**Bilingual/ESL Programs**

The Department of Bilingual and ESL Programs’ fundamental purpose is to guide our teachers toward best practices that not only serve all students, but that are essential for our English Learners (ELs) in order to learn English and access content. We will continue the process of implementing a content-based ESL Best Practices Instructional Model in grades Pre-Kindergarten through 4th grade in which classroom expectations of teachers of ELs are established. The goal, as we look forward, is to encourage implementation at all grade levels and at all campuses in the district. Furthermore, the implementation of the *Talk, Read, Talk, Write* framework for building the necessary literacy skills of our long-term ELs, has been shared at all core content area Leadership Team meetings. We look forward to continue to share this powerful instructional best practice with more teachers across the district as part of our professional learning plan. We are also very proud to offer our 6th Annual Bilingual/ESL Conference to be held this summer in which this year’s focus will be inspiring reluctant readers and writers to develop a love for literacy. We are honored to host Matt De La Peña as the keynote for this event. Matt De La Peña is the New York Times best-selling, Newbury Medal winning author of six young adult novels including *Mexican Whiteboy, The Living* and *The Hunted*, and two picture books, *A Nations Hope* and *Last Stop on Market Street*. Finally, we will continue to offer multiple professional learning opportunities for classroom teachers to add their ESL endorsement to their current teaching certificate by offering a two-day workshop on successful preparation for the TExES ESL Certification exam and how to best meet the needs of our district’s ELs.

**Bilingual/ESL Programs**

**List of Staff Developments Offered:**

* 6th Annual Bilingual/ESL Conference (Grades PK-12)
* 7 Steps to a Language Rich and Interactive Classroom (Grades PK-12)
* Bader Reading Inventory Training (Grades 7-12)
* Beginning, Middle and End of the Year LPAC Administrators’ Training
* ELA/Bilingual Fall and Spring Leadership Team (Grades 1-2, 3-4 & 5-6)
* One-Way Dual Language Bilingual Program Model Curriculum Training (Grades PK-2 & 3-6)
* Secondary Sheltered Newcomer Program Curriculum Updates (Grades 9-12)
* IOWA/Logramos/Woodcock-Muñoz Language Survey III – Initial Training
* Scaffolding for Intermediate ELLs: How to Make Them Feel Successful (PK-12)
* eSTAR Support for BOY, MOY and EOY LPAC Documentation
* Linguistic Accommodations in the Classroom (Grades PK-6 & 7-12)
* TExES ESL Exam Preparation Mini Academy (Grades PK-12)
* Imagine Learning Campus Managers’ Training
* SLA/ESL Fall and Spring Leadership Team (Grades 7-12)
* Bilingual/ESL Summer School Curriculum Training (Grades PK-2)
* Jump Start on Revising and Editing (Grade 4)
* ESL Academy Summer School Training (Grades 7-12)
* Apoyos para el taller de lectura y escritura bilingüe (Grades K-4)
* Supporting Students in the Two Way Dual Language Classroom (Grades K-4)
* Talk, Read, Talk, Write (Grades K-6 & 7-12)
* Teacher’s College Reading and Writing Project Homegrown Writing Institute (Grades K-12)
* TELPAS, ELPS, PLDs and More (Grades K-12)
* Making Content Comprehensible Using the SIOP Method (Grades PK-12)
* Paraprofessional Training (Grades PK-6)

