Salt Lake Center for Science Education

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Important Dates

- April 11 Mountain Bike Team Information Meeting on Zoom
- April 12 ASPIRE testing for 10th grade
- April 19 At home learning day
- April 20 & 21 ASPIRE testing for 9th grade
- April 21 Theatre Performance of Into The Woods
- April 29 Non-student day
- April 29 Multicultural Conference at SLCC

Reasons to Be On Time to School



Students can transition from arriving at school to settling into an academic focus



Students never miss important information



Students develop positive lifelong habits

Note from Ms. Powell

SLCSE Families,

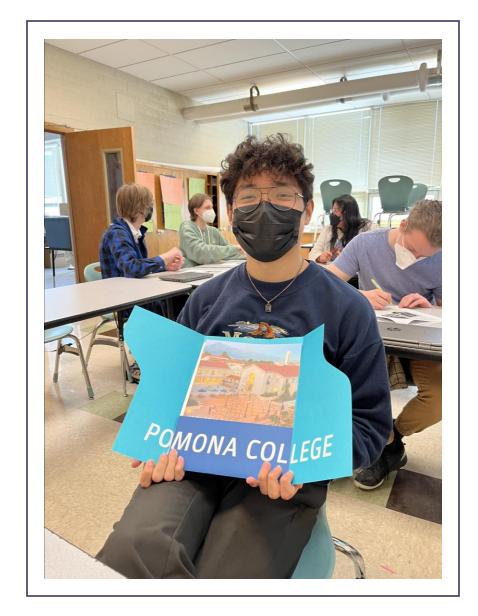
We are in our final quarter of the school year and still have so much to do and to look forward to. State tests, AP exams, camping trips and my favorite – end of year projects. For those of you who are new to SLCSE, all students engage in an end of year project through their science class. The projects generally have a grade level theme and are a great opportunity for students to demonstrate the skills they have acquired during the year. It's a busy, high energy and exciting time that helps students finish the year strong. The projects are presented on the last full day of school and parents are welcome to attend.

SLCSE will not be providing summer programming but if your student is in need of credit recovery, we will be in touch prior to the end of the school year. Please continue to support your student in a successful end to the year. We invite you to check in with teachers on progress. Students are always invited to join after school homework hall for academic support.

Britnie Powell, Principal

Congratulations Seniors

 College acceptance letters have been received. This year, Seniors have been accepted to the University of Utah, Westminster College, Salt Lake Community College, Utah State University, Utah Valley University, Neumont University, Davis Applied Technical College, Fort Lewis College, Merrimack College, American University, San Francisco University, Oregon State University, Embry-Riddle University, Pomona College and others.



A request

Please contact the office (801 578 8226) or Dr. Hack (niki.hack@slcschools.org) if you can help

- The reality of graduating and leaving the familiar life of a high school student is sinking in for many of our Seniors. We have received multiple requests from them for adulting lessons. Several topics we have already addressed (interviewing for a job, resume writing, self-advocacy, taxes) and some topics we are looking for experts in the field.....(quite frankly they are tired of hearing from us!)
- Does anyone want to come teach our students?
 - Basic car maintenance
 - Nutrition
 - Opening a bank account
 - Rental agreements
 - ...and anything else you wish you'd been taught in high school















Free Suicide Prevention Trainings

- We are able to provide free suicide trainings to students, parents, and community members. Below is an opportunity for adults to attend. If you have family members or friends who are interested but not connected to SLCSE, that is okay, and they will be considered family members.
- Please read the following options below and email your RSVP <u>samantha.borders@slcschools.or</u> g with your name and who will be attending.

- YMHFA Youth mental health first aid is an all-day event on a Saturday, May 14th from 9 am-3 pm at SLCSE.
- Spots Available: 27 Adults (18+ years old) only
- You will learn:
- Common signs and symptoms of mental health challenges in this age group, including anxiety, depression, eating disorders and attention deficit hyperactive disorder (ADHD).
- Common signs and symptoms of substance use challenges.
- How to interact with a child or adolescent in crisis.
- How to connect the youth with help.
- Expanded content on trauma, substance use, self-care and the impact of social media and bullying

SLCSE Mountain Bike Team

Have questions?

Contact Traci Thompson

<u>Traci.thompson@hsc.utah.edu</u>

Join us for a SLCSE MTB information meeting

Monday, April 11, 2022

6:30-7:30 PM

https://utah.zoom.us/j/95603091260?pwd=aXd1

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Meeting ID: 956 0309 1260

Passcode: 103496



Multicultural Conference at SLCC

- For freshmen,
 sophomores and juniors
- Choose from multiple diversity workshops to attend, meet new people, and explore college resources.
- There will also be prize drawings for those in attendance!

SALT LAKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SPRING 2022 MULTICULTURAL CONFERENCE **PLANTING SEEDS OF** RESILIENCE Inviting high school freshmen, sophomores, and juniors to celebrate your diverse community & start growing your college experience! FRIDAY, APRIL 29TH | 8 AM - 1 PM SLCC TAYLORSVILLE CAMPUS Interactive workshops, college resource & club fair, plus prizes! TALK TO YOUR COUNSELOR AND REGISTER HERE: TINYURL.COM/SPRING2022MCC



Alim STEM Scholars Program

- This program will introduce high school students to careers in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) including healthcare and medicine
- The program is FREE and runs for 7 weeks, every Saturday morning from June 18th - July 30th. There will be no class on July 2. The program will run virtually via Zoom
- This program is designed for high school students who come from backgrounds underrepresented in STEM and medicine. Applications from Muslim American students are strongly encouraged.
- Alim STEM Scholars Program | Application (qualtrics.com)

Utah Genomics Scholarship open to Sophomores and Juniors

- Essay Question: What is a health care practice related to genetics or genomics that disproportionately affects one group of people on the basis of race, ethnicity or other identifier, and how can we challenge this practice?
- Eligible students must currently be sophomores or juniors in high school in the United States and identify as a member of one or more underrepresented population based on race, ethnicity, sex, gender, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, country of origin, culture, language, religion, spiritual beliefs, health history, disability, financial hardship, and/or others.