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TASK Greatly Treasures Your Words of Appreciation

When our Family Support Specialists, AT Specialists, Managers and other TASK employees speak to someone, our clients are often in crisis and in urgent need of help. We are here to support you by lending an ear, providing tools, information and referrals. After all, that is why we exist!

We truly appreciate when parents and professionals take time out of their busy schedules to send us a nice thank-you card or email. This really makes our day! Below are some excerpts' from notes and emails that we have recently received.

From a Director of Special Education:

"This was a great presentation, and the message truly was a collaborative one. I appreciate you taking the time to work with me on the slides and message which encourages positive communication. I look forward to continuing our work together on these great opportunities."

From an HR Professional and Parent:

"I have experienced excellent professionalism from every person I've made contact with at TASK. Someone at the top is doing an excellent job instilling TASK's objective, because it has been pretty consistent. My background is in Human Resources, so I know when I am encountering individuals who truly want to help."

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***TASK EDUCATES AND
EMPOWERS PEOPLE WITH
DISABILITIES AND THEIR
FAMILIES.***

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From Parents:

"Thank you for answering my many questions, thank you for getting back to me in a timely fashion, thank you for emailing documents and thank you for your follow up phone calls. Your support has made me feel more confident in making important decisions regarding my son's education."

"Thank you for being pillars of support. Your kindness is greatly appreciated and will always be remembered with sincere gratitude."

"Thank you again for your knowledge, caring attitude and the information you sent. I appreciate you and am relieved that TASK exists to help families like ours."

"We are very grateful for what you all do. Your assistive technology workshops are effective and truly change lives."

Again, thank you for taking time out of your busy lives to send us these notes, they brighten our day and inspire us! While we love what we do, it is always heartwarming to receive notes of appreciation.

We are here for you, so please don't hesitate to contact us.

Gratefully,

TASK

SAVE THE DATES!

CAMP TECHIE is coming to TASK's Brea location!
FRIDAYS: 7/10/20 - 8/14/20 (1 - 3 pm)

Camp Techie is TASK's *six week summer program* for children with special needs, ages 5 - 13. Join us for crafts, iPad apps, cooperative games and much more, with a focus on social, life and communication skills!

Registration is required. Suggested donation \$60.00.

Watch our website (www.taskca.org) and social media for more details!

SPACE IS LIMITED to 10 children and one adult guardian per child.

Email: laurasm@taskca.org for more information.



TASK workshops are offered free of charge to families and professionals. Register for a workshop through our online calender at www.taskca.org/calender or call the workshop location directly.

TASK can also come to you! Parent groups and agencies in Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego and Imperial counties can request TASK workshops to be offered in English or Spanish at their own facilities. Call (866) 828-8275 or email task@taskca.org for more information.

NOTE: Workshops begin promptly at the scheduled time. There is no admittance for late-comers arriving more than 15 minutes after the scheduled start time. Workshops are for adults only unless otherwise stated.



Early Intervention

Early Intervention and Transition Services at Age Three

This workshop provides a detailed overview of early intervention and transition services at age three to families and professionals who serve infants and toddlers with disabilities. It also includes information about procedural safeguards and tips and pointers for a successful transition.

CLASS DATES

Fri., April 3, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am
Tues., April 7, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am
Fri., June 26, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

LOCATION

TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)
TASK Brea (Orange County)
TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)

APPSolute Fun: Apps for Early Learning

This session will introduce and demonstrate iPad applications that help facilitate early learning. This will include preschool apps, early language and literacy, fine motor skills and much more. Join us for a fast-paced, fun-filled workshop.

CLASS DATES

Wed., April 8, 2020, 9:30 am – 12:00 pm

LOCATION

Bethany Manor Development and Learning Center/
Southeast Family Resource Center (Los Angeles County)

AT for Early Learning

This workshop includes types of assistive technology used for young children, from birth to age five. Topics include apps and websites that facilitate early learning, toy/book adaptations, low tech items, early AAC, and much more. Come see how your little ones can benefit from assistive technology.

CLASS DATES

Mon., May 11, 2020, 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm
Thurs., June 25, 2020, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

LOCATION

ABLE Center (Los Angeles County)
TASK Brea (Orange County)



SPECIAL EDUCATION

Assessment Process

This workshop provides an overview of parent and district participation in the special education assessment process. Workshop attendees will learn about the federal laws that govern special education and Section 504, the referral and assessment processes, and options for resolving disagreements.

CLASS DATES

Wed., April 8, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am
Tues., June 2, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am
Wed., June 3, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

LOCATION

TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)
TASK Brea (Orange County)
TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)

Basic Rights and Responsibilities

You may have heard of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, but did you know that there are other education laws that pertain to students with disabilities? Come to this workshop to learn more about these laws and how they assist your child with a disability to receive education.

