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| **PASSPORT** | | | | |
|  | **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Passport Help Session | Wednesday 9/11 | 4:00-5:00 p.m. | TEC 248/249 | Professional Learning  Bulletin Board |
| **Contact**: Dr. Camille Yates at [Camille.Yates@selu.edu](mailto:Camille.Yates@selu.edu) | | | | |

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| **PRAXIS** | | | | |
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| Praxis I: English | Thursday 9/12 | 10:00-11:00 a.m. | TEC 2020 | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| Praxis I: Reading | Thursday 9/12 | 11:00 a.m-12:00 p.m. | TEC 2020 | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| Praxis I: Math | Thursday 9/12 | 1:00-2:00 p.m. | TEC 2020 | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| Praxis II: PLT | Thursday 9/12 | 2:00-3:00 p.m. | TEC 2020 | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| **Contact**: Dr. Tracey Kumar at [Tracey.Kumar@selu.edu](mailto:Tracey.Kumar@selu.edu) | | | | |

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| **How Money Works for Teachers**  Are you an educator or future educator ready to take control of your financial success? Financial success on a teacher salary can happen if you take charge. This course will introduce students to major concepts necessary to make informed decisions regarding finances and is a one night class. | | | | |
|  | **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Session I | Wednesday 9/18 | 5:00-6:00 p.m. | TEC 2020 | [www.selu.edu/es](http://www.selu.edu/es) |
| Session II | Thursday 9/26 | 5:00-6:00 p.m. | TEC 2020 | [www.selu.edu/es](http://www.selu.edu/es) |
| **Contact**: Extended Studies at (985) 549-2301 | | | | |

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| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Friday 9/20 | 9:00-11:30 a.m. | TEC 1022 | https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e801i2qi2d69a53e&oseq=&c=&ch= |
| Friday 10/18 | 10:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m. | TEC 1022 | https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e833rnwt2e4390dd&oseq=&c=&ch= |
| Thursday 11/7 | 5:00-7:30 p.m. | TEC 1022 | https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e8319k7h18326c0e&oseq=&c=&ch= |
| Thursday 12/5 | 5:00-7:30 p.m. | TEC 1022 | https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e831a74c82ddeb4a&oseq=&c=&ch= |
| **Contact**: Debbie Richardson at [drichardson@childadv.net](mailto:drichardson@childadv.net) | | | |

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| **Beyond the Classroom**  **Incorporating Outdoor Experiences & Community Resources into the Educational Process**  Mr. Jordan Smith, Interpretive Ranger at Bogue Chitto State Park, will discuss ways that teachers can incorporate outdoor experiences and community resources into the educational process. Mr. Smith is a strong proponent of learning, both in and out of the classroom, and he is excited about sharing his unique ideas. | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Thursday 10/17 | 4:30-6:00 p.m. | TEC 2007 | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| **Contact**: Dr. Tracey Kumar at [Tracey.Kumar@selu.edu](mailto:Tracey.Kumar@selu.edu) | | | |

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| **Navigating the IEP**  This presentation will address IDEA and how it impacts the IEP. Specifically, the presentation will focus on the makeup of the IEP team, the rights of parents and students, and writing an effective IEP. | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Wednesday 10/23 | 1:00-2:00 p.m. | TEC 2020 | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| **Contact**: Hannah Rucker at [Hannah.Rucker@selu.edu](mailto:Hannah.Rucker@selu.edu) | | | |

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| **Teaching with Primary Sources** | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Wednesday 10/30 | 4:30-5:30 p.m. | TEC 2013 | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| **Contact**: Mary Ellen Scherer at [Mary.Scherer@selu.edu](mailto:Mary.Scherer@selu.edu) | | | |

