



Department of
Education

Division of Family and
Community Engagement

Family Engagement Conferences

October 2016—January 2017

INTERNAL COMMUNICATION

College Access for All Conference for ELL Middle School Students and Families

(Manhattan)
Friday, October 14, 2016
5:30—8:00 PM

Purpose: Creating a post-secondary readiness culture by providing ELL Middle School students and families with resources about college access and continuing education programs for parents.

Location: Tweed Courthouse

Format: Evening Conference with Keynote Address (CM Danny Dromm) and Tabled Expo.

Internal Partners: DELLSS, OPSR, OACE, T&I, Counseling Support, Enrollment, Teaching and Learning, Equity and Access, Special Ed.

External Partners: Mayor's Office of Immigrant Affairs, CUNY, College Board, Libraries

Spanish Language Conference

(Fordham, Bronx)
Saturday, November 19, 2016
10:00 AM—2:00 PM

Location: Monroe College
Local CBO Partners: Hispanic Federation and Univision

Bengali Language Conference

(Jamaica, Queens)
Saturday, January 28, 2017
10:00 AM—2:00 PM

Location: Queens College
Local CBO Partner: Bangladeshi American Community Development and Youth Services

Mandarin Language Conference

(Sunset Park, Brooklyn)
Saturday, December 3, 2016
10:00 AM—2:00 PM

Location: PS 94
Local CBO Partners: SCO- Center for Family Life, Chinese American Planning Association

Spanish Language Conference

(Staten Island)
Saturday, November 5, 2016

Location: Port Richmond High School
Local CBO Partners: Hispanic Federation and Univision

Arabic Language Conference

(Bay Ridge, Brooklyn)
Saturday, December 17, 2016
10:00 AM—2:00 PM

Location: PS/IS 30
Local CBO Partner: Arab American Association of New York

Native Language Family Engagement Conferences

Purpose: Expanding FACE outreach to ESL students and families citywide through school engagement workshops, information on the CEC campaign, along with community-based content and resources.

Format: Opening remarks and breakout sessions, content presented in families' native languages (without interpretation services).

Partners: MOIA, Action NYC, ID NYC, CUNY Citizenship Now, Queens Manhattan and Brooklyn Library systems, District offices and local CBOs that support language communities.