

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK!

“Nothing is impossible *the word itself* says  
***I’M POSSIBLE.***”

— Audrey Hepburn



## Reminders!



**SAFETY DRILLS:** Escuela Popular Safety Plan has expectations for students and staff to follow during an emergency, it is in place to reduce risks or prevent, prepare for, respond to, and recover from emergency. As a student of EP, you **MUST** participate and follow the procedures in place. The “drop, cover and hold on” procedure is what we follow at Escuela Popular. The State and local emergency plans have adopted the “drop, cover and hold on” and we do too. Research has shown that it is the safest procedure, a study of the 1994 Northridge quake in Los Angeles found that 80 percent of injuries happened to those who didn’t drop, cover and hold. That’s why emergency services are sticking with the message. As we prepare for the earthquake drill, please continue to practice with your class the “drop, cover, and hold on”, and **EVERYONE** must participate. Please speak to the Principals for any comments and/or questions.

## Events:

### Diagnosticos Migratorios Gratuitos!

**Tuesday, October 10**

*Location:* **San Jose**—El Consulado Mexicano

**Saturday, October 14**

*Location:* **Watsonville**—El Consulado Mexicano

The Mexican Consulate is sponsoring free legal immigration services. Please take advantage of this service!! Call to make your appointment! For more information on the locations please call the phone number provided below.

To make an **appointment** call (408) 294-3414. Extension: 126, 124, 122, 121

# Youth & AM CTC

**Final Exams are this week!!** Students if you haven’t so, please come pick up a copy of the final exam schedule at the Main Office. **Study Hard and Good Luck on Finals!!**

# AM CTC Only!!



**Please respect library book due date!!** Be aware that the \$10 deposit is not a purchase of a book, but rather an incentive to return the book when is due.



### 2017-2018 QUARTER 1 FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE CTC AND AFLC

We have two minimum days, school is over at 12:45pm. The final exam schedule is the same for both the youth and adult program. There are regular 2nd period classes on the first two days to provide additional time for the math modules.

Tuesday, October 10th, 2017	Wednesday, October 11th, 2017 (minimum day)	Thursday, October 12th, 2017 (minimum day)
1st Period Final 8:00 – 9:40am	Regular 2nd Period 8:00 – 8:50am	6th Period Final 8:00 – 10:10am
BRUNCH 9:40-9:55am		
Regular 2nd Period 10:00-10:45am	3rd Period Final 8:55 – 10:30am	
4th Period Final 10:50 am - 12:40 pm	BRUNCH 10:30 