2:30 pm <i>Introduction to Excel</i>			
4/3 No Class 4/10 App I - All about Apps 4/17 App II - Online Banking & Shopping 4/24 App III - The Camera App	4/2 No Class 4/9 Excel - Keyboard & Mouse 4/16 Excel I - Navigating Excel and the Ribbon 4/23 Excel II - Data Entry & Formatting 4/30 Excel III - Formulas and Functions				
San Ysidro Library* 4235 Beyer Blvd. Mondays 2 pm - 5 pm <i>Basic Computer Series</i>		Sherman Heights Community Center* 2258 Island Ave. Tuesdays 10 am - 1 pm <i>Smartphone Basics</i>			
4/1 HOLIDAY 4/8 Computer Hardware And Software 4/15 Mouse and Keyboard 4/22 Internet Search URL Overview 4/29 Types of Malware URL Review Hypertext	4/2 No Class 4/9 Smartphone I - Navigating Phone and Settings 4/16 Smartphone II - Contact and Block People 4/23 Smartphone III - Taking Photos 4/30 Smartphone IV - Apps				
Skyline Hills Library 7900 Paradise Valley Rd. Saturday 10 am - 1pm <i>Network Safety Series</i>		City Heights Library 3795 Fairmount Ave. Thursdays 2 pm - 5 pm <i>All About Apps</i>			
4/6 Network Safety I: Home Network and Internet 4/13 Network Safety II: Internet Safety 4/20 Network Safety III: Public Wi-Fi safety 4/27 Network Safety IV: The Cloud	4/4 No Class 4/11 App I - All about Apps 4/18 App II - Online Banking & Shopping 4/25 App III - The Camera App				
Otay Mesa-Nestor Library * 3003 Coronado Ave					
Fridays 10 am - 1 pm 10 am - 11 am English Session 11 am - 12 pm Q&A 12 pm - 1 pm Spanish Session		<i>Email Series</i> 4/5 No Class 4/12 Email I: Email Basics 4/19 Email II: Email Features 4/26 Email III: Efficiency and Productivity			
*Q&A is offered in Spanish and English					

EVENTS & RESOURCES FOR PROFESSIONALS

CASAS National Summer Institute 2024: CASAS will be hosting its National Summer Institute from June 17-20, 2024. With more than 120 training sessions, workshops, hands on labs, and panels, the Summer Institute is an exceptional adult education professional development event. For more information and to register for this event, click [HERE](#).

SDCCE Classified Employee Professional Development: The Professional Development at SDCCE invites you to submit your interest in attending external conferences and workshops and you are in search of funds to support your attendance. See the form [HERE](#). Do not hesitate to reach out to Carla Grossini-Concha, SDCCE Flex & Professional Development Coordinator, at cgrossini@sdccd.edu, with any questions.

Outreach and Technical Assistance Network (OTAN) AI Trainings: See links below to view free recordings of presentations on utilizing Artificial Intelligence (AI) in adult education professional environments:



[AI Prompt Mastery: How to Become a Prompt Genius](#)

[OTAN Tech Talk – Artificial Intelligence Tools for Adult Education](#)

[TDLS 2023 – Rock Your World: AI in AE Saves Teachers Time](#)

For more information on OTAN see [HERE](#).

MORE SDAERC INFO/CONTACT

For more information about the SDAERC, including the Annual Plan for PY 23/24, Three-Year Plan, at past meetings visit [here](#) or contact Kelly Henwood, Consortium Director, SDCCE Special Projects Manager at KHenwood@sdccd.edu.

Visit our agency's websites:

[San Diego College of Continuing Education](#)

[SDUSD Adult School](#)

[CAEP State Site](#)

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