**PRAXIS PREPARATION**

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| **PRAXIS I: WRITING GROUP**  Weekly, hour-long sessions with a focus on timed writing, grammatical concepts, and editing skills. If you’re interested in joining, contact Dr. Michelle Brown at [Michelle.Brown-4@selu.edu](mailto:Michelle.Brown-4@selu.edu) and attend the first meeting. There are limited seats, so don’t wait! | | | | |
|  | **Facilitator** | **Date(s)** | **Time** | **Location** |
| **First Meeting** | Dr. Brown | Tuesday 2/4 | 3:30 p.m. | TEC 239 |
| This workshop is part of a research study. Participants must be 18 years of age or older and must have taken the Praxis I Writing exam once. Participants must have already completed English 102.    **Contact**: Dr. Brown at [Michelle.Brown-4@selu.edu](mailto:Michelle.Brown-4@selu.edu) | | | | |

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| **PRAXIS I: MATH**  During these sessions, attendees will learn about the format and structure of the Praxis I Math exam, and have an opportunity to work through several practice problems. | | | | |
|  | **Facilitator** | **Date(s)** | **Time** | **Location** |
| **Session 1** | Ms. Gautreaux | Thursday 2/20 | 2:00-3:00 | TEC 2003 |
| **Session 2** | Ms. Gautreaux | Thursday 4/10 | 2:00-3:00 | TEC 2003 |
| **Contact**: Teacher Development at [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) | | | | |

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| **PRAXIS I: READING**  During these sessions, attendees will learn about the structure and format of the Praxis I Reading exam, and have an opportunity to read passages and respond to sample exam questions. | | | | |
|  | **Facilitator** | **Date(s)** | **Time** | **Location** |
| **Session 1** | Dr. Beckers | Wednesday 2/19 | 2:00-3:00 | TEC 2003 |
| **Session 2** | Dr. Beckers | Wednesday 4/16 | 2:00-3:00 | TEC 2003 |
| **Contact**: Teacher Development at [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) | | | | |

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| **PRAXIS II: PRINCIPLES OF LEARNING & TEACHING**  During these sessions, attendees will learn about the format and content of the PLT exam, and have an opportunity to answer several practice questions. Attendees will also learn about a number of free resources that they can use to prepare for the exam. | | | | |
|  | **Facilitator** | **Date(s)** | **Time** | **Location** |
| **Session 1** | Dr. Kumar | Thursday 2/20 | 3:30-4:30 | TEC 2003 |
| **Session 2** | Dr. Kumar | Thursday 4/10 | 3:30-4:30 | TEC 2003 |
| **Contact**: Teacher Development at [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) | | | | |

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| **PRAXIS: STUDY PLAN DEVELOPMENT WEBINARS**  These free webinars deliver in-depth information about the *Praxis* tests, and offer your students the opportunity to ask questions. Prospective test takers will also be presented with a plan to help with test preparation.  Webinar topics include:   * An overview of the *Praxis* tests * An overview of the Study Companion * Available resources for test preparation | |
| **Date(s)** | **Time** |
| Wednesday 2/19; Thursday 3/27; Wednesday 5/7; & Monday 6/2 | 1:00 EST |
| **Details & Registration**: http://www.ets.org/praxis/prepare/webinars?WT.dcsvid=NjE3Mjg4OTc3NgS2 | |

**PREPARING TO TEACH DIVERSE LEARNERS**

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| **Differentiation: Recognizing & Honoring the Learner**  During this session, Dr. Zimlich will provide a basic overview of differentiation, and discuss how teachers can make it work in the classroom. | | | | |
| **Facilitator** | **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Dr. Zimlich | Tuesday 3/11 | 1:00-2:00 | TEC 2003 | [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) |
| **Contact**: Teacher Development at [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) | | | | |

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| **English as a Second Language: Informational Meeting**  Graduate with ESL certification—Come hear what teacher candidates who are seeking ESL certification as undergraduates can tell you about this add-on certification. Make yourself more marketable with this certification, but more importantly, further prepare yourself to teach children who have English as a second language. All the materials and methods discussed in these sessions will enhance your professional learning as a beginning teacher.  **Presenter**: Dr. Elliott  **Special Guest Presenters**: Maggy Long & Phyllis Schenck | | | | |
|  | **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| **Session 1** | Tuesday 3/11 | 12:00-1:00 | TEC 2020 | [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) |
| **Session 2** | Wednesday 3/12 | 12:00-1:00 | TEC 2020 | [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) |
| **Contact**: Dr. Elliott at [celliott@selu.edu](mailto:celliott@selu.edu) | | | | |