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| **SUMMER - 2019 Staff Development Opportunities** | | | | |
| ***Day/Date*** | ***Name of Program*** | ***Time*** | ***Location*** | ***Targeted Audience*** |
| Monday,  June 3-14, 2019 | Elementary/Intermediate New TEKS Curriculum Writing | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Rice Elementary | Invitation only |
| Monday,  June 3, 2019 | Secondary ESL Summer Academy Curriculum Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Jett CEC Room 106 | ESL Summer School Teachers (7-12) |
| Tuesday,  June 4-5, 2019 | Secondary Sheltered Newcomer Program Curriculum Updates | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | CHS 9th Grade Campus | Invitation only |
| Tuesday,  June 4, 2019 | Bilingual and ESL Summer School Curriculum Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Jett CEC Café, room 100, 201A, 112, 111, 106 | Bilingual and ESL Summer School Teachers (PK-2) |
| Wednesday,  June 10, 2019 | 7 Steps to a Language Rich Interactive Classroom | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 112 | New, All (PK-12) |
| Thursday,  June 11, 2019 | Making Content Comprehensible Using the SIOP Method | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 100 | New, All (PK-12) |
| Monday,  July 8-11, 2019 | 6th Annual TCRWP Homegrown Writing Institute | 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. | Irons Junior High School | New, All (K-12) |
| Thursday,  July 12, 2019 | 6th Annual Bilingual/ESL Conference | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | New, All (PK-12) |
| Wednesday,  July 17-18, 2019 | TExES ESL Exam Preparation Mini Academy | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 100 | New, All (PK-12) |
| Thursday,  July 25, 2019 | One-Way Dual Language Bilingual Program Model and Curriculum Training | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | New, All (PK-6) |
| Friday,  July 26, 2019 | One-Way Dual Language Bilingual Program Model and Curriculum Training | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | New, All (3-6) |
| Friday,  July 26, 2019 | New LPAC Administrator Training | 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 106 | New Admin |
| Monday,  August 5, 2019 | 7 Steps to a Language-Rich Interactive Classroom Pilot Campus Training | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 100 | Pilot Campuses |
| Wednesday,  August 7, 2019 | IOWA/Logramos/Woodcock-Muñoz Language Survey Revised Initial Training | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | New, All |
| **FALL - 2019 Staff Development Opportunities** | | | | |
| ***Day/Date*** | ***Name of Program*** | ***Time*** | ***Location*** | ***Targeted Audience*** |
| Wednesday,  August 28, 2019 | Beginning of the year – Elementary/Intermediate LPAC Administrators’ Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | Admin |
| Thursday,  August 29, 2019 | Beginning of the year – Secondary Administrators’ LPAC Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Jett CEC Room 201A | Admin |
| Thursday,  August 29, 2019 | IOWA/Logramos/Woodcock-Muñoz Language Survey III Initial Training | 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. | CHS 9th Grade LGI | New, All |
| Wednesday,  September 4, 2019 | BOY eSTAR Support Training | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | McCullough Junior High 2nd Floor Library Lab | Admin |
| Tuesday, September 10, 2019 | Paraprofessional Training | 8:00a.m. to 11:00a.m. | Houston Elementary | Bilingual and ESL Support Paraprofessionals (PK-6) |
| Tuesday, September 10, 2019 | Paraprofessional Training | 12:30p.m. to 3:30p.m. | Houston Elementary | Bilingual and ESL Support Paraprofessionals (PK-6) |
| Wednesday, September 11, 2019 | Imagine Learning Manager’s Training | 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 100 | New, All |
| Tuesday, September 17, 2019 | Jump Start on Revising and Editing 4th Grade | 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. | Grand Oaks High School LGI | All 4th Grade Teachers |
| Wednesday, September 25, 2019 | 7 Steps Pilot Campus Follow-Up Training | 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. | Testing Assessment Center | Pilot Campuses Only |
| Wednesday, September 25, 2019 | 7 Steps Pilot Campus Follow-Up Training | 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. | Testing Assessment Center | Pilot Campuses Only |
| Monday, September 30-October 1, 2019 | TExES ESL Exam Preparation Mini Academy | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | CHS 9th | New, All (PK-12) |
| Wednesday, October 2, 2019 | ELA/Bilingual Early Childhood Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria, Rooms 100, 106, 111, 112 | (PK-K) |
| Wednesday, October 9, 2019 | SLA/ESL Content Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | New, All (7-12) |
| Wednesday, October 9, 2019 | Linguistic Accommodations in the Classroom | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 112 | New, All (7-12) |