CLASS DATES

Tues., April 14, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Wed., April 29, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am
Thurs., June 18, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

LOCATION

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)
TASK Riverside (Riverside County)
TASK San Diego (San Diego County)

Navigating IEPs

Does the IEP process seem overwhelming and confusing? This workshop will help guide you through the process, introduce you to special education terminology, and provide you with tools to help you successfully navigate special education.

CLASS DATES

Wed., April 15, 2020, 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm
Wed., April 15, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:30 am
Fri., April 24, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:30 am
Tues., May 12, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am
Fri., May 15, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:30 am
Fri., June 5, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:30 am
Wed., June 24, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

LOCATION

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)
TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)
TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)
TASK Brea (Orange County)
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TASK Riverside (Riverside County)

Section 504

Focuses on the individual's rights and accommodations in school, postsecondary education and the workplace. Sample Section 504 accommodations and individual health plans are included. Positive communication techniques are interspersed throughout the workshop.

CLASS DATES

Tues., May 5, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Fri., May 29, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am
Wed., June 3, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

LOCATION

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)
TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)
TASK Brea (Orange County)



MIDDLE SCHOOL AND ADULT TRANSITION

Section 504 and Transition to Postsecondary Services

In this workshop, we will assist you to understand the ITP process as it pertains to postsecondary education and other related services. We will also provide an overview of programs and resources available to your child entering postsecondary education or employment.

CLASS DATES

Thurs., May 14, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

LOCATION

TASK Brea (Orange County)

Transition to Adult Services

Focuses on the development of the Individual Transition Plan and the transition process from school to adult services. Explains other system criteria and application processes, i.e. Social Security Administration, Department of Rehabilitation and Regional Center. Discusses supports for the individual to live independently and productively within the community. Positive communication techniques are interspersed throughout the workshop.

CLASS DATES

Fri., April 17, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

Tues., May 12, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

Wed., May 13, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

Wed., May 27, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

Tues., June 23, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

LOCATION

TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)

Parents' Place (Los Angeles County)

TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)

TASK Riverside (Riverside County)

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)

Transition to Middle School

Transitions can be filled with anticipation and questions about what happens next. This workshop will guide parents and professionals on the ins and outs of what you can be doing now to prepare for middle school, as well as tips and strategies that can be used once students make the transition.

CLASS DATES

Wed., May 6, 2020, 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

LOCATION

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)



ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY

APPsolutely Amazing: Apps for Students with Special Needs

We will introduce applications with the following focus areas: basic concepts, language and vocabulary building, communication, social and life skills, fine motor skills and more. Join us for a fun, fast-paced session.

CLASS DATES

Fri., April 3, 2020, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Wed., May 27, 2020, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Tues., June 2, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:30 am

LOCATION

UCP San Diego Assistive Technology Center (San Diego County)

TASK Brea (Orange County)

TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)

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AT 101

This workshop provides information on the laws as they pertain to assistive technology, the AT evaluation process, and some ideas for writing AT into the IEP. It also includes a brief introduction to the various types of AT available.

CLASS DATES

Tues., April 7, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Wed., April 29, 2020, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

LOCATION

State Council on Developmental Disabilities Orange County Office

TASK Brea (Orange County)

Let's Talk Low Tech: AAC Basics

What is AAC? What is low tech vs. high tech? This workshop includes a thorough explanation of Augmentative and Alternative Communication, types of low and mid tech AAC available, an explanation of various communication symbols and more. Examples of low and mid tech AAC will be shown, including hands-on trials. Join us for a fun, informative session learning about low and mid tech AAC!

CLASS DATES

Fri., May 15, 2020, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Thurs., June 4, 2020, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Thurs., June 11, 2020, 9:45 am – 12:00 pm

LOCATION

UCP San Diego Assistive Technology Center (San Diego County)

TASK Brea (Orange County)

Parents' Place (Los Angeles County)



ABRIL/MAYO/JUNIO 2020

Los talleres se ofrecen gratuitamente a familias y profesionales. Regístrese para un taller a través de nuestro calendario en línea en www.taskca.org o llame directamente a la ubicación del taller (vea página 10).

TASK también puede llegar a usted! Los grupos de padres y agencias en Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego e Imperial pueden solicitar talleres de TASK en inglés o español en sus propios locales. Llame al (866) 828-8275 o envíe un correo electrónico a task@taskca.org para más información.

NOTA: Los talleres comienzan con prontitud a la hora programada. Por respeto a nuestros asistentes, no habrá entrada para los que lleguen más de 15 minutos tarde. Los talleres son solo para adultos, a menos que se indique lo contrario.



