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The Santa Barbara County Special Education Local Plan Area (SBCSELPA) is a Joint powers Agency mandated to govern and facilitate special education programs administered by the Local Education Agencies (LEAs)/school districts within Santa Barbara County.

Santa Barbara County Special Education Local Plan Area (SBCSELPA) provides an array of services to the 20 school districts and 4 charter schools throughout Santa Barbara County. These services include the following:

- Oversight and case management for students placed in residential treatment nonpublic schools (NPSs).
- Wraparound social work services.
- Coordination of student mental health IEP related services and NPS placements for LEAs.
- Provides BCBA behavioral consult services to LEAs.
- Provides educational audiologist consult services to LEAs.
- Coordinates with private schools for the support of Child Find and Individual Service Plans (ISPs).
- Allocates funding for special education services.
- Providing training opportunities for LEA staff, parents, and community.
- Allocates and manages low incidence equipment and services funding.
- Develops and governs Local Plan special education policy and procedures for participating LEAs.
- Engages in interagency agreements with agencies such as Tri-Counties Regional Center and California Children's Services (CCS).
- Establishes a Community Advisory Committee (CAC) that advises the governing board and assists in parent and school education.
- Provides Medical Therapy Units (MTUs) for CCS.
- Provides Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) to LEAs/ districts and parents/guardians.
- Provides advisement specific to federal and state special education law.
- Provides advisement from State SELPA.
- Maintains the Local Plan, Procedural Handbook, and website www.sbcselpa.org for Santa Barbara County SELPA.

#### **The Law**

The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and California special education laws guarantee all students with disabilities a Free, Appropriate Public Education (FAPE) in the least restrictive environment. The SBCSELPA and its member districts do not discriminate based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, or disability in educational programs and activities or employment practices, as required by Title 6 of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title 9 of the Educational Amendments of 1972, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

#### **Child Find**

Special education programs are available to all eligible students with disabilities, ages 0-22 in Santa Barbara County. The Child Find mandate applies to <u>all</u> children who reside within a State, including children who attend private schools and public schools, highly mobile children, migrant children, homeless children, and children who are wards of the state. (20 U.S.C. 1412(a) (3)) This includes all children who are suspected of having a disability, including children who receive passing grades and are "advancing from grade to grade.

<u>All</u> individuals with disabilities residing in the state, including pupils with disabilities enrolled in Elementary and Secondary schools and Private schools, including parochial schools, regardless of the severity of their disabilities, and in need of special education and related services, will be identified, located, and assessed as required in each district. SBC SELPA, in partnership with the local school districts and county office shall establish written policies and procedures for screening, referral assessment, identification, planning, implementation, review, and three-year triennial assessment for all children who reside in the State of California who are suspected of having a disability. Section 1412 of Title 20 of the U. S. Code.

#### **District Special Education Programs**

Adelante Charter School	805-966-7392
Ballard School District	805-688-4222
Blochman Union School District	805-922-0334
Buellton Union School District	805-688-4222
Carpinteria Unified School District	805-684-7657
Cold Spring School District	805-964-4711
College School District	805-922-0334
Cuyama Joint Unified School District	805-922-0334
Family Partnership Charter School	805-686-5339
Goleta Union School District	805-681-1200
Guadalupe Union School District	805-343-2114
Hope School District	805-682-2564
Lompoc Unified School District	805-742-3300
Los Olivos School District	805-688-4222
Manzanita Public Charter School	805-734-5600
Montecito Union School District	805-964-4711
Orcutt Union School District	805-938-8960
Santa Barbara Charter School	805-967-6522
Santa Barbara Unified School District	805-963-4331
Santa Maria Bonita School District	805-928-1783
Santa Maria Joint Union High School District	805-922-4573
Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District	805-688-4222
Solvang School District	805-688-4222
Vista del Mar Union School District	805-688-4222

#### **Professional Development Events**

#### **About SBCSELPA Professional Development Offerings**

Professional Development Offerings are created from feedback of countywide staff input from a yearly survey, CDE targets in Special Education Plans (SEPs), and direct input from countywide Special Education Director and Local Education Agency (LEA) District Leadership. Each year, the Professional Development offerings are reviewed/revised with District and County Special Education Leadership and staff to ensure all topics emphasize student, district, and the overall Santa Barbara County needs. Presenter (s), dates/times, and locations are subject to change based on staff attendance and venue availability.

#### How to Schedule a Professional Development Offering

#### Mini Professional Development Offerings individualized to each district request.

Districts: contact Jennifer Connolly at <u>jconnolly@sbcselpa.org</u> to request the Professional Development topic.

- Propose dates/time, and location of training.
- Requests must be in writing via email, received a month in advance.

The presenter(s) to be contacted by Jennifer Connolly with the Professional Development topic (s) and proposed dates. Presenter (s) will affirm date, location, and time.

Districts will receive confirmation of Professional Development date (s), location, and presenter name (s) and presenter (s) contact information within five business days of the request.

The Professional Development event to be added to the SBCSELPA Online Management System, OMS calendar for tracking purposes.

<u>Attendance</u>: Participants of the 'Mini' LEA requested Professional Development events <u>do not</u> have to register on OMS.

For Nonviolent Crisis Prevention Intervention (NCPI) contact Alison alindsey@sbcselpa.org

District Special Education Director or Leadership team encourages participants to attend events. District Special Education Director or Leadership team to confirm number of attendees with presenter (s) for handouts.

Presenter (s) subject to change due to unforeseen emergencies.

District venues subject to change due to number of participants for Professional Development.

If more than one district requests the same topic on the same day, the event may include more than one district.

#### Large Professional Development Offerings for North, Mid, South County

- Access the SBCSELPA OMS system at <a href="https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org/">https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org/</a>.
- 2. If the registrant does not have an account, create an OMS account.
- 3. Select the link on the calendar and complete the registration. No Phone Registrations.

#### **Network Meetings**

#### **All Santa Barbara County**

Network	Dates
Adapted P.E. Network	Thursday, September 21, 2:30-3:00 Thursday, November 30, 2:30-3:00 Thursday, February 29, 2:30-3:00 Thursday, April 18, 3:00-3:30
	Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/83337982573?p wd=dnI1aW5zQnpaQXdORkkwV3lBVm5nUT 09
ADR Cadre	Thursday, August 31, 8:30-9:30 at SELPA Thursday, November 30, 8:30-9:30 Thursday, April 18, 8:30-9:30
	Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/81729152052?p wd=SnJXRzdBeWwyVDZNRmpkZ2hKcXg2Q To9
CALPADS/MIS Network	Friday, August 4, 9:00-12:00 Friday, October 13, 9:00-10:00 Friday, December 1, 10:00-11:00 Friday, February 2, 9:00-10:00
	Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/82386419909?p wd=bjFWUXVkUW9MY1R2dUs5dlRpeWhH Zzog
Interpreter/Translator Network	Wednesday, October 18, 9:30-10:30 Wednesday, February 14, 9:30-10:30 Wednesday, April 17, 9:30-10:30
	Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/88676476230?p wd=SlNMNoxCNoliSHNjZUYrN3pSSEZ4Zzo

Medically Fragile Teacher Network	Wednesday, September 27, 3:30-4:15 Wednesday, November 29, 3:30-4:15 Wednesday, February 7, 3:30-4:15 Wednesday, April 17, 3:30-4:15  Hosted by SLO and SBC SELPA Zoom link: <a href="https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/86311929848?p">https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/86311929848?p</a> wd=bmlxN214QlY3TW5jK3lJRUFMNUs5Zzo 9
Occupational Therapist Network	Tuesday, September 21, 3:00-3:30 Tuesday, November 16, 3:00-3:30 Tuesday, January 18, 3:00-3:30 Tuesday, April 25, 3:00-3:30 Zoom link: <a href="https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/89144664975?pwd=Qi9BMWlRWDNjZGo5VTE3QkJ4V3o2UTo9">https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/89144664975?pwd=Qi9BMWlRWDNjZGo5VTE3QkJ4V3o2UTo9</a>
Preschool Staff Network	Thursday, September 14, 3:15-4:00 Thursday, November 9, 3:15-4:00 More dates tbd.  Zoom link: <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89473040888?pwd=cU51aE9paGVYdnZDbjRxUTY2QWVmZzoog">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89473040888?pwd=cU51aE9paGVYdnZDbjRxUTY2QWVmZzoog</a>
Nurses Network	Thursday, August 31, 2:00-3:00 Tuesday, April 30, 8:30-12:00 (Symposium)  Zoom link: <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84236211799?pwd=TXJFcUs2cG9mNXBnSUp5TGkzNU1RUT09">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84236211799?pwd=TXJFcUs2cG9mNXBnSUp5TGkzNU1RUT09</a>
School Psychologist Network	Tuesday, September 12, 8:30-9:00 Tuesday, October 10, 8:30-9:00 Tuesday, February 13, 8:30-9:00 Tuesday, March 12, 8:30-9:00 Tuesday, April 16, 8:30-9:00 Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/85914793269?p

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SIRAS Office Hours	Monday, August 28, 3:30-4:30 Monday, September 18, 3;30-4:30 Monday, October 30, 3:30-4:30 Monday, November 27, 3:30-4:40
	Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/89846079834?p wd=RWJ2NXFaWFdtR3BXeStSTFAvWjB3Q Tog
SIRAS Forms Committee	Friday, August 25, 9:00-10:00 Friday, December 1, 9:00-10:00 Friday, March 1, 9:00-10:00
	Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/86781285732?p wd=RkVjbUx1RGR5UTgoQmlFMnRiOEEwd zog
Speech and Language Network	Thursday, September 14, 2:00-2:30 Thursday, November 16, 2:00-2:30 Thursday, February 8, 2:00-2:30 Thursday, April 18, 2:00-2:30
	Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/87088200770?p wd=eHArZ1RKWkw3elNIVnNoODYoaXlzUT og
Specific Learning Disability Manual Team	Wednesday, September 13, 8:30-9:30 Wednesday, October 11, 8:30-9:30 Wednesday, December 6, 8:30-9:30 Wednesday, February 7, 8:30-9:30 Wednesday, March 6, 8:30-9:30 Wednesday, April 17, 8:30-9:30
	Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/88530301698?p wd=dUooT3hvUVJmN3NHQnhoelFsMjJzZz 09
Special Education Leadership Network	Monday, August 28, 12:00-2:00 Monday, September 18, 9:00-10:00 Monday, October 30, 9:00-10:00 Monday, January 29, 8:30-10:30 Monday, March 4, 9:00-10:00 Monday, April 29, 8:30-10:30