**PERSONAL GROWTH**

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| **HOW MONEY WORKS FOR TEACHERS: PART I**  Are you an educator or future educator ready to take control of your financial success? Financial success on a teacher salary can happen if you take charge. This course will introduce students to major concepts necessary to make informed decisions regarding finances. There are no technology requirements or prerequisites for this class, and no charge to attend.  **Presenters:** Shannon Bernard & Liz Reno | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Thursday 2/6 | 4:00-5:00 | TEC 2007 | [www.selu.edu/es](http://www.selu.edu/es) |
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| **HOW MONEY WORKS FOR TEACHERS: PART II—SAVING & INVESTING**  Saving and investing on a teacher’s salary can be successful if you take charge. This course will introduce educators and future educators to the major concepts necessary to make informed decisions regarding saving and investing. There are no technology requirements or prerequisites for this class, and no charge to attend.  **Presenters**: Shannon Bernard & Liz Reno | | | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | | **Location** | | **Registration** |
| Thursday 2/13 | 4:00-5:00 | | TEC 2007 | | [www.selu.edu/es](http://www.selu.edu/es) |
| **Contact**: Extended Studies at (985) 549-2301 | | | | | |
| **“Eat Your Frog” and Other Savvy Advice for College Success**  Dr. Hailey will share information about the essential life skills that every student needs in order to achieve school and job success. Attendees won’t just be sitting and listening! There will be mind-benders, games, and hands-on activities that will help to build these skills, oh and DOOR PRIZES too! Fun and learning…what a great combination!  **Facilitator**: Dr. Hailey | | | | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | | **Registration** | | |
| Wednesday 2/26 | 3:30-5:00 | TEC 2003 | | [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) | | |
| **Contact**: Teacher Development at [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) | | | | | | |

**MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION**

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| **Everything You Wanted to Know About Teaching Middle School**  In these sessions, Dr. Schulte will address numerous topics pertaining to middle school education. Are you preparing to teach middle school, or considering a career as a middle school teacher? If so, join Dr. Schulte and find out everything you wanted to know about teaching middle school.    **Presenter**: Dr. Schulte | | | | |
|  | **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| **Session 1** | Monday 4/7 | 3:30-4:30 | TEC 2007 | [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) |
| **Session 2** | Monday 4/14 | 3:30-4:30 | TEC 2007 | [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) |
| **Contact:** Dr. Schulte at [pschulte@selu.edu](mailto:pschulte@selu.edu) | | | | |

**DIVERSITY, EQUITY, & SOCIAL JUSTICE**

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| **Twelve Years A Slave**  Dr. Stanley T. Helton will lead the 2014 Black History Month Race & Religion Book Reading Discussion, featuring Oliver Northrup’s *Twelve Year’s A Slave*. The discussion will be held at Beacon Light Baptist Church, located at 500 East Hanson Drive in Hammond. For more information, contact Dr. Celina Echols at [cechols@selu.edu](mailto:cechols@selu.edu) or visit <http://beaconlightofhammond.org>. | | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | | **Location** | |
| Wednesday 2/27 | 7:00 p.m. | | Beacon Light Baptist Church—Hammond, LA | |
| **Contact**: [cechols@selu.edu](mailto:cechols@selu.edu) | | | | |
| **Population Connection: Hands-On Activities for People & The Planet**  Discover interdisciplinary, hands-on activities to prepare all students to think critically and creatively about global challenges to the planet and human well-being – from human population growth to resource distribution and public health. Receive a CD-ROM of activities matched to state and national standards (including CCSS and NGSS). | | | | |
| **Date** | | **Time** | | **Location** |
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| **Contact**: Teacher Development at [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) | | | | |