INTERVENCIÓN TEMPRANA

Intervención Temprana y Servicios de Transición a la Edad de Tres Años

Este taller ofrece una descripción detallada de intervención temprana y de los servicios de transición a los tres años a las familias y los profesionales que trabajan con bebés y niños pequeños con discapacidades. También incluye información sobre garantías procesales y puntos y sugerencias para una transición exitosa.

FECHAS DE CLASE

mier., 1 de abril, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

mar., 14 de abril, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

mar., 21 de abril, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

mier., 6 de mayo, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

mier., 24 de junio, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

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Tecnología de Asistencia para el Aprendizaje Temprano

Este taller incluye tipos de tecnología de asistencia utilizados para niños pequeños, desde el nacimiento hasta los cinco años. Los temas incluyen aplicaciones y sitios web que facilitan el aprendizaje temprano, adaptaciones de juguetes / libros, artículos de baja tecnología, AAC temprano y mucho más. Venga a ver cómo sus pequeños pueden beneficiarse de la tecnología de asistencia.

FECHAS DE CLASE

vie., 26 de junio, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:30 am

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TASK Brea (Orange County)



EDUCACIÓN ESPECIAL

Derechos Básicos y Responsabilidades

Es posible que haya oído hablar de la Ley de Educación para Individuos con Discapacidades (IDEA) y la Sección 504 de la Ley de Rehabilitación, pero ¿sabía que hay otras leyes de educación que le pertenecen a los estudiantes con discapacidades? Venga a este taller para obtener más información sobre estas leyes y cómo ayudan a su hijo con discapacidad a recibir educación.

FECHAS DE CLASE

lun., 27 de abril, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

mier., 24 de junio, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

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TASK Riverside (Riverside County)

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)

Proceso de Evaluación

Este taller ofrece una descripción general de la participación de los padres y el distrito en el proceso de evaluación de educación especial. Los asistentes al taller aprenderán sobre las leyes federales que gobiernan la educación especial y la Sección 504, el proceso de referencia y evaluación, y las opciones para resolver desacuerdos.

FECHAS DE CLASE

mar., 28 de abril, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

mier., 29 de abril, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

mar., 9 de junio, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

mier., 17 de junio, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

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Navegando IEPs

¿El proceso del IEP parece abrumador y confuso? Este taller lo guiará a través del proceso, lo presentará a la terminología de educación especial y le proveerá herramientas para ayudarlo a navegar con éxito la educación especial.

FECHAS DE CLASE

mier., 22 de abril, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:30 am

jue., 23 de abril, 2020, 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm

mar., 19 de mayo, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

mier., 10 de junio, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

lun., 22 de junio, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

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TASK Riverside (Riverside County)



TRANSICIÓN DE LA ESCUELA SECUNDARIA Y DE ADULTOS

Camino a la Adolescencia

Este taller proveerá a los padres información básica sobre los cambios que la pubertad y la adolescencia trae a cada niño, incluido su hijo o hija. La información está destinada a ayudar a los participantes a sentirse más cómodos y seguros a medida que ayudan a sus hijos a navegar con seguridad estilos de vida saludables, relaciones saludables e inclusión social de jóvenes con discapacidades. Este taller es apropiado para padres de estudiantes de primaria y secundaria.

FECHAS DE CLASE

mar., 26 de mayo, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

UBICACIÓN

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)

Transición a la Escuela Intermedia

Transiciones pueden llenarse con anticipación y preguntas sobre lo que sucede a continuación. Este taller guía a padres y profesionales sobre los detalles de lo que pueden estar haciendo ahorita para prepararse para la escuela intermedia, así como consejos y estrategias que pueden usarse una vez que los estudiantes hacen la transición.

FECHAS DE CLASE

mier., 6 de mayo, 2020, 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

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Magnolia Park Family Resource Center (Solo abierto para los residentes del condado de Orange y deben registrarse directamente con Magnolia Park FRC)

mar., 28 de mayo, 2020, 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)

Transición a Servicios de Adultos

Se enfoca en el desarrollo del Plan de Transición Individualizado (ITP) y el proceso de transición de la escuela a los servicios de adultos. Explica el criterio de otros sistemas y el proceso de aplicación, i.e. la Administración del Seguro Social, Departamento de Rehabilitación, y el Centro Regional. Hablan de los apoyos para que el individuo pueda vivir independientemente y productivamente en la comunidad. Técnicas de comunicación son intercambiadas a través del taller.

FECHAS DE CLASE

mier., 20 de mayo, 2020, 9:30 am – 11:00 am

mar., 26 de mayo, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

mar., 30 de junio, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

UBICACIÓN

TASK Alhambra (Los Angeles County)

TASK Riverside (Riverside County)

TASK San Diego (San Diego County)



TECNOLOGÍA DE ASISTENCIA

APPsolutamente Sorprendente: Aplicaciones para Estudiantes con Necesidades Especiales

Introduciremos aplicaciones con las siguientes áreas de enfoque: conceptos básicos, desarrollo del lenguaje y vocabulario, comunicación, habilidades sociales y de la vida, habilidades de motricidad fina y más. Acompáñenos a un taller divertido y de paso rápido.