	Monday, May 20, 9:00-10:00  Zoom link: https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/86876212937?p wd=QkVWbFNDWGE5NHFtNEowMXhZVV A5Zzo9
Transition Network Team	Tuesday, September 26, 2:00-3:00 Tuesday, October 31, 2:00-3:00 Tuesday, November 14, 2:00-3:00 Tuesday, February 6, 2:00-3:00 Tuesday, March 19, 2:00-3:00 Zoom link: <a href="https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/82635822624?pwd=cGpVVGdNaGluTXVWclhadWRzSjhkZzog">https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/82635822624?pwd=cGpVVGdNaGluTXVWclhadWRzSjhkZzog</a>
Vision Network	Thursday, September 7, 1:30-3:30 SBCSELPA Conference Room- In Person Thursday, October 5, 1:30-3:30 SBCEO North- In Person Thursday, November 2, 1:30-3:30 TBD

## Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events July and August



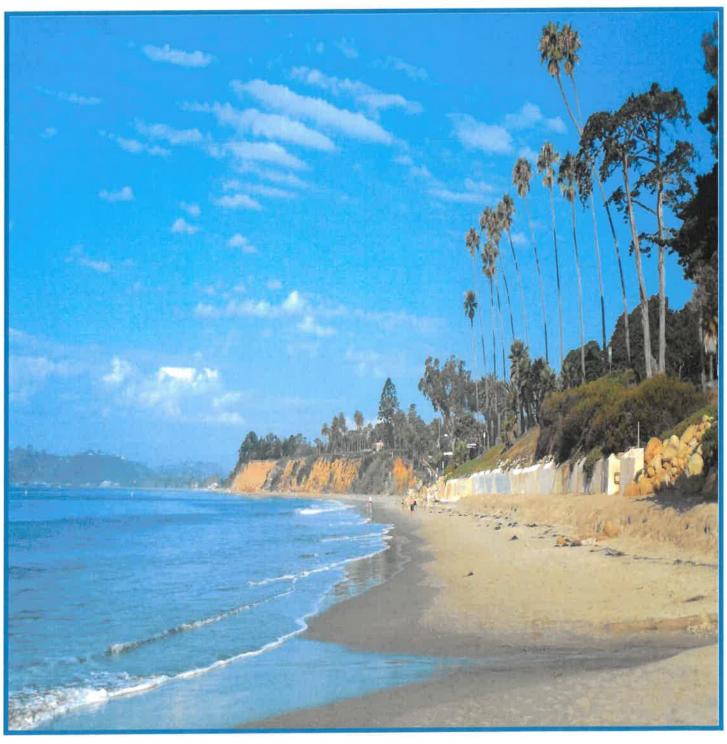
Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Thursday, July 6, 2023 10:00-11:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Consulting in Schools Presenter: Dr. Rosy Bucio	Free: Event scheduled for NPS/NPA Behavior Certification. All LEAS are welcome to attend.
Wednesday, July 26, 2023 10:00-11:00 Zoom Not Recorded	A New Lens on Behavior Presenter: Dr. Rosy Bucio	Free: Event scheduled for NPS/NPA Behavior Certification. All LEAS are welcome to attend.
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Tuesday, August 1, 2023 12:30-3:30 In Person Orcutt USD and SMJUHSD Righetti H.S. Cafeteria	Paraprofessional/ Instructional Assistant Training: Presenter: Jennifer Connolly	Free: Event for Orcutt and SMJUHSD staff only.
Wednesday, August 2, 2023 In Person 12:30-3:30 In Person Orcutt USD and SMJUHSD Righetti H.S. Cafeteria	Paraprofessional/ Instructional Assistant Training: Presenter: Rosy Bucio	Free: Event for Orcutt and SMJUHSD staff only.
Wednesday, August 2, 2023 In person	GROW Training Presenter: Alison Lindsey	Free: Event for SMJUHSD GROW Program staff only.
Thursday, August 3, 2023 12:30-3:30 In Person Orcutt USD and SMJUHSD Pioneer Valley H.S. Library	Paraprofessional/ Instructional Assistant Training: Presenter: Alison Lindsey	Free: Event for Orcutt and SMJUHSD staff only.

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Thursday, August 3, 2023 9:00-12:00 In Person and Zoom SBCSELPA Conference Room Santa Barbara Recorded	Overview of CALPADS Reporting by CDE Presenter: Brandi Jauregui and Alex Manriquez	Free: Event for Administrators and Leadership in Special Education	
Friday, August 4, 2023 In Person	GROW Training Presenter: Alison Lindsey	Free: Event for LUSD GROW Program staff only.	
Friday, August 4, 2023 9:00-12:00 In Person and Zoom SBCSELPA Conference Room Santa Barbara Recorded	CALPADS/ MIS Training Updates by CDE Presenter: Brandi Jauregui and Alex Manriquez	Free: Event for Administrators and Leadership in Special Education	
Friday, August 4, 2023 8:30-3:30 In Person Orcutt USD and SMJUHSD Righetti H.S. Cafeteria	Nonviolent Crisis Prevention Intervention (NCPI) Presenters: Natalie Facio-Leon, Phil Pandac, Jody Dowell	Free: Event for Orcutt and SMJUHSD staff only.	
Monday, August 7, 2023 In Person 1:30-3:30 Orcutt USD	SIRAS Beginners Training for new staff Presenter: Jennifer Connolly	Free: Event for Orcutt staff only.	
Tuesday, August 8, 2023 In Person	GROW Training Presenter: Alison Lindsey	Free: Event for Santa Ynez Valley Consortium GROW Program staff only.	
Tuesday, August 8-9, 2023 8:30-3:30 In Person Location: TBD	New Trainer of Trainers: Nonviolent Crisis Prevention Intervention (NCPI)	Free: Event closed to the public. Trainers approved by SELPA and Districts.	
Wednesday, August 9, 2023 9:00-11:00 Zoom Recorded	Beginners MIS Clerk Training and SIRAS Updates for MIS Clerks Presenter: Brian Marcontell and Michael Brown	Free: Event for all Clerks and Admin. working with data in SIRAS.	

Thursday, August 10, 2023 8:30-3:30 In Person Location: TBD	Trainer of Trainers: Nonviolent Crisis Prevention Intervention (NCPI)	Event closed to the public. Trainers approved by SELPA and Districts.
Friday, August 18, 2023 In Person	GROW Training Presenter: Alison Lindsey	Free: Event for SBUSD GROW Program staff only.
Thursday, August 24, 2023 9:00-10:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Supporting Students in Schools Presenter: Rosy Bucio	Free: Event scheduled for NPS/NPA Behavior Certification. All LEAS are welcome to attend.
Thursday, August 24, 2023 3:00-5:00 Zoom Recorded	SIRAS Beginners Training Presenter: Michael Brown	Free: Event for all staff new to SIRAS. Learn to create an IEP in SIRAS.
Monday, August 28, 2023 3:00-4:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Providing Students with Feedback Presenter: Rosy Bucio	Free: Event scheduled for NPS/NPA Behavior Certification. All LEAS are welcome to attend.
Monday, August 28, 2023 3:30-4:30 Zoom Not Recorded	SIRAS Office Hours Presenter: Jennifer Connolly	Free: Drop in with SIRAS Questions and Support Needs.
Thursday, August 31, 2023 2:00-3:00 Zoom Recorded	Seizure Action Plans and Headache Remediation Presenter: Dr. Genevieve Cruz	Free: Event for SB County Nurses and all staff

# Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events <u>September</u>



**New Events Added Monthly** 

### Professional Development Events <a href="#">September</a>

Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Tuesday, September 5, 2023 12:00-1:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Consulting in Schools Presenter: Dr. Rosy Bucio	Event scheduled for NPS/NPA Behavior Certification. All LEAS are welcome to attend.
Wednesday, September 6, 2023 2:30-4:30 Zoom, Recorded	SIRAS Beginners Training Presenter: Michael Brown	Event for all staff new to SIRAS. Learn to create an IEP in SIRAS.
Tuesday, September 12, 2023 12:30-3:30 In Person at SBCSELPA and Zoom	Manifestation Determination Presenter: Melissa Hatch	Free: Event for all staff.
Tuesday, September 12, 2023 4:00-7:00 In Person at SBCSELPA Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Extensive Support Needs Credential	Free: Event for staff needing to add the Bridge Authorization for staff holding a Mod/Severe (Extensive Support Needs) Credential.
Wednesday, September 13, 2023 12:00-3:00 Zoom, Not Recorded	Tier 1, Day 1 of 4: Placer County SELPA AAC Training	Free: Event for all SLPs.
Wednesday, September 13, 2023 4:00-7:00 In Person at SBCSELPA Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Early Childhood Special Education Credential	Free: Event for staff needing to add the Bridge Authorization for staff holding Early Childhood Special Education Credential.

#### **Professional Development Events**

Thursday, September 14, 2023 4:00-7:00 In Person at SBCSELPA Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Mild Moderate Support Needs Credential	Free: Event for staff needing to add the Bridge Authorization for staff holding a Mild Moderate or Resource Credential.
Monday, September 18, 2023 10:00-11:00 Zoom Not Recorded	A New Lens on Behavior Presenter: Dr. Rosy Bucio	Event scheduled for NPS/NPA Behavior Certification. All LEAS are welcome to attend.
Monday, September 18, 2023 3:30-4:30 Zoom, Not Recorded	SIRAS Office Hours Drop In with Jennifer Connolly	Free: Event for all staff.
Tuesday, September 19, 2023 2:30-4:30 Zoom, Recorded	SIRAS Updates with Service Logs Presenter: Brian Marcontell	Event for all staff. Learn how to create individual and group service logs.
Friday, September 22, 2023 8:30-11:30 In Person- SBCSELPA	Day 1 of 4: Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict Presenter: Greg Abell	Free: For all staff, especially Leadership.
Two locations:  Friday, September 22, 2023 1:00-3:30 In Person- SMB Souza Center		
Tuesday, September 26, 2023 8:30-2:30 In Person Santa Maria Bonita Souza Center	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Development, Routines, and Themes: The Blueprint for Effective Special Education Classrooms Presenter: Appease Glamore	Free: For all Staff. It is recommended to attend with your cross-disciplinary team.
Tuesday, September 26, 2023	Dyslexia and the Learning Brain	Free: Event for all countywide staff.

3:15-4:30 Zoom Watch Party	Presenter: Maria Luisa Gorno Tempini (SCOE CA Dyslexia Initiative)	
Wednesday, September 27, 2023 12:00-3:00 Zoom, Not Recorded	Tier 1, Day 2 of 4: Placer County SELPA AAC Training	Free: Event for all SLPs.
Thursday, September 28, 2023 3:30-4:30 Virtual, Not Recorded.	Coaching: Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict	Free: For all staff, especially Leadership.

