MIGRANT ED NEWS

Migrant Education Program Newsletter

November 1, 2014

Events:

- Parent Education Night: Graduation Requirements
Alder Elementary, Nov. 5, 6:00 PM
- Parent Advisory Council Meeting
Alder Elementary, Nov. 5, 5:00 PM
- Parent Education Night: Immunizations, Immigration, Preschool, Holiday Event
Alder Elementary, Dec. 10, 6:00 PM

MEP Student Support Focus for 2014-2015

For the past year we have been making changes to our student service model based on the new statewide goals of the Migrant Education Program and the needs of our local districts. The four statewide measurable program outcomes are Kindergarten Readiness, Graduation, Math, and Reading. We are solidifying our service model for this year and will include it in the December newsletter.

Path to Scholarships Workshop

Twenty-nine high school students participated in the Migrant Education Program-sponsored Path to Scholarships workshop on Friday, October 24. A huge thank you to Reynolds High School for hosting us and to the support staff in every high school who made it possible for the students to attend. Students participated from Centennial, David Douglas, Gresham, Reynolds and Sam Barlow high schools. They learned about the five steps to earning scholarships (community service, resume, essay, letters of recommendation, transcript) and started working on their scholarship essay. We are excited to continue supporting these students with the Path to Scholarships curriculum throughout the year.

Path to Scholarships workshop evaluation comments: I learned...

"that your story can change your whole future."

"what my life purpose is and how I need to overcome tough obstacles."

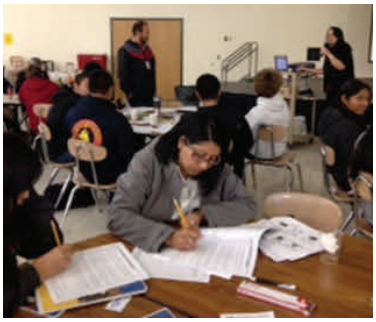
"how to get a scholarship for FREE!"

"how to not be afraid and take risks."

"how to write a good essay, that the essay is your story, and also to do quality community service."

"how to write an essay in such a simple way. Now I know I can get to college. I just have to work hard."

"anyone can go to college."



Who are your Migrant Education Students?

You can have 24/7 access to the most current eligible student list for your building or district! Please email Julie Conroy at jconroy@mesd.k12.or.us and you will be added as a new user. This access replaces the list you may have received by pony in the past. If there is anyone in your building or district you think would like to receive this monthly newsletter, please forward their email address to Julie at the email listed above.

Recruitment

5 families with 11 students were enrolled in September and 7 families with 17 students were enrolled in October. Please contact us if you think a family may qualify.

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