FECHAS DE CLASE

mar., 5 de mayo, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:30 am

vier., 12 de junio, 2020, 9:45 am – 12:00 pm

UBICACIÓN

TASK Brea (Orange County)

Parents' Place (Los Angeles County)

Taller Básico de Tecnología de Asistencia

Este taller cubre la información sobre las leyes en lo que se refiere a la tecnología de asistencia, el proceso de la evaluación de tecnología de asistencia, y algunas ideas para escribir la tecnología de asistencia en el IEP. También incluye una breve introducción a los distintos tipos de tecnología de asistencia disponible.

FECHAS DE CLASE

vie., 10 de abril, 2020, 10:00 am – 11:30 am
sab., 18 de abril, 2020, 11:00 am – 2:00 pm
vie., 24 de abril, 2020, 9:00 am – 11:30 am
mar., 26 de mayo, 2020, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

vie., 29 de mayo, 2020, 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

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Centro Estrella (Los Angeles County)
Cathedral City Branch Library (Riverside County)
TASK Brea (Orange County)
St. Christopher Parish - Broad Spectrum, Broader Minds Grupo de Apoyo (Riverside County)
NLACRC - Cultivar y Crecer Grupo de Apoyo (Los Angeles County)

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TASK WORKSHOP LOCATIONS

To register for a TASK workshop, please visit taskca.org or call the workshop location directly.

Para registrarse para un taller de TASK, por favor visite taskca.org o llame directamente a la ubicación del taller.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY:

- **Able Center** – 1415 9th Ave., Hacienda Heights, CA 91745, (866) 828-8275
- **Bethany Manor Development and Learning Center/ SEFRC** – 15415 S. Pioneer Blvd., Norwalk, CA 90650
- **Centro Estrella** – 4701 E. Cesar Chavez Ave., 2nd Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90022, (866) 828-8275
- **Long Beach Family Resource Center, Miller Children's and Women's Hospital** – 2801 Atlantic Ave., Long Beach, CA 90806, (562) 933-8050
- **NLACRC** – Cultivar y Crecer Grupo de Apoyo – 9200 Oakdale Ave., Chatsworth, CA 91311. Fatima Castañeda (818) 374-9107, fatima.castaneda@csun.edu o Sandra Baker (818) 786-0001, Sandra@dsala.org
- **Parents' Place** – 1500 S. Hyacinth Ave., Ste. B, West Covina, CA 91791, (626) 919-1091 or visit parentsplacefrc.com
- **Tracy Infant Center** – 12222 Cuesta Dr., Cerritos, CA 90703, (866) 828-8275
- **TASK Alhambra** – 1000 S. Fremont Ave., Bldg. A-1, Ste. 1110, Unit 54, Alhambra, CA 91803, (626) 300-1043
- **Westside Regional Center** – 5901 Green Valley Circle, Danneker Boardroom, 3rdFloor, Culver City, CA 90230, (866) 828-8275

ORANGE COUNTY:

- **TASK Brea** – 3040 Saturn St., #103, Brea, CA 92821, (866) 828-8275
- **State Council on Developmental Disabilities Orange County Office** – 2000 E 4th St., Suite 115, Santa Ana, CA 92705, (714) 558-4404 or <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/X98PS89>
- **Magnolia Park Family Resource Center** – 11402 Magnolia St., Garden Grove, CA 92841, (714) 530-7413. Solo abierto para los residentes del condado de Orange y deben registrarse directamente con Magnolia Park FRC.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY:

- **TASK San Diego** – 3845 Spring Dr., Room 21, Spring Valley, CA 91978, (619) 282-0846
- **UCP San Diego Assistive Technology Center** – 8665 Gibbs Dr., Ste. 100, San Diego, CA 92123, (866) 828-8275

RIVERSIDE:

- **TASK Riverside, Community Access and Disability Center** – 6848 Magnolia Ave., Ste. 150, Riverside, CA 92506, (951) 328-1200
- **Cathedral City Branch Library** – 33520 Date Palm Dr., Cathedral City, CA 92234, (866) 828-8275
- **St. Christopher Parish** - Broad Spectrum, Broader Minds Grupo de Apoyo – 25075 Cottonwood Ave., Salon 12, Moreno Valley, CA 92553, (866) 828-8275

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The purpose of **Project Communicate** is to provide communication resources for persons with expressive language impairments through hands-on access, training, support and recommended next steps.

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**Augmentative and alternative communication, or AAC, is a term that's used to describe various methods of communication that can help people who are unable to use verbal speech to communicate.*