#### **October**



**New Events Added Monthly** 

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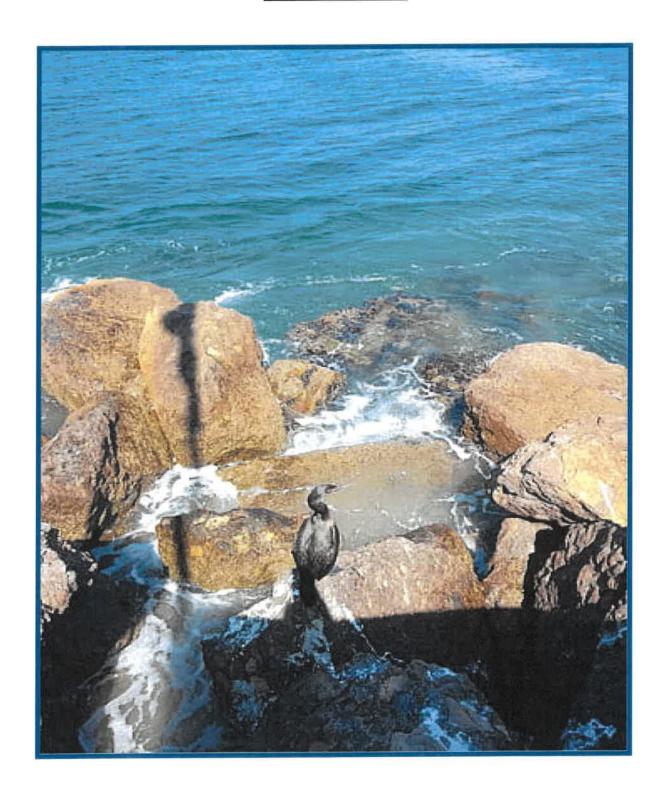
Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Tuesday, October 3, 2023 3:00-4:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Supporting Students in Schools Presenter: Dr. Rosy Bucio	Free: Event scheduled for NPS/NPA Behavior Certification. All LEAS are welcome to attend.
Wednesday, October 4, 2023 8:30-3:00 In person SBCSELPA and Zoom option	Patterns of Strengths and Weaknesses Presenter: Jenny Ponzuric	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, October 5, 2023 8:30-3:00 In Person SMB Souza Center	NCPI Presenters: Alison Lindsey and Rosy Bucio	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Monday, October 9, 2023 8:30-10:30 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Keeping the Day Sane: Mental Health 101 for Paraeducators Presenter: Tim Halphide	Free: Paraeducators, all staff, ERMHS staff, Behaviorists, IEP team members.
Tuesday, October 10, 2023 3:15-4:30 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Identifying Students At Risk for Reading Difficulty Presenter: Dr. Jack Fletcher (SCOE CA Dyslexia Initiative)	Free: Event open to all staff.
Wednesday, October 11, 2023 12:00-3:00 Zoom	Tier 1, Day 3 of 4: Placer County SELPA AAC Training	Free: Event open to all SLPs.

#### **Professional Development Events**

Thursday, October 12, 2023	Transition Series Day 1: The Spirit of Transition	Free: Event open to staff working with students ages
<b>2:30-4:00</b> Zoom, Recorded	and why we plan for Life after High School Presenters: TNT	14-22.
Tuesday, October 17, 2023 3:15-4:30 Zoom Recorded event-Watch Party	Building Systems that Support Struggling Readers and Students with Dyslexia Presenter: Sharon Vaughn, U of Texas (SCOE, CA Dyslexia Initiative)	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Tuesday, October 17, 2023 4:00-7:00 In Person at Lompoc USD District Office Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Extensive Support Needs Credential	Bridge Authorization for Mod/Severe (Extensive Support Needs) Credential
Wednesday, October 18, 2023 In Person at Lompoc USD District Office Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Early Childhood Special Education Credential	Bridge Authorization for Early Childhood Special Education Credential
Thursday, October 19, 2023 8:30-3:00 In Person SBCSELPA	NCPI Presenters: Jennifer Connolly and Ben Ingalls	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, October 19, 2023 4:00-7:00 In Person at Lompoc USD District Office Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Mild/Moderate Support Needs Credential	Bridge Authorization for Mild/Moderate Support Needs or Resource Credential
Tuesday, October 24, 2023 3:15-4:30 Zoom Watch Party	Preventing Reading Difficulties Through Early Intervention Presenter: Hugh Catts (SCOE CA Dyslexia Initiative)	Free: Event open to all staff.

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Wednesday, October 25, 2023 2:00-4:00 Zoom	Dyslexia Training Institute Presenter: Kelli Sandman-Hurley	Free: Event open to all staff.
Thursday, October 26, 2023 2:00-4:00 Zoom	Dyslexia Training Institute Presenter: Kelli Sandman-Hurley	Free: Event open to all staff.
Thursday, October 26, 2023 8:30-12:30 Zoom	Day 2: Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict Presenter: Greg Abell	Free: For all staff, especially Leadership.
Monday, October 30, 2023 3:30-4:40 Zoom	SIRAS Office Hours with Jennifer Connolly drop in.	Free: For all staff.
Tuesday, October 31, 2023 3:15-4:30 Zoom Watch Party	Structured Literacy Reading Instruction for English Learners Presenter: Elsa Cardenas- Hagan (SCOE CA Dyslexia Initiative)	Free: Event for all countywide staff.



### Professional Development Events <a href="November">November</a>

Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Wednesday, November 1, 2023 3:30-5:00 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Reading Between the Lines Presenter: Andrea Abrishami	Free: Educators working with students with reading difficulties
Thursday, November 2, 2023 3:30-4:40 Virtual, Not Recorded.	Coaching: Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict Presenter: Greg Abell	Free: For all staff, especially Leadership.
Thursday, November 2, 2023 8:30-3:00 In Person SMB Souza Center	NCPI Presenters: Lauren Hoffman and Phil Pandac	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Monday, November 6, 2023 4:00-7:00 In Person Santa Maria Joint UHSD Board Room Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Extensive Support Needs Credential	Bridge Authorization for Moderate/Severe, Extensive Support Needs Credential
Tuesday, November 7, 2023 4:00-7:00 In Person Santa Maria Joint UHSD Board Room Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Mild/Moderate Support Needs Credential	Bridge Authorization for Mild/Moderate Support Needs and Resource Credential
Tuesday, November 7, 2023 12:00-3:00 Location TBD	UDL/AT Immersion Day 1	Free: Event for all countrywide staff.

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Wednesday, November 8, 2023 8:30-10:30 Zoom	Hot Topics in Special Education Presenter: Jan Tomsky Fagen, Friedman, & Fulfrost	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Wednesday, November 8, 2023 2:00-4:00 Zoom	Patterns of Strengths and Weaknesses Coaching Presenter: Jenny Ponzuric	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Wednesday, November 8, 2023 4:00-7:00 In Person Santa Maria Joint UHSD Board Room Dinner Provided	Bridge Authorization for Early Childhood Special Education Credential	Bridge Authorization for Early Childhood Special Education Credential
Wednesday, November 15, 2023 8:30-12:30 Zoom, Not Recorded	Day 3: Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict Presenter: Greg Abell	Free: For all staff, especially Leadership.
Wednesday, November 15, 2023 2:30-4:00 Zoom, Recorded	Transition Series Day 2: Transition Assessments Presenters: TNT	Free: Event open to staff working with students ages 14-22.
Thursday, November 16, 2023 8:30-3:00 In Person SBCSELPA	NCPI Presenters: Rosy Bucio and Louisa Wood	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Monday, November 27, 2023 3:30-4:30 Zoom	SIRAS Office Hours Presenter: Jennifer Connolly	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Tuesday, November 28, 2023 12:00-3:00 Virtual Not Recorded	UDL/AT Immersion Day 2	Free: Event for all countywide staff.

28, 2023 3:30-4:30	Coaching: Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict Presenter: Greg Abell	Free: For all staff, especially Leadership.
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## Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events <u>December</u>

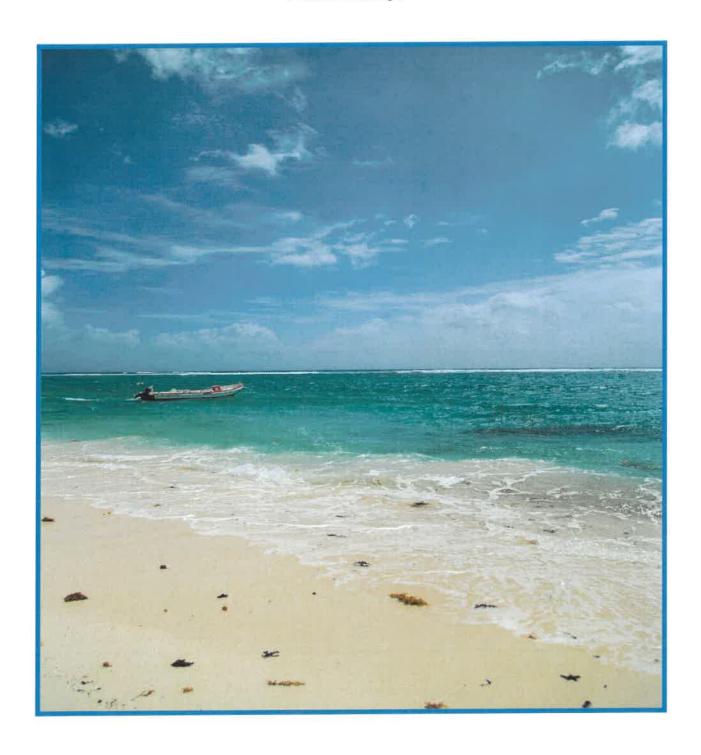


### Professional Development Events <a href="December">December</a>

Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Monday, December 4, 2023 2:30-4:30 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Part 1: Teaching Students with Moderate/Severe Intellectual Disabilities Presenter: Jill Martinez Margot Johnson	Free: All Special Education staff working with students with moderate/severe intellectual disabilities.
Tuesday, December 5, 2023 2:30-4:30 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Part 2: Teaching Students with Moderate/Severe Intellectual Disabilities Presenter: Jill Martinez Margot Johnson	Free: All Special Education staff working with students with moderate/severe intellectual disabilities.
Wednesday, December 6, 2023 2:30-4:00 Zoom Recorded	Transition Series Day 3: Writing ITPs (Post Secondary Goals, Annual Goals)	Free: Event open to staff working with students ages 14-22.
Thursday, December 7, 2023 8:30-12:30 Zoom, Not Recorded	Day 4: Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict Presenter: Greg Abell	Free: For all staff, especially Leadership.
Thursday, December 7, 2023 2:30-4:00 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Multisensory Math! Advanced Math Skills Presenter: Heather Barakat	Free: For all Staff, Gen. Ed. teachers, Admin., Paraeducators
Tuesday, December 12, 2023 12:00-3:00 Zoom, Not Recorded	UDL/AT Immersion Day 3	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Wednesday, December 13, 2023	Coaching: Operating from the Third Side: Supporting	Free: For all staff, especially Leadership.

