

EL / DL NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 14 , 2022

IT'S A CELEBRATION!

Over the last four weeks, (September 15-October 15) we have been celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month with many different activities and displays all around our GCS schools. Thank you for sharing !



Students recognizing their Hispanic countries' flags at Allen Jay Elementary .



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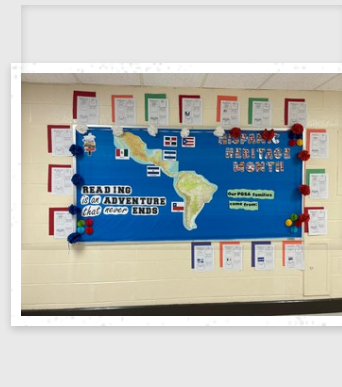
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Ms. Carrasco at Kearns Academy celebrated Hispanic Heritage month with a typical Chilean breakfast..



Ms. Coppola at Allen Jay Elementary's Hispanic Heritage celebration .



Ms. Carrasco's display at Penn-Griffin .



Hispanic Heritage celebration at Southwest ES organized by their PTA.



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Cumbia dancers from Southwest HS at the Hispanic Heritage celebration at Southwest ES organized by the PTA.



BETH EXPLAINS IT ALL

Beginning on Tuesday, 10/11, Beth Biester will be available to answer all your questions regarding testing and paperwork on Teams.

You do not need to sign up. These meetings are not mandatory and they will take place every Tuesday.

MORNING MEETING

WHEN

TUESDAY, OCT. 11TH, 8:30-9:30AM

WHERE

THIS IS AN ONLINE EVENT.

MORE INFORMATION

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

AFTERNOON MEETING

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TUESDAY, OCT. 11TH, 3-4PM

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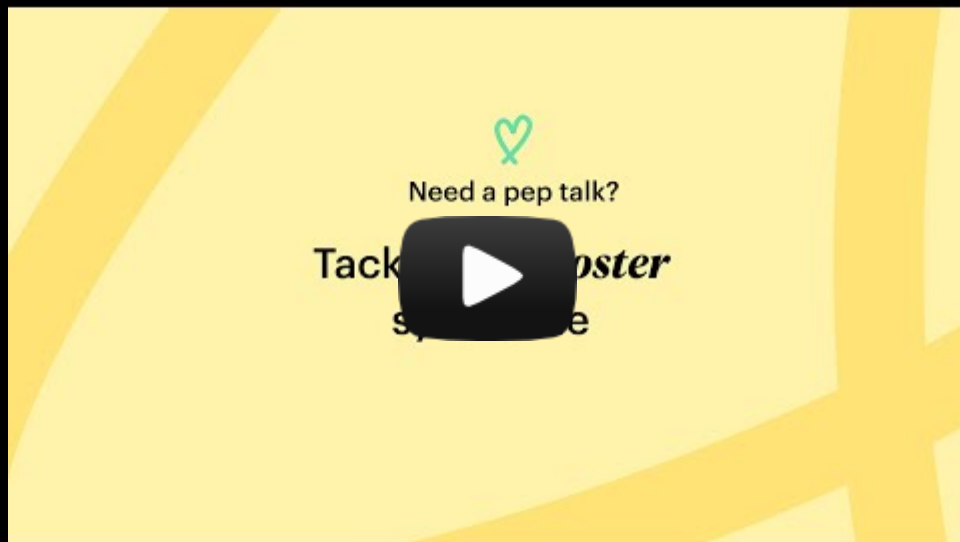
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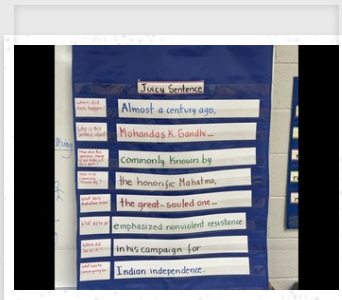
SEL TEACHER PEP TALK : BECAUSE YOU'RE WORTH IT !

