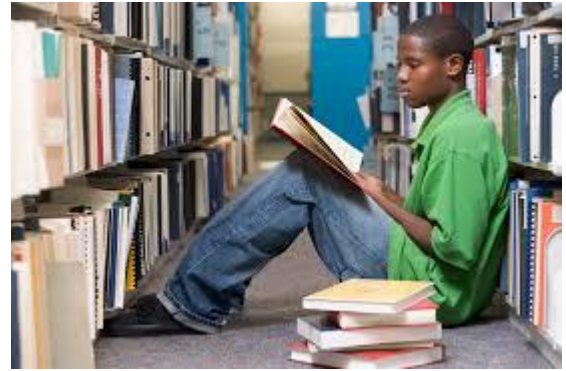


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August/September 2019



2019 A.S.P.I.R.E. Scholarship Recipients

We'd like to congratulate the 2019 A.S.P.I.R.E. recipients and we pray that you have a successful school year.

Name	Scholarship Amount	College Attending
Bianca Benford	\$500	UC San Diego
Jasmine Davis	\$1,500	UC San Diego
Lucy Delville	\$750.0	San Diego Mesa College
Preauna Hunter	\$750	CSU East Bay
Verlina Tate	\$1,000	CSU Northridge
Tiana Todd	\$750	CSU East Bay
Tiera Todd	\$750	CSU East Bay
Raven Spellman	\$1,000	Grand Canyon University
Christian Williams	\$1,000	CSU San Marcos

Reading for a child broadens the mind, can encourage life goals, melts away stress, sparks critical thinking, boosts vocabulary and language development. So, whether a book is fictional or non-fiction, action adventure or a tearjerker, autobiography or even a comic book, reading has its benefits.

Improving reading levels are critical for school age students and 20 minutes a day is a great way. Here are a few book suggestions.

Ages 7-9:

Blue Sky, White Stars by Sarvinder Naberhaus

Big Nate (series) by Lincoln Peirce

Ages 11-13

Island of the Blue Dolphin by Scott O'Dell

Holes by Louis Sachar

Ages 15-18

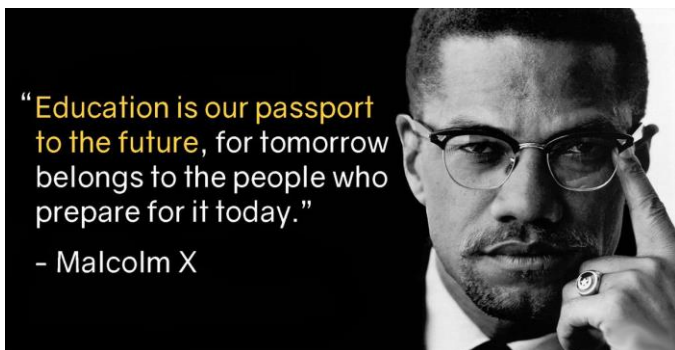
Hunger Games (Trilogy) by Suzanne Collins

Shadow Shaper by Daniel Jose Older

Ages Adult:

Becoming by Michelle Obama

The Bible by God





High School Students...Got A Plan?

Do you already have your SAT/ACT scores prepared? How about transcript request?

It can be very overwhelming to fill out all those collage applications over and over and over again. How about doing them a month apart?

Now is a great time to plan out when you're going to complete college applications, without it becoming too overwhelming.

Here's an example:

August - Common Black College App

September - Common College App

October - CSU Apps

November - UC Apps

Here are a few links that may help:

Historical Black Colleges and Universities
<https://hbculifestyle.com/common-black-college-application/>

Common Application (CA)
<https://www.commonapp.org/>

California State University
<https://www2.calstate.edu/apply>

University of California
<https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/how-to-apply/>

The skills needed for **effective teaching** involve more than just expertise in an academic field. You must be able to interact with people and help them understand a new way of looking at the world. This is not an easy job!

Although there are many different ways to teach effectively, good instructors have several qualities in common. They are prepared, set clear and fair expectations, have a positive attitude, are patient with students, and assess their teaching on a regular basis.

Effective teachers are able to adjust their teaching strategies to fit both the students and the material, recognizing that different students learn in different ways. As a teacher, you are a role model who sets the tone for the class. If you are able to show enthusiasm and commitment, your students are more likely to reciprocate. Give them a reason to remember your class as an important part of their educational experience!



September 21th is Smithsonian Magazine Museum Day. Check out the four local participating museums.

<https://www.smithsonianmag.com/museumday/search/?q=&states=US::CA&cities=San%20Diego&>

A.S.P.I.R.E. is working on a **2020 Spring Workshop** that will be helpful for Parents, Students and Educators.