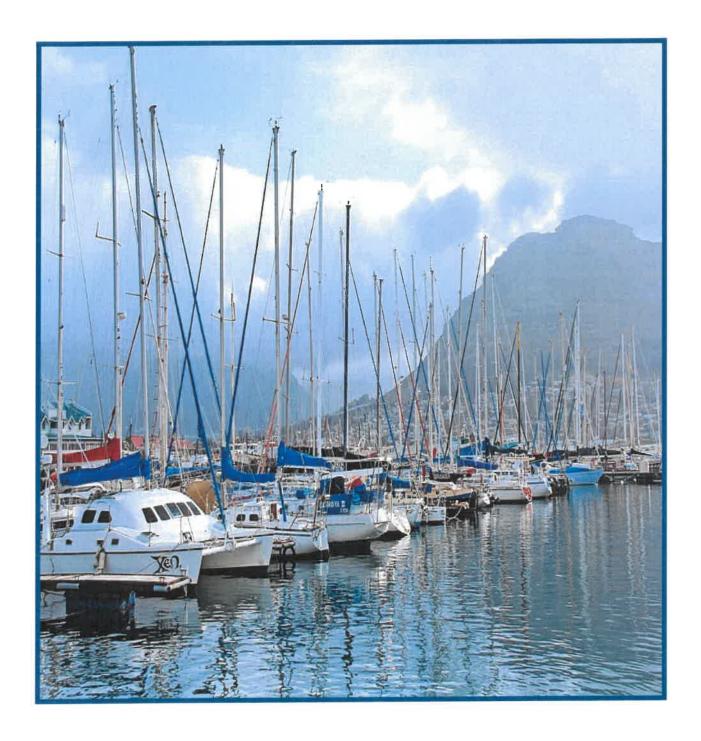
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3:30-4:30 Zoom, Not Recorded	Others to Navigate Conflict Presenter: Greg Abell	
Thursday, December 14, 2023 3:30-4:30 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center S. CA: Mindfulness Practice: The Educator's Guide to Help Students Practice Mindfulness Presenter: Mojgan Mostael	Free: For all staff, Mental Health Specialists, Counselors and staff working with all students

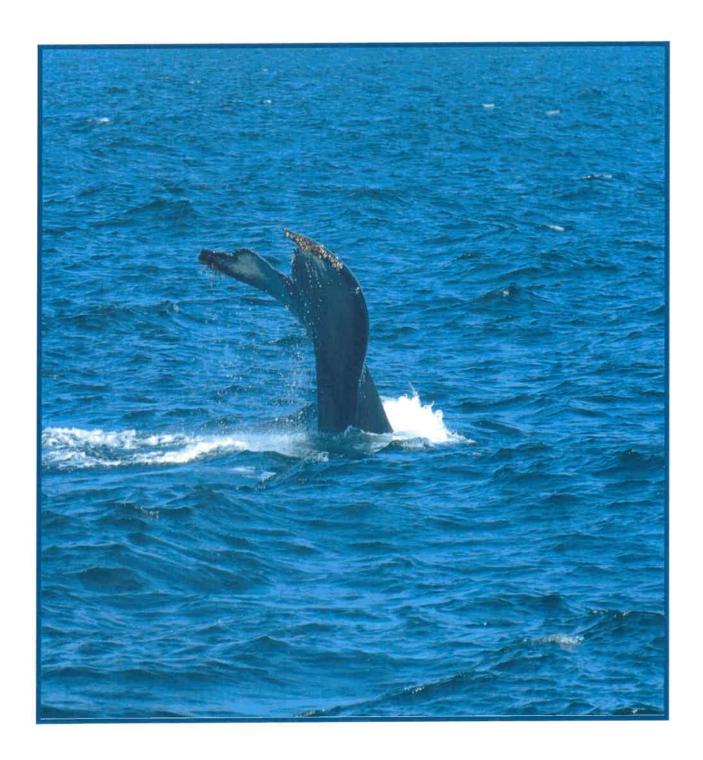


Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Thursday, January 11, 2024 1:30-3:30 Zoom Recorded	SIRAS Updates, State Testing, Transition to Next Year's Data Presenter: Michael Brown	Event for all staff
Thursday, January 11, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SMB Souza Center	NCPI Presenters: SMBSD and David Ibsen	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, January 18, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SBCSELPA	NCPI Presenters: Joe Isaacson and Natalie Facio-Leon	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Tuesday, January 23, 2024 4:00-7:00 Zoom, Not Recorded	Bridge Authorization for Extensive Support Needs Credential	Bridge Authorization for Mod/Severe, Extensive Support Needs Credential
Wednesday, January 24, 2024 4:00-7:00 Zoom, Not Recorded	Bridge Authorization for Early Childhood Special Education Credential	Bridge Authorization for Early Childhood Special Education Credential
Thursday, January 25, 2024 4:00-7:00 Zoom, Not Recorded	Bridge Authorization for Mild/Mod Support Needs Credential	Bridge Authorization for Mild/Mod Support Needs and ResourceCredential
Tuesday, January 30, 2024 12:00-3:00 Zoom, Not Recorded	Digital Tools Day 1	Free: Event for all countywide staff.

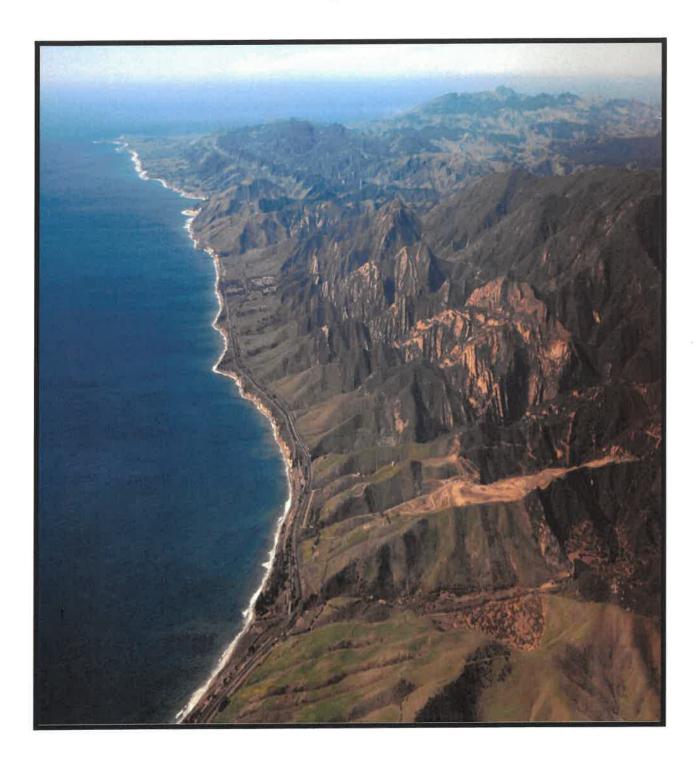
# Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events <u>February</u>



Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Thursday, February 1, 2024 2:30-4:00 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Reading Between the Lines Presenter: Andrea Abrishami	Free: Educators working with students with reading difficulties
Thursday, February 8, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SMB Souza Center	NCPI Presenters: Jennifer Connolly	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Tuesday, February 13, 2024 12:00-3:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Digital Tools Day 2	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, February 22, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SBCSELPA	NCPI Presenters: Ben Ingalls and Alison Lindsey	Free: Event for all countrywide staff.
Tuesday, February 27, 2024 12:00-3:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Digital Tools Day 3	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Wednesday, February 28, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person Santa Maria Bonita with Zoom option	Patterns of Strengths and Weaknesses Presenter: Jenny Ponzuric	Free: Event for all countywide staff.



Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Tuesday, March 5, 2024 2:00-4:00 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Keeping the Day Sane: Mental Health 101 for Paraeducators Presenter: Tim Halphide	Free: Paraeducators, all staff, ERMHS staff, Behaviorists, IEP team members.
Wednesday, March 6, 2024 2:30-4:00 Zoom, Recorded	Transition Series Day 4: Writing ITPs: Activities and Community Experiences	Free: Event open to staff working with students ages 14-22.
Thursday, March 7, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SMB Souza Center	NCPI Presenters: Phil Pandac and Natalie Facio- Leon	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Tuesday, March 12, 2024 12:00-3:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Digital Tools Day 4	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Wednesday, March 20, 2024 2:00-4:00 Zoom	Patterns of Strengths and Weaknesses Coaching Presenter: Jenny Ponzuric	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, March 21, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SBCSELPA	NCPI Presenters: Natalie Facio-Leon and Rosy Bucio	Free: Event for all countywide staff.



# Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events <u>April</u>

### https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org

Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Tuesday, April 9, 2024 2:30-3:30 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Diagnostic Center S. CA: Mindfulness Practice: The Educator's Guide to Help Students Practice Mindfulness Presenter: Mojgan Mostael	Free: For all staff, Mental Health Specialists, Counselors and staff working with all students
Wednesday, April 10, 2024 1:30-3:30 Zoom	Hot Topics in Special Education Presenter: Jan Tomsky Fagen, Friedman, and Fulfrost	Free: Event for all countrywide staff.
Thursday, April 11, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SMB Souza Center	NCPI Presenters: David Ibsen and SMBSD	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, April 11, 2024 4:00-5:00 Zoom, Recorded	Transition Series Day 5: Writing ITPs: Agency Linkages and Transition Services	Free: Event open to staff working with students ages 14-22.
Tuesday, April 16, 2024 12:00-3:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Introduction to SAP Day 1	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, April 18, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SBCSELPA	NCPI Presenters: Joe Isaacson and Jennifer Connolly	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, April 25, 2024	Diagnostic Center of S. CA: Multisensory Math!	Free: For all Staff, Gen. Ed. teachers, Admin.,

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2:30-4:00 Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Advanced Math Skills Presenter: Heather Barakat	Paraeducators
Tuesday, April 30, 2024 12:00-3:00 Zoom Not Recorded	Introduction to SAP Day 2	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Tuesday, April 20, 2024 8:30-12:00 In Person	Nurses Symposium	Event for all countywide nurses.

# Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events <u>May</u>



# Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events <u>May</u>

### https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org

Date/Time/Location	Name of Event and Presenter	Cost/Additional Details
Wednesday, May 1, 2024 8:30-11:30 Zoom Recorded	End of Year Reminders Presenter: Brian Marcontell	Event for CALPADS and MIS Clerks, Administrators
Thursday, May 9, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SMB Souza Center	NCPI Presenters: Lauren Hoffman and Amy Gillespie	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, May 16, 2024 8:30-3:00 In Person SBCSELPA	NCPI Presenters: Louisa Wood and Alison Lindsey	Free: Event for all countywide staff.
Thursday, May 16, 2024 5:00-8:00 In person Glen Annie Golf Course	SELPA-Bration Awards Night	Invited Guests

### **Professional Development Events**

'Mini' LEA Professional Development Topics Available Upon Request

Contact Jennifer Connolly <u>jeonnolly@sbeeo.org</u> to book a <u>FREE</u> presentation.

### **Behavior Series**

### **Understanding Brain States & Behavior**

Participants will be introduced to the applied science of brain states and behavior regulation. The goal of this mini-PD is for staff to begin to understand the underpinnings for all human escalation cycles and how "behavior" is not unique to students with behavioral challenges. Staff will be guided through current research on the topic and could participate in activities that help integrate the content that is presented.

### Supporting Students with Behavioral Needs in School Settings

This introductory mini-PD offers participants a brief overview of traditional vs brain-based perspectives on student dysregulation and challenges staff to reflect on their own narratives about student problem behavior. Additionally, a variety of proactive evidence-based practices for mitigating challenging behavior will be presented and participants will have an opportunity to apply strategies to case-studies in a small group activity.

### **How To "Coach" Students**

This mini-PD is focused on practical, hands-on, evidence-based strategies for giving students feedback, offering support, and "correcting" pre-escalation behavior. Staff will reflect on how they like to be "coached" and then apply the scientific information shared to case examples they self-generate. The goal is for participants to walk away with a fresh perspective on how "coaching" vs correcting and/or inadvertent shaming of students could broadly help all the students they serve.

### Default vs GROW: How our "Lens" Impacts the Way We Support Students

This mini-PD will start with a brief review of brain states and how behavior escalates in all humans, followed by an outline of the differences between "default" vs "GROW" lenses. The objective is for participants to understand what influences our perspectives and responses to student behavior and

### **Professional Development Events**

how students, especially students with challenging behavior, deserve scientific coaching practices rooted in dignity not punishment procedures.

### **Data Collection in Special Education**

In this training, participants will have the opportunity to learn about the most common types of data systems used in special education programs (e.g., frequency, duration) and how different IEP goals require different types of data collection. Particular attention will also be given to how to accurately collect ABC data and participants will have opportunities to practice this through case examples and group activities.

### **Understanding the Functions of Behavior**

The focus of this training will be helping participants learn that behaviors are information and serve several different functions. Once functions are understood then skills can be developed that allow students to navigate through struggles in a more adaptive manner.

### **Fundamentals of Behavior**

To help educational staff broaden their understanding of "behaviors" in students, this training will introduce them to the science of behavior, including the neuro-biological cycle of behavior that is true for all human beings. Additionally, information related to ACES, trauma, learning challenges, and chronic stress experiences will be presented to help participants examine their own narratives about behaviors in students.

### **De-Escalation Strategies: Guiding Principles and Next Steps**

In this training, participants will have the opportunity to learn guiding principles for de-escalating students during behavioral/emotional responses and the importance of proactive strategies to mitigate escalation cycles.

### SELPA 28: SBCSELPA Continuum of Mental Health Services

Late in 2020, an Ad-Hoc Committee was formed to revise the SBCSSELPA Continuum of Mental Health. This training is to introduce the new Continuum, discuss its function/limitations, and to provide information on

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two added services to the Continuum: Social Work Services and Parent Counseling.

### **Consulting In Classroom Settings**

The focus of this training will be on sharing strategies that facilitate collaborative and productive consulting in classroom settings. Specific steps and strategies educational specialists (e.g., BCBAs, MFTs, SLPs) can use to build rapport with team

members and establish mutually beneficial communication. In addition, strategies team members (e.g., teachers, paraprofessionals) can also use when collaborating with consultants will also be shared.

### How To Provide Students with Corrective Feedback & Coaching

This training will focus on how team members (e.g., teachers, paraprofessionals, administrators) can give students feedback, both positive and corrective, in a constructive manner that optimizes communication.

### <u>SELPA 28A: SBCSELPA Wrap Supports Referral- recorded available on SBCSELPA YouTube Channel</u>

The new Santa Barbara County SELPA Wrap Referral is here—and it's fillable! This short training will explain what Wrap supports are, how the referral process works, and how to document on an IEP. This training will be recorded and available for viewing at your convenience.

### **Brain-Based Behavioral Perspectives and Support Strategies**

Drawing from foundations of interpersonal neurobiology, applied developmental attachment, and specific communication skills; participants will gain a functional understanding of how educators can best support students who present with relational and behavioral challenges. Staff will then be able to calibrate their approach to meet the needs of the student as they exist in the moment, supporting emotional resilience and academic success.

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### **Relational Scaffolding**

Drawing from foundations of interpersonal neurobiology, applied developmental attachment, and specific communication skills; participants will gain a functional understanding of how educators can best utilize relationships with their students to support social-emotional development, academic access, and a culture of emotional inclusion.

### Self-Care for the Educator

Self-Care for Educators provides a time to reflect on your own mental health so that you can more effectively support students. In the course of our work, we are confronted with the challenging aspects of life. As Educators, we are asked to "do more with less," and work within uncertain funding and restrictive policy contexts. The circumstances the youth of today bring to school often impacts not only our teaching but takes a toll on the school. Practicing self-care is an important activity that will help you cognitively, physically, and emotionally "bounce back" each day over the long term.

### Parent Support

<u>Mental Health for Families: Supporting the Mental Health of Families and Caregivers during Distance Learning</u>

A presentation of self-care practices during times of acute and chronic stress for parents/guardians/caregivers. In addition, a resource for parents/guardians/caregivers to help support the children in their home during this time of distance learning.

### **SIRAS**

### Introduction to SIRAS for new employees

New Staff will learn how to maneuver through SIRAS and how to create an IEP in SIRAS.

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### **SIRAS updates**

The new features in SIRAS created during the summer 2020 to be reviewed in this one and a half hour training.

### **Advanced Refresher**

The Goal Wizard, Service Logs, and Progress Reports to be reviewed in this one and a half hour training.

# Professional Development Events 'Mini' LEA Professional Development Topics Available Upon Request

### List of events offered updated monthly.

Contact Jennifer Connolly <u>jconnolly@sbceo.org</u> to book a <u>FREE</u> presentation.

### June:

12: SBUSD: Self Care for Educators

12: Manzanita CPI Training

12: SBUSD: UDL/AT

13: SBUSD: UDL/AT

13: SBUSD: Self Care for Educators

13: BCBA Training

14: SBUSD: New Lens on Behavior

July:

### August:

1-4: SMJUHSD and Orcutt: Paraprofessional Series and CPI

2: SMJUHSD GROW

4: LUSD GROW

7: Orcutt: SIRAS Beginners Training

8: SYVSEC: GROW

8: LUSD: SIRAS Training

11: GUSD: GROW

11: SBUSD: Tier 1 AAC

11: SBUSD: Paraprofessional training

18: SBUSD: GROW

23: Carpinteria: Special Education (Timelines, Parent Rights, ADR, Elig/Assessment)

### September:

October:

November:

### Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events

17: College SD: Supporting student behavior during everyday school activities

December
January:
February:
March:
<u>April:</u>
May:

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### **Available Resources**

OMS Calendar of Events https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org/

**Professional Development** 

SBCSELPA Local Plan www.sbcselpa.org

**Educators, Parent Resources** 

SBCSELPA Procedural Handbook www.sbcselpa.org

**Educators, Parent Resources** 

Special Education Parent Handbook www.sbcselpa.org

Turning 3: Transition from Early Start to Preschool www.sbcselpa.org

SIRAS Systems (IEP development) <a href="https://www.sirassystems.org">https://www.sirassystems.org</a>

**Educators Resources** 

SBCSELPA website for all recorded trainings

Santa Barbara SBCSELPA Conference Room bhelt@sbceo.org

To book Santa Barbara SBCSELPA Conference Room

Back2School Padlet of Resources

https://padlet.com/mslaterselpa4200/trcig7ygv4ood8uvback2school

**Professional Development Locations for Larger Events** 

North: Santa Maria Bonita Souza Center: 708 Miller St. Santa Maria, CA

93454

Mid-County: Buellton Recreation Center: 301 2nd St. Buellton, CA 93427

South: SBCSELPA Conference Room: 5385 Hollister Avenue Building 7

Santa Barbara, CA 93111 (new location)

**Zoom Conferencing** 

This Professional Development Offerings Booklet is updated monthly,

### Santa Barbara County SELPA Fall 2023 Professional Development Events

### **Event Flyers by Month**



### A Joint Powers Agency

Date: June 16, 2023

To: NPS/A, Santa Barbara County Superintendents, Directors

From: Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA Coordinator

Re: Response to Education Code 56366.1 (a) amended to AB 1172
Nonpublic Schools and Agencies (NPS/A) verification of mandatory behavior training.

- NPS/A requirements for annual renewal of certification, including the following as specified in Education Code 56366.1:
  - 1. Documentation of NPS/A staff training in the use of evidence-based practices and interventions specific to the unique behavioral needs of the NPS/A pupil population.
  - 2. Trainings shall be provided annually within 30 days of employment to new staff and all staff implementing behavior related services in the NPS/A.
- In response to the requirements for annual renewal of certification, SBCSELPA will provide behavior trainings encompassing evidence-based practices and interventions to NPS/As. LEA staff are also invited to attend trainings.
- Registration for behavior trainings is found on SBCSELPA's Online Registration Site by month at the following link <a href="https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org/">https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org/</a> and also on the <a href="https://www.sbcselpa.org/">https://www.sbcselpa.org/</a> under Professional Development.
- Each training satisfies the following conditions:
  - 1. Conducted by licensed or certified persons in fields related to evidence-based practices and interventions.
  - 2. Taught in manner consistent with the development and implementation of individualized education programs.
  - 3. Trainings are not recorded.
- ➤ SBCSELPA offers the following trainings that fulfill the new requirements of AB1172 for an NPS/A.
  - 1. July 6, 10:00-11:00: Consulting in Schools (Virtual/ Free)
  - 2. July 26, 10:00-11:00: A New Lens on Behavior (Virtual/Free)
  - 3. August 24, 9:00-10:00: Supporting Students in Schools (Virtual/Free)
  - 4. August 28, 3:00-4:00: Providing Students with Feedback (Virtual/Free)
  - 5. September 5, 12:00-1:00: Consulting in Schools (Virtual/Free)
  - 6. September 18, 10:00-11:00: A New Lens on Behavior (Virtual/Free)
  - 7. October 3, 3:00-4:00: Supporting Students in Schools (Virtual/Free)
- SBCSELPA training content consists of the following:
  - 1. Positive behavioral interventions and supports, analysis, use of data for planning and implementation of behavior supports.
  - 2. How to understand and address challenging behaviors including evidence-based strategies for preventing behaviors.
  - 3. Evidence based interventions for reducing and replacing challenging behaviors, including deescalation techniques.
  - 4. Trainings will not be recorded for viewing later.
- > SBCSELPA will provide the following documents to the participants of the in person or Zoom trainings.
  - 1. Copy of the training materials and certificate of attendance to the training
  - 2. Affidavit of participant attendance to the training.

