Salt Lake Center for Science Education

NEWSLETTER -

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SALT LAKE CENTER

FOR SCIENCE EDUCATION



Important Dates

November 15 Application window opens for SLCSE

November 22 Water Fair 3-6pm

November 23 – 27 Thanksgiving Break

November 22 10th grade Down the Drain Symposium

November 29 Picture Retake Day

December 9 – 2nd Quarter mid-terms

December 24 – January 8 Winter break

Note from Ms. Powell

SLCSE Families,

Last month was Utah College Application Week when all Utah students are able to apply, without fees, to Utah Colleges. We are proud to report that 80% of our seniors applied to at least one college or technical school and many students completed their FAFSA applications at our FAFSA night

November 15, the Open Enrollment window opens for SLCSE applications. We always want to ensure that we get the word out to as many potential new families as possible. Besides visiting schools and our Open House event on January 19th at 6pm, we rely on SLCSE families to spread the word. Please let people know what you like about our school and encourage students to apply if you think it would be a good fit for them.

Much gratitude, Britnie Powell

SLCSE Forest

With our generous sponsors (Ivory Homes and TreeUtah), we were able to plant 25 new trees at SLCSE.

If your family is interested in helping us take care of the trees next summer (two-day commitment) please reach out to Liz Moretz



Forensic Science Field Trip

Former SLCSE graduate hosted us at the University of Utah where we learned about her paleoclimate research on charcoal deposits preserved in soil samples. We looked at pollen grains under the microscope and discussed forensic applications.









Fall Social

Students from Peer Leadership classes organized a fun week culminating in the Fall Social. Spanish class set up a Día de Los Muertos Altar. Forensics class set up an assortment of body parts in specimen jars.









Ninth Grade Field Trip



SLCSE Water Fair November 22

2:30-3:30pm Chemistry Down the Drain Poster Session

Come learn from our 10th grade student scientists as they present data on water samples they collected in partnership with the University of Utah and the Salt Lake City Water Reclamation Plant.

3:00-6:00pm Citizen Science

Bring your own water sample to test and answer a short questionnaire and you will also receive a \$50 VISA gift card. All types of water samples are welcome including tap water, secondary irrigation water, and river water. This event is sponsored by the University of Utah with funding from the National Science Foundation. Sampling containers must be picked up ahead of time from Ms. Wickelson, Ms. Marino, or Mr. Karl.

For more information: <u>Shea.Wickelson@slcschools.org</u>

We are grateful to you

•For reading and editing senior essays

oFor donating to the fall festival

oFor gift cards galore

•For meeting with teachers

•For supporting your student

oFor sharing the word about our fabulous
school

o <u>Application for new students</u>



Salt Lake Education Foundation Digital Inclusion Program

Internet Service at no cost to you!

Great News! The Salt Lake Education Foundation would like to sponsor your high-speed home Internet connection. If you are eligible and approved, your Internet Essentials monthly service fee (normally \$9.95 per month + tax) will be at no cost to you.

If you are interested in signing up, please contact your school directly.

You can ask your principal, counselor(s), school social worker or family and school collaboration specialist.

For more details about the program or further support, contact:

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If you already received a promo code from your school, visit:

Apply.InternetEssentials.com or call 1-855-8376 for more information on how to apply.

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Programa de Inclusión Digital de la Fundación de Educación de Salt Lake

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Si está interesado en inscribirse, comuníquese directamente con su escuela.

Puede preguntarle a su director, consejero(s), trabajador social escolar o especialista en colaboración familiar y escolar.

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