Teacher Pep Talk: Tackling Imposter Syndrome | Teachers Pay Teachers

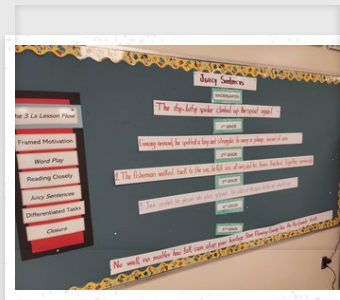


USING OUR WALLS TO EXTEND STUDENT LEARNING

Our classroom walls shouldn't be seen as spaces to fill, but rather as a means to extend what is already taking place in the EL classroom. Have a look at your teaching space – what changes can you make to turn your wall decorations into engaging and meaningful learning opportunities? Here you have some examples from our EL classrooms using the 3Ls elements.



Ms. San Martin 's at Mendenhall MS.



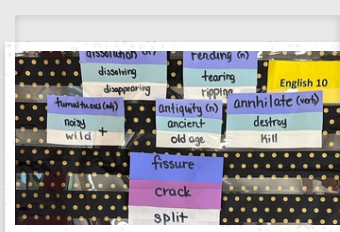
Ms. Calderon's at Southern ES.



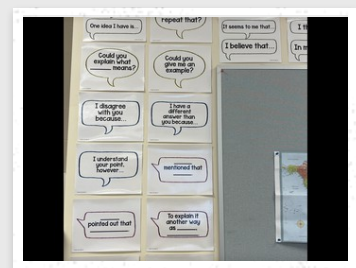
Mr. Collamar's at Southeast MS.



Ms. McCullough's at Page HS.



Ms. Avant's at Page HS.



Ms. Callahan's at Jamestown MS.

DID YOU KNOW ?

The participants at the LatinX Summit shared their ideas ,feelings and vision to create this illustration. If you want to learn more about the LatinXED organization and how they can assist your students, click [here](#).



GET FREE BOOKS FROM DOLLY PARTON'S IMAGINATION LIBRARY

[Dolly Parton's Imagination Library](#) program mails children a free book each month from birth until they are 5 years old. These high-quality books are chosen by experts in publishing and education, and are based on the child's age. There are no eligibility requirements for Dolly Parton's book club; any child can join!!!

FREE MENTAL HEALTH THERAPY SERVICES BY UNCG PSYCHOLOGY CLINIC

The UNCG Psychology Clinic is able to provide therapy services to GCS students who are experiencing mental health challenges, such as depression, anxiety, trauma, anger, family adjustment difficulties. There is no cost to families for these services, or interpreter or transportation services as needed. Referrals may be made by school counselors or school social workers, using this referral form. Upon receipt of the referral form, UNCG Psychology Clinic will send consent forms to the referring staff member that parents/guardians will need to sign to be returned to UNCG.



The attached referral forms will be faxed to a secure number to Dr. Gray, Director of the UNCG clinic. Once UNCG receives the signed consent forms, the UNCG Psychology Clinic will contact the family directly to arrange for services.



CARES Referral form- Therapy only RNG.docx

 Download

30.5 KB

NCDPI ELD STANDARDS RESOURCE HUB

Access the NC ELD Standards Resource hub [here](#).



OUT OF THE GARDEN PROJECT

There are more than 50,000 children in need in our community. But together, we can make a difference in their lives.

You can donate shelf-stable food to Out of the Garden Project. Check out their [Amazon Charity Wish List](#) and make invaluable food donations. Do you want to organize a non-perishable food drive with your school? Please contact volunteer@outofthegardenproject.org and they can help you get started.

Please share the [schedule](#) for the free Fresh Mobile Market with your families!



NC GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL

Come find out about the free Governor's School summer enrichment opportunity for 11th graders, which focuses on academics and the arts! You'll learn all the ins and outs of the application process and hear from GCS students who participated last summer. Learn more [here](#).



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