# Instructional Assistant/ Paraprofessional Training August 1-4, 2023

Start the school year strong in supporting students and teachers in General Education and Special Education.

Audience: Paraprofessionals/ Instructional Assistants

**Dates and Details:** 

Day 1: August 1, 2023, 12:30-3:30: Righetti H.S. Cafeteria

**Supporting Students in Special Education** 

Day 2: August 2, 2023, 12:30-3:30: Righetti H.S. Cafeteria

**Supporting Student's Unique Behaviors** 

Day 3: August 3, 2023, 12:30-3:30: Pioneer Valley H.S. Library

**Mental Health and Staff Wellness** 

Day 4: August 4, 2023, 9:00-3:30: Righetti H.S. Cafeteria

**Nonviolent Crisis Prevention Intervention (NCPI)** 

Addresses:

Righetti H.S.: 941 E Foster Rd. Santa Maria, CA 93455

Pioneer Valley H.S.: 675 Panther Dr. Santa Maria, CA 93454

Registration

https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org

Select the August 1 date for registration for all four events.

If you do not have an account, please create one.

Questions: Jennifer Connolly jconnolly@sbcselpa.org



# Everything You Wanted to Know About CALPADS and Resolving Errors (Round 2)!

Thursday, August 3, 2023 (For Administrators) 9:00-12:00

Friday, August 4, 2023 9:00-12:00 (For CALPADS/MIS Staff)

<u>In Person and Zoom</u> Santa Barbara County SELPA

Presentation provided by California Department of Education (CDE)

Registration: https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org

### Objectives:

- Learn how to resolve frequent special education related CALPADS errors.
- Updates to CALPADS, SIRAS reporting.
- Discuss local processes and practices that delay data review and certification.
- Review best practices for reporting and certifying special education data in CALPADS.

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### CALPADS/MIS NETWORK

### Dates:

- August 4, 2023: 9:00-12:00 with CDE and SIRAS (event to be recorded)
- (Choice of in person at SBCSELPA or Zoom).
- October 13, 2023: 9:00-10:00 via Zoom.
- <u>December 1, 2024:</u> 10:00-11:00 via Zoom.
- February 2, 2024: 9:00-10:00 via Zoom.

### Objectives:

- Create a community of practice.
- Create a shared document with due dates and reminders for all countywide CALPADs/ MIS staff on due dates and supports to be completed throughout the year.
- Discuss current procedures and processes in CALPADS and MIS.
- Support new staff in both systems. Create a contact list for questions and support.
- Additional agenda items welcomed.

### **Registration:**

https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org

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### **Questions**, Contact:

Jennifer Connolly <u>jconnolly@sbcselpa.org</u> or Brian Helt <u>bhelt@sbcselpa.org</u>



### Santa Barbara County Special Education Local Plan Presents

Santa Barbara County Special Education Local Plan A Joint Powers Agency Area

### SIRAS Trainings 2023-2024

Dates/ Time	Торіс	Location
Wednesday, August 9, 2023 9:00-11:00 Virtual Recorded	SIRAS for MIS Clerks, Updates	Zoom Conferencing (Free) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/865591 66035?pwd=TkRScTFkOEkzOX AyRjA5aWhjbnhPdz09
Thursday, August 24, 2023 3:00-5:00 Virtual Recorded	SIRAS for Beginners with Michael Brown, SIRAS Systems	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82013 265564?pwd=cVN0SFJhYUJNazF VVG80eFkxeTV6dz09
Monday, August 28, 2023 3:30-4:30 Drop-in support for SIRAS. Same Zoom link monthly.	SIRAS Office Hours with Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA Coordinator	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84722 624567?pwd=RXFJc3ZaaU05NDl hVDJMbFpxbHJOdz09
Wednesday, September 6, 2023 2:30-4:30 Virtual Recorded	SIRAS for Beginners with Michael Brown, SIRAS Systems	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8250 5151115?pwd=VIIOVndqL3lwem5j L1kzUGNGbHphdz09
Monday, September 18, 2023 3:30-4:30 Drop-in support for SIRAS. Same Zoom link monthly.	SIRAS Office Hours with Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA Coordinator	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84722 624567?pwd=RXFJc3ZaaU05NDl hVDJMbFpxbHJOdz09
Tuesday, September 19, 2023 2:30-4:30 Virtual Recorded	SIRAS Updates, SERVICE LOGS	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86718 613798?pwd=aTRWNEdrRUo1b mU5clpHM1U5d0w1QT09
Monday, October 30, 2023 3:30-4:30 Drop-in support for SIRAS. Same Zoom link monthly.	SIRAS Office Hours with Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA Coordinator	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84722 624567?pwd=RXFJc3ZaaU05NDl hVDJMbFpxbHJOdz09
Monday, November 27, 2023 3:30-4:30 Drop-in support for SIRAS. Same Zoom link monthly.	SIRAS Office Hours with Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA Coordinator	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84722 624567?pwd=RXFJc3ZaaU05NDl hVDJMbFpxbHJOdz09

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Thursday, January 11, 2024 1:30-3:30 Recorded	SIRAS Updates with Michael Brown, SIRAS Systems.  • State Testing Accommodations • Transition • Next Year's Data	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83256 984559?pwd=ankvK0djQ29QYX poYUZTd0NIZHZkUT09
Wednesday, May 1, 2024 8:30-11:30 Recorded	SIRAS Updates and End of the Year Reminders with Brian Marcontell, SIRAS Systems for CALPADS/MIS Clerks	Zoom Conferencing (FREE) https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81404 489222?pwd=clQ1M2Q0RUNqW DlmSUJhbjBKZGcvUT09

Audience: ALL Staff, Leadership, Staff new to SIRAS, MIS Clerks, CALPADS

Presenters: Michael Brown, Brian Marcontell, SIRAS Systems, and Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA
Coordinator

REGISTRATION: https://sbcselpa.kl2oms.org for events listed as Zoom Conferencing. Contact: Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA Coordinator jconnolly@sbcselpa.org or Brian Helt bhelt@sbcselpa.org Questions: Call (805) 683-1424.



## Santa Barbara County SELPA Presents

### Dr. Geneive Cruz

### Seizure Plans and Migraine Headache Forms

Date: Thursday, August 31, 2023

Time: 2:00-4:00

Location: Zoom

### Audience:

Santa Barbara County SELPA Countywide Nurses and all Special Education Staff. Nurses from outside of SBCSELPA welcome.

### Content:

Dr. Geneive Cruz provides support and guidance with Seizure Medical Plans, Migraine and Headache Forms as well as medical updates on seizures, migraine, and headache remediation.

### Free Event

### Registration

For Zoom link: please register for event on <a href="https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org">https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org</a>
If you do not have a SELPA OMS Account, please create an account to register.

Questions: Contact Jennifer Connolly <a href="mailto:jconnolly@sbcselpa.org">jconnolly@sbcselpa.org</a>





### Santa Barbara County SELPA Presents

### "Discipline Do's and Don'ts for the Special Education Student"

Date: Tuesday, September 12, 2023

Time: 12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.

Location: Santa Barbara County SELPA

Address: 5385 Hollister Ave. Building 7

Santa Barbara, CA 93111

OR

Location: Zoom

Event is Free!

Presenter: Melissa Hatch, Esq. Hatch & Cesario Attorneys-at-Law

### Content Objectives:

- Discipline and the Special Education Student
- Manifestation Determinations
- Interim Alternative Educational Settings
- Suspensions
- Discipline and 504 Students

### Registration

### https://sbcselpa.kl2oms.org.

Specify Zoom or In Person in registration.

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Contact: Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA Coordinator jconnolly@sbcselpa.org or Brian Helt bhelt@sbcselpa.org for questions: Call (805) 683-1424.



SBCSELPA Santa Barbara September 12, 2023 4:00–7:00 p.m.

- Lompoc USD District, Media Room October 17, 2023 4:00-7:00 p.m.
  - @ Santa Maria Joint USD District, Conference Room November 6, 2023 4:00-7:00 p.m.

ZoomJanuary 23, 20244:00-7:00 p.m.



Contact your
District SpED. for
additional Information
Or Jennifer Connolly
jconnolly@sbcselpa.org.

# Extensive Support Needs (ESN) Bridge Authorization

Santa Barbara County SELPA is providing a 3-hour professional development opportunity to 'bridge' your current Moderate/Severe Credential to the new Extensive Support Needs (ESN) Credential.

Registration: https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org





Early Childhood

Special Education (ECSE)

Bridge Authorization

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Contact your District SpEd. For additional information or SBCSELPA Jennifer Connolly jconnolly@sbcselpa.org.

Registration: https://sbcselpa.k12oms.org

- © SBCSELPA Santa BarbaraSeptember 13, 20234:00-7:00 p.m.
- @ Lompoc USD District, Media Room October 18, 2023 4:00-7:00 p.m.
  - @ Santa Maria Joint USD District, Conference Room November 8, 2023 4:00-7:00 p.m.

@ Zoom
January 24, 2024
4:00-7:00 p.m.



Mild Moderate

Support Needs (MMSN) **Bridge Authorization** 

@ Santa Meria Joint USD, District

4:00-7:00 p.m.

November 7, 2023 4:00-7:00 p.m.

January 25, 2024 4:00-7:00 p.m.



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### **AAC Foundations**

Santa Barbara County



Dates and times (four virtual sessions total):

Wednesdays, 12:00 - 3:00 PM

September 13, 2023 September 27, 2023 October 11, 2023 October 18, 2023



### Click here to sign up!

Please sign up by September 5th. Once the parpticipant list is finalized, you will receive a link to log into the Zoom sessions.