**CHILD DEVELOPMENT & ADVOCACY**

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| **Stewards of Children—A Prevention & Response Program for Adults**  **Confront Child Sexual Abuse with Courage**  Child Advocacy Services will provide this training curriculum through Darkness to Light, an international nonprofit organization that seeks to protect children from sexual abuse by placing responsibility squarely on adult shoulders. This three hour professional learning opportunity is now a required PDA that is documented in PASSPORT for all Southeastern teacher candidates. | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Friday, 2/21 | 9:00-11:30 | TEC 1022 | https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e8uoprv17796ee87&oseq=&c=&ch= |
| Thursday, 3/20 | 5:00-7:30 | TEC 1022 | https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e8uossxkd39d3f3a&oseq=&c=&ch= |
| Friday, 4/11 | 9:00-11:30 | TEC 1022 | https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e8uoyf3t0bac11fa&oseq=&c=&ch= |
| Thursday, 5/1 | 5:00-7:30 | TEC 1022 | https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e8uoyfh963b999a0&oseq=&c=&ch= |
| **Contact**: Debbie Richardson at [drichardson@childadv.net](mailto:drichardson@childadv.net) | | | |

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| **Nurturing Parenting**  The word nurturing comes from the Latin word Nutritura which means to nurse, to nourish, and to promote growth. Nurturing is a critical skill for all life forms on the planet. For human beings, it is the most important characteristic for all of us to treat other and ourselves with respect, caring, compassion, and dignity. Nurturing Parenting is a philosophy as well as a program that emphasizes the importance of raising children in a warm, caring and trusting home that guides them to be respectful, caring and cooperative children.  In this workshop, [attendees] will increase their understanding of Nurturing Parenting, a proven approach experienced by hundreds of thousands of families worldwide.  **Presenter**: Ms. Wilicia E. Blount, Americorps VISTA Outreach Coordinator | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** |
| Thursday 3/13 | 1:00-2:30 | TEC 2003 |
| **Contact**: Teacher Development at [teacherdevelopment@selu.edu](mailto:teacherdevelopment@selu.edu) | | |

**LIBRARY OF CONGRESS: TEACHING WITH PRIMARY SOURCES**

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| **The Library of Congress-Teaching with Primary Sources Presents**  **“Cooking with Love and Chocolate”**  Treat yourself to the sweet resources found at the Library of Congress and learn how to create chocolate treats with Chocolatier, Susan Miller, the Chocolate Gourmet. Make this February professional development a delicious delight! (seating limited to 25)  **Presenters**: Mary Ellen Scherer, LOC-TPS Assistant Director and Jeanne Brooks Loc-TPS Coordinator  **Special Guest Presenter**: The Chocolate Gourmet, Susan Miller | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Wednesday 2/5 | 4:00-6:00 | TEC 2020 | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| **Contact**: Jeanne Brooks at [Jeanne.Brooks@selu.edu](mailto:Jeanne.Brooks@selu.edu) | | | |

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| **The Library of Congress-Teaching with Primary Sources Presents “Maritime Memories”**  Take a trip of a lifetime aboard the RMS Titanic as we explore the treasures of the Library of Congress and the treasures of the Tchefuncte at the Lake Pontchartrain Basin Maritime Museum. (seating limited to 25)  **Presenters**: Mary Ellen Scherer, LOC-TPS Assistant Director and Jeanne Brooks Loc-TPS Coordinator  **Special Guest Presenter**: LPBMM Docent | | | |
| **Date** | **Time** | **Location** | **Registration** |
| Thursday 4/10 | 4:00-6:00 | Lake Pontchartrain Basin Maritime Museum | Professional Learning Bulletin Board |
| **Contact**: Jeanne Brooks at [Jeanne.Brooks@selu.edu](mailto:Jeanne.Brooks@selu.edu) | | | |