| Thursday,  October 10, 2019 | ELA/BIL/ESL Content Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria, Rooms 100, 106, 111, 112 | (3-4) |
| Thursday,  October 10, 2019 | Bader Reading Inventory Training | 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. | CHS 9th | New, All (7-12) |
| Wednesday, October 23, 2019 | Statewide Assessment – High School Administrators’ LPAC Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Testing Assessment Center | Admin |
| Wednesday, October 23, 2019 | Linguistic Accommodations in the Classroom | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 201A | New, All (1-6) |
| Wednesday,  October 30, 2019 | ELA/BIL/ESL Content Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria, Rooms 100, 106, 111, 112 | (5-6) |
| Tuesday,  November 5, 2019 | Scaffolding for Intermediate ELLs: How to Make Them Feel Success | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | CHS 9th LGI | New, All (PK-12) |
| Wednesday, November 6, 2019 | Apoyos para el taller de lectura y escritura bilingüe | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Armstrong Elementary | New, All (K-4) |
| Thursday, November 7, 2019 | Talk, Read, Talk, Write | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 100 | New, All (7-12) |
| Tuesday,  November 12, 2019 | Homegrown Writing Institute Follow Up Training | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | New, All (K-12) |
| Thursday,  November 14, 2019 | ELA/BIL/ESL Content Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria, Rooms 100, 106, 111, 112 | (1-2) |
| Thursday, November 21, 2019 | TELPAS, ELPS, PLDs and More | 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. | Jett CEC Room 100 | New, All (K-6) |
| Thursday, November 21, 2019 | TELPAS, ELPS, PLDs and More | 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 100 | New, All (7-12) |
| **SPRING - 2020 Staff Development Opportunities** | | | | |
| ***Day/Date*** | ***Name of Program*** | ***Time*** | ***Location*** | ***Targeted Audience*** |
| Tuesday,  January 14, 2020 | Scaffolding for Intermediate ELLs: How to Make Them Feel Success | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | CHS 9th LGI | New, All (PK-12) |
| Wednesday,  January 15, 2020 | Statewide Assessment – Junior High LPAC Administrators’ Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Testing Assessment Center | Admin |
| Wednesday, January 15, 2020 | IOWA/Logramos/Woodcock-Muñoz Language Survey III Initial Training | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 106 | New, All |
| Thursday,  January 16, 2020 | Statewide Assessment – Elementary/Intermediate LPAC Administrators’ Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Testing Assessment Center | Admin |
| Friday,  January 17, 2020 | Statewide Assessment – Elementary/Intermediate LPAC Administrators’ Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Testing Assessment Center | Admin |
| Wednesday, January 22, 2020 | Linguistic Accommodations in the Classroom | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 201A | New, All (7-12) |
| Wednesday, January 22, 2020 | Linguistic Accommodations in the Classroom | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 100 | New, All (1-6) |
| Thursday,  January 23, 2020 | eSTAR Support for MOY | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | McCullough JHS Library Computer Lab | Admin |
| Wednesday,  January 30, 2020 | Homegrown Writing Institute Follow Up Training | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | New, All (K-12) |
| Monday February 10-11, 2020 | TExES ESL Exam Preparation Mini Academy | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | CHS 9th | New, All (PK-12) |
| Wednesday, February 12, 2020 | ELA/Bilingual Content Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria, Rooms 100, 106, 111, 112 | (5-6) |
| Thursday,  February 13, 2020 | ELA/Bilingual Content Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria, Room 100, | (1-2) |
| Tuesday,  February 18, 2020 | ELA BIL/ESL Content Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | (3-4) |
| Wednesday,  February 26, 2020 | SLA/ESL Content Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | New, All (7-12) |
| Wednesday,  March 4, 2020 | Talk, Read, Talk, Write | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | Jett CEC Room 112 | New, All (1-6) |
| Thursday,  March 5, 2020 | ELA/Bilingual Early Childhood Leadership Team | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria, Room 100, | (PK-K) |
| Thursday,  April 16, 2020 | End of the year – Elementary/Intermediate LPAC Administrators’ Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Jett CEC Cafeteria | Admin |
| Friday,  April 17, 2020 | End of the year – Secondary Administrators’ LPAC Training | 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Testing Assessment Center | Admin |
| Tuesday,  April 21, 2020 | eSTAR Support for EOY | 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. | McCullough JHS Library Computer Lab | Admin |