This course meets the requirements for 12 hours of continuing professional development for Speech-Language Pathologists as required by the California Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Licensing Board (PDP #338). 100% attendance is required to earn CEUs.

Questions? Please contact:

Lisa Foote, <u>Ifoote@sbcselpa.org</u> 805-979-2124



Santa Barbara County Special Education Local Plan Area

### Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict with Greg Abell

### Four Day Series

Date/ Time/ Location	<u>Topic</u>
Day 1: Friday, September 22, 2023, 8:30 a.m11:30 a.m. South County SBCSELPA In Person  Friday, September 22, 2023, 1:00 p.m 3:30 p.m. North County Santa Maria Bonita Souza Center In Person	<ul> <li>Day 1:         <ul> <li>Review key concepts, processes, and skills from Tier I Engaging Challenging Conversations.</li> <li>Introduce the notion of the 'Third Side'</li> <li>Introduce Role and Function of a Facilitator</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Thursday, September 28, 2023, 3:30 p.m4:30 p.m. Zoom	Coaching
Day 2: Thursday, October 26, 2023, 8:30 a.m12:30 p.m. Live On Demand Event	<ul> <li>Day 2:         <ul> <li>Review Structure of conversation for shared learning and shared decision-making.</li> <li>Identify role and function of the Facilitator at each stage of the process.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Thursday, November 2, 2023, 3:30 p.m4:30 p.m. Zoom	Coaching
Day 3: Wednesday, November 15, 2023, 8:30 a.m12:30 p.m. Live On Demand Event	<ul> <li>Day 3:         <ul> <li>Introduce the role of Conflict Coach and differentiate from other support roles.</li> <li>Explore role of coach as a resource for engaging change</li> <li>Introduce models of change</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Tuesday, November 28, 2023, 3:30 p.m4:30 p.m. Zoom	Coaching
Day 4: Thursday, December 7, 2023, 8:30 a.m12:30 p.m. Live On Demand Event	<ul> <li>Day 4:         <ul> <li>Introduce structure for coaching conversations.</li> <li>Practice key skills of listening and inquiry.</li> <li>Introduce material for sharing Tier 2 concepts, processes, and skills with others.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Wednesday, December 13, 2023, 3:30 p.m4:30 p.m. Zoom	Coaching

### Details on Sessions:

### Content:

Tier 2, four-day series Operating from the Third Side: Supporting Others to Navigate Conflict, is the second step in our Multi-tiered System of Support for Conflict Engagement, MTSSCE. The four-day event, stretched over a course of four months, is designed for increasing a participant's individual capacity for engaging conflict.

This Tier 2 core seminar builds on the foundational concepts, processes, and skills taught in Tier 1 and at the heart of our Multi-Tiered Systems of Support for Conflict Engagement (MTSSCE). In this seminar, we introduce the key Tier 2 roles of Conflict Coach/Consultant, Facilitator, and Teacher. In this seminar we will:

- Review key concepts, processes, and skills covered in Tier 1
- Review core elements of MTSS framework
- Introduce the role of Facilitator in support of the challenging conversations of groups or teams
- Introduce the role of Conflict Coach in support of other to intentionally prepare to engage conflict within a range of contexts.
- Be introduced to tools for sharing core conflict engagement skills and strategies with others.

### **Locations:**

<u>Four Learning Sessions one in person and three virtual.</u> <u>Four 'virtual' Coaching Sessions.</u>

Participants are encouraged to attend all four sessions.

Cost: FREE

<u>Audience:</u> SBCSELPA ADR Cadre, ALL Special Education Staff, ALL Leadership, Deans, IEP Teams, Parents, School Counselors, Agency Representatives.

Presenters: Sound Option Group: http://somtg.com/

<u>Greg Abell</u> is the Principal at Sound Options Group, LLC. His primary focus is in assisting agencies, organizations, and communities in designing and implementing systems for more effectively engaging in conflict and facilitating productive and collaborative work environments.

- Administrative Agent to the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction for Washington State and DCYF to provide Mediation in Special Education under the IDEA.
- Senior Consultant to CADRE.
- Partner with TAESE in the Center for Special Education Leadership and Conflict Engagement.
- Core Founder of the Dispute Resolution Center of Kitsap County, a community-based ADR resource.
- Consults nationally in the design and delivery of Conflict Engagement resources.
- Previously worked in public education as a School Psychologist, Coordinator of Student Support Services and Assistant Director of Special Education.

<u>REGISTRATION:</u> <u>https://sbcselpa.kl2oms.org</u> for entire series.

<u>Contact:</u> Jennifer Connolly, SBCSELPA Coordinator <u>jconnolly@sbcselpa.org</u> or Brian Helt <u>bhelt@sbcselpa.org</u> Questions: Call (805) 683-1424.



## Santa Barbara County SELPA and the Diagnostic Center of Southern California Presents...

### "Development, Routines, and Themes: The Blueprint for Effective Special Education Classrooms"

<u>Date:</u> Tuesday, September 26, 2023, In Person. <u>Time:</u> 8:30-2:30 p.m. *Free* Event.

Location: Santa Maria Bonita Souza Center 708 S. Miller Street Santa Maria, CA 93454

Audience: All Special Education Staff and Leadership. Recommended for cross-disciplinary teams.

About this Presentation: This training provides a blueprint for establishing effective classroom programs by facilitating a deeper understanding of development so educators can ensure activities are well-matched to the level of the child, designing purposeful routines, and using themes to provide a rich context for learning. Outcomes: Participants will:

- I. Learn about developmental milestones, key skills that represent stages of development, and the implications for learning.
- 2. Understand the purpose of routines and how to establish effective class schedules and expectations for participation within activities.
- 3. Learn the importance of themes and be able to create theme-based activities across domains and developmental levels.

Presenters: Allease Glamore, M.S. is a School Psychologist at the Diagnostic Center, Southern California. She has an M.S. and Pupil Personnel Services credential in School Psychology and is a Licensed Educational Psychologist. Allease has more than 20 years of experience supporting students with exceptional needs. She has supported students of all ages (infants through adults) in many capacities and settings. Allease currently serves as an intern supervisor to graduate students, professor, consultant, professional development facilitator, assessor, and interventionist. She has also been a program administrator and has written research articles. Early childhood special education, autism, school readiness, alternative assessment, social emotional learning, development, building family and community partnerships, program development and improvement, and supporting students with behavior challenges and severe disabilities are among her many areas of expertise. Allease is native to the South Los Angeles and South Bay portions of the Los Angeles area. She is passionate about empowering educators/service providers and families and enhancing the progress of all students.

Heather DeFelice, M.S., CCC-SLP, is a Speech-Language Pathologist at the Diagnostic Center, Southern California. She earned her M.S. in Communicative Disorders from University of Wisconsin-Madison. Heather holds California state licensure in speech-language pathology and the Certificate of Clinical Competence from the American Speech Language-Hearing Association (ASHA). She also earned an Assistive Technology Applications certificate through CSUN and has extensive experience working with children in public schools as well as in augmentative and alternative communication (AAC) camp settings. Areas of expertise include AAC, autism, and severe disabilities.

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### Dyslexia: The Study of **Reading Difficulties**

(Five Tuesdays)

- September 26: 3:00-4:30: Dyslexia and the Learning Brain Presenter: Dr. Maria Luisa Gorno Tempini, University of California, San Francisco, Dyslexia Center
- October 10: 3:00-4:30: Identification of Students at Risk for Reading Difficulties Presenter: Dr. Jack Fletcher, University of Houston
- October 17: 3:00-4:30: Building Systems to Support Struggling Readers and Students with Dyslexia: Presenter: Dr. Sharon Vaughn, University of Texas at Austin
- October 24: 3:00-4:30: Preventing Reading Difficulties through Early Intervention Presenter: Dr. Hugh Catts, Florida State University, Florida Center for Reading Research
- October 31: 3:00-4:30: Structured Literacy of Reading Instruction for English Learners Presenter: Elsa Cardenas-Hagan, Valley Speech Language and Learning Center

### Objectives:

- California Dyslexia Initiative Expert Webinar Series presents a study of Reading Difficulties and strategies for working with students with Dyslexia.
- Watch the 'free' one hour recorded event on Zoom.
- Collaborate with colleagues on the content presented in each webinar.

### Registration:

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Questions, Contact:

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### The Santa Barbara County SELPA Presents...

### 2023-2024 NONVIOLENT CRISIS INTERVENTION TRAININGS

A program focusing on crisis prevention and intervention with a core philosophy of providing for the Care, Welfare, Safety, and Security of everyone involved in a crisis situation.

Participants will be taught skills to safely respond to various levels of risk behavior while balancing the responsibilities of care.

<u>INITIAL COURSE</u> (7 hours)	REFRESHER COURSE (6 hours)	
This <u>one-day</u> Initial Course is designed for school staff working with students who have the potential for demonstrating "Risk Behavior".	This <u>one-day</u> Refresher Course is designed for persons who need to re-certify and have already taken the Initial Course and received certification.	
INVESTMENT FOR EITHER COURSE		
<ul> <li>\$21.49 for Staff and Parents of students attending public school within Santa Barbara County</li> <li>\$31.49 All others</li> </ul>		
PLEASE NOTE:  > ALL TRAININGS WILL BE IN PERSON IN NORTH AND SOUTH COUNTY  > TRAININGS BEGIN PROMPTLY AT 8:30 AM AND ENDS AT 3:30 PM FOR INITIAL AND 2:30 PM FOR REFRESHER  > PLEASE WEAR CASUAL ATTIRE AND ATHLETIC TYPE SHOES (for physical portion of training)		

### **TRAINING DATES**

North County Santa Maria Bonita Souza Center		South County SBCSELPA Conference Room	
1 Day Initial	1 Day Refresher	1 Day Initial	1 Day Refresher
October 5, 2023	November 2, 2024	November 16, 2023	October 19, 2023
☐ January 11, 2024	February 8, 2024	February 22, 2024	January 18, 2024
March 7, 2024	April 11, 2024	April 18, 2024	March 21, 2024
☐ May 9, 2024			May 16, 2024

### REGISTRATION IS ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE, BASIS

Registration deadline is *two weeks prior* to training date \*NO late registrations will be accepted\*

### TO REGISTER:

- > Access this event in the SBCSELPA OMS system at: <a href="mailto:sbcselpa.k12oms.org">sbcselpa.k12oms.org</a>
- > \*\*You will need to create an OMS account if you do not yet have one\*\*No Phone Registrations
- Questions: Call (805) 683-1424 or email selparegistration@sbceo.org



# Santa Barbara County SELPA and the Diagnostic Center of Southern California Presents...

### "Keeping the Day Sane: Mental Health 101 for Paraeducators"

Monday, October 9, 2023	Tuesday, March 5, 2024
8:30-10:30	2:00-4:00
Zoom Recorded Watch Party	Zoom Recorded Watch Party

<u>Audience:</u> Paraeducators, All Special Education Staff, ERMHS staff or school counselors specifically designated to working with special needs students, behaviorists, and other IEP team members who support these students are strongly advised to attend.

