

Latino Community Stage



Workshop
Summary

How Learning Works

Most classrooms must focus on 'what' to learn. The curriculum set forth is important to develop a knowledge base that is needed as a standard and to advance to the next grade level. However, 'how' students learn may not be at the forefront of such content. Restrictions with time, available resources, and diversity may create difficulties for such undertakings. This insightful workshop focuses on 'how' learning and memory work, and specific techniques that will help better understand how to approach the most challenging subjects and concepts. The goal is to increase interest enhancement, reflective thought and higher-level reasoning, which are important to academic performance. By the end of this interactive workshop participants will have learned specific and practical study strategies that will help them become purposeful learners.

Workshop Description

Target Audience

- Middle school, high school, and university students (all majors welcome)
- Ideal for student led clubs/orgs, nonprofits, symposiums, & conferences

Primary Objective

Understand how effective learning works to improve academic performance

Our Goals

- Identify how the learning process works
- Redefine and introduce new ideologies of intelligence
- Understand methods of studying challenging concepts and subjects
- Understand how our environment affects learning
- Present practical approaches designed for the unmotivated learner
- Learning how and when to pay attention

Desired Outcomes

- Become a curious and purposeful learner
- Gain new study strategies that improve academic performance
- The ability to become a self-regulated learner

Topics Covered

- Research Based Learning Principles
- Interest Enhancement
- Self-regulation
- Environmental Structuring
- Learning Strategies
- Help Seeking Behaviors
- Intelligence Revised

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Length of Workshop:

Workshop can be adapted to meet the needs of the group or event.

Where?

Due to covid restrictions, we are offering virtual workshops at this time. However, if your group would still like an in-person workshop at your facility, please let us know to make arrangements.

Workshop Fee:

One virtual workshop is free for the group. However, workshop series fee will depend on number of participants in cohort group and length of workshops. Program or organization is responsible for fee. All workshops are intended to be free for all students.

Book a Workshop

Contact our Event Coordinator at <https://www.latinocommunitystage.org/contactus> if you have any further questions or to book a workshop.

- Do workshop participants have to be Latino/a? Nope! Although the Latino/a population is our primary demographic, everyone is welcome to take part and contribute to workshops.

Important Notes:

- What's the process like? We keep things simple! Our event coordinator will answer any additional questions and send a simple checklist that will help organize the workshop or your event.
- Is there acting or theater involved? Why Latino Community Stage? Ah no, not at all. Much of what we do is about putting the best and brightest Latino/as on a *global stage* to celebrate their accomplishments. Take a look at LatinoCommunityStage.org.