### Content:

Many adults inadvertently handle behavioral scenarios with tactics that escalate student emotions rather than improve them, resulting in a decrease in student readiness for participation and learning. This training will equip your staff with basic knowledge and easy-to-learn strategies that can help them be more successful and keep students safe and ready to learn. Let's get everyone on the same page!

Outcomes: Participants will:

- 1. Learn the basics of most frequently encountered mental health profiles.
- 2. Learn how to side-step emotional triggers.
- 3. Learn basic learning supports and strategies to help develop student readiness and active participation.
- 4. Learn how to collect proper data to support teachers, behaviorists, counselors, and school psychologists.
- 5. Learn proactive strategies for reducing emotional responses from students.

Presenter: Tim Halphide, M.A., L.M.F.T., School Psychologist and Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist has an M.A. in Clinical Psychology and he is both a school psychologist and Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist at the Diagnostic Center, Southern California. Tim brings together his 22 years of experience working within diverse settings including private practice psychotherapy, community mental health clinics, psychiatric hospitals, social work and foster family agencies, as well as working directly with students, teachers, and parents in California's public schools. Tim brings into focus the best applied clinical psychology practices for school mental health via a combination of family systems therapies, cognitive behavioral methodologies, psychodynamically-informed classroom practices, and behavioral psychology. Tim approaches both assessment and school consultation as a collaborative process, with an open, non-judgmental style. He has worked with scores of school districts in southern California to train educators in mental health guidelines and in developing actionable treatment plans for elementary through high school populations.

### Registration

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### Santa Barbara County SELPA and the Diagnostic Center of Southern California Presents...

### "Reading Between the Lines"

Wednesday, November 1, 2023	Thursday, February 1, 2024
3:30-5:00 p.m.	2:30-4:00 p.m.
Zoom, Recorded Watch Party	Zoom, Recorded Watch Party

Audience: Educators working with students with reading difficulties. FREE!

Content: According to the International Dyslexia Association, one-half of all students who qualify for special education services are classified as having a learning disability. Approximately 85% of those students have a primary disability in reading and language processing. The National Institute of Health identified Dyslexia as the most common and prevalent of all known learning disabilities, affecting one in five children in the United States. Characteristics of dyslexia, assessments, interventions, and accommodations will be addressed to offer the practitioner tools and strategies to support struggling readers. This training will focus on best practices in working with students who have been identified with reading difficulties or are suspected of having dyslexia.

### Participants will:

- 1. Review and discuss the components of reading.
- 2. Learn about the characteristics of dyslexia.
- 3. Become familiar with strategies, appropriate interventions, and accommodations for students with reading difficulties.
- 4. Learn about evidence-based practices and why they are effective for struggling readers.

<u>Presenter: Andrea Abrishami</u> is an education specialist at the Diagnostic Center, Southern California. She holds an M.A. in Special Education from California State University, Los Angeles. Since 2005 Andrea has served students of all ages with mild to moderate disabilities in a variety of settings. She comes with extensive experience in developing and implementing programs that address the social emotional and academic needs of all learners. Areas of expertise include educational programming and instructional techniques for students with mild-moderate disabilities, positive behavior supports and supporting struggling readers across academic settings.

### Registration

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**UDL-AT Immersion**  **Digital Tools &** Assistive **Technologies** 

Intro to SAP **Quality AT Practices** 

Three, 3-hr. sessions Four, 3-hr. sessions Two, 3-hr. sessions

9 Sessions: 12-3:00 pm Rotating Locations

November 7, 2023 November 28, 2023 December 12, 2023

See Below

January 30, 2024 February 13, 2024 February 27, 2024 March 12, 2024

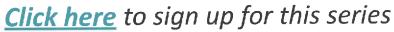
Virtual/Zoom

**April 16, 2024** April 30, 2024

See Below

SBC SELPA Office: 5385 Hollister Ave Building 7, Santa Barbara

LUSD District Office 1301 N. A St Lompoc SMB Souza Center: 708 Miller St. Santa Maria



Please sign up by October 30. Once the participant list is finalized, you will receive an email with additional information

<u>Click here</u> to access the Course Page for the first section of the training, UDL-AT Immersion.

Password: mindset

You will receive print Companion Guides prior to each segment of training (digital versions on course page).

**Questions? Please contact:** Lisa Foote, Ifoote@sbcselpa.org







# Santa Barbara County SELPA and the Diagnostic Center of Southern California Presents...

### "Teaching Students with Moderate to Severe Intellectual Disabilities"

Monday, December 4, 2023	Tuesday, December 5, 2023
2:30-4:30	2:30-4:30
Zoom, Recorded Watch Party	Zoom, Recorded Watch Party

<u>Audience:</u> Teachers, Instructional Assistants, and related service providers who work with students with moderate to severe intellectual disabilities. FREE Event!

<u>Content:</u> This training will focus on increasing active engagement for students with moderate to severe intellectual disabilities, by providing differentiated instruction, developmentally appropriate instructional and behavioral supports, and using effective, evidence-based teaching strategies.

### Participants will:

- 1. Review, practice identifying, and link appropriate behavioral and instructional strategies to developmental levels and symbolic vs. pre-symbolic communicators.
- 2. Develop curricular and instructional plans for their current caseload that emphasize differentiated instruction to increase active engagement in all students.
- 3. Learn about best practices for promoting generalization of skills.

Presenters: Jill Martinez, M.A., is an education specialist at the Diagnostic Center, Southern California. She earned her M.A. in Special Education from California State University, Los Angeles. Jill has been in the field of education for over 10 years and has worked as a paraeducator, special day class teacher, inclusion specialist, and program specialist. She has extensive experience in the areas of assessment, program and curriculum development, and positive behavior supports for students with moderate to severe disabilities across all grade levels including adult transition programs. Areas of particular interest include assessment and instruction of students who exhibit challenging behaviors and transdisciplinary assessment of students with multiple disabilities.

Margot Johnson, M.A., is an education specialist and assistant director at the Diagnostic Center, Southern California. Margot is a Board-Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA) and earned her M.A. in Special Education from Chapman University. She has extensive experience working with students of all ages who have moderate-to-severe disabilities in the public-school setting. Areas of expertise include curriculum, differentiated instruction, and instructional techniques for students with moderate-to-severe disabilities, programming for transition-age students, and positive behavioral interventions for students who exhibit significant behavioral challenges.

### Registration

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### Santa Barbara County SELPA and the Diagnostic Center of Southern California

### Presents..

### "Multisensory Math! Advanced Math Skills"

Thursday, December 7, 2023	Thursday, April 25, 2024
2:30-4:00 p.m.	2:30-4:00 p.m.
Zoom, Recorded Watch Party	Zoom, Recorded Watch Party

Audience: General education teachers, special education teachers, administrators, and paraeducators. FREE Event!

<u>Content:</u> During this webinar, participants will review the Piaget's developmental stages regarding mathematics and the importance of a multisensory approach. Participants will learn the components of multisensory instruction and how to apply them to advanced math instruction.

This webinar will review multisensory instruction in the following areas:

- Place Value Review
- Multi-digit Multiplication and Division
- Fractions (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)
- Integers (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)
- Simplify Expressions
- Equations

Participants will walk away with knowledge on who will benefit from multisensory instruction and step-by-step instructions on how to implement multisensory instructional strategies when teaching mathematics.

<u>Materials:</u> Participants are encouraged to print and cut the base ten blocks, double sided circles, double sided squares, and algebra tiles (provided in the handout packet), in color, to participate and practice in the training.

### Participants will:

- 1. Become familiar with Piaget Stages of Development and how the stages support math development
- 2. Review multisensory instruction and how it supports students.
- 3. Learn how to use multisensory math instruction to build students understanding of basic math facts.

Presenter: Heather Barakat is an education specialist at the Diagnostic Center, Southern California. She holds an Ed.D. in Education with a concentration in Special Education from Northcentral University and a M.A. in Special Education from Point Loma Nazarene University. She also holds three credentials: Special Education (Mild/Moderate), Multiple Subjects, and Reading. Heather has been in the field of education for over 10 years and has extensive experience working with students of all ages with mild-to-moderate disabilities in a variety of settings (e.g., public school, charter school, and non-public schools). Areas of expertise include assessment, autism, program and curriculum development and differentiating instruction for all learners. Heather has been a member of National Association of Special Education Teachers (NASET) for several years.

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### Santa Barbara County SELPA and the Diagnostic Center of Southern California Presents...

### "Mindfulness Practice: The Educator's Guide to Help Students Practice Mindfulness"

Thursday, December 14, 2023	Tuesday, April 9, 2024
3:30-4:30	2:30-3:30
Zoom, Recorded Watch Party	Zoom, Recorded Watch Party

<u>Audience:</u> Special education teachers, school psychologists, administrators, LCSWs, LMFTs, LPCCs, clinical psychologists, ERMHS staff or school counselors specifically designated to work with special needs students and students with mental health concerns. FREE Event!

<u>Content:</u> There is a growing body of research that shows the effectiveness of mindfulness practices for children and adolescents to help regulate their emotions and develop positive coping strategies. Mindfulness practices are also considered an effective intervention to develop empathy and decrease anxiety and aggressive behaviors.

### Participants will:

- 1. Learn the meaning, history, and reasons behind implementing mindfulness.
- 2. Learn the impact of mindfulness and how it improves different aspects of individuals.
- 3. Learn the importance of teaching children about mindfulness.
- 4. Learn about several considerations when implementing mindfulness.
- 5. Learn some examples of mindfulness practices and several resources to explore more options.

<u>Presenter:</u> Mojgan Moshtael is a licensed clinical psychologist at the Diagnostic Center, Southern California. She specializes in the assessment and treatment of children and adolescents. Her passion is providing assessment, treatment and support to students and families with emotional/behavioral challenges related to ADHD, Autism, Learning Disorders, and other mental health disorders. She received her doctorate degree in clinical psychology from Alliant International University. Mojgan has provided psychological services in a variety of settings including schools, behavioral clinics, treatment programs, and hospitals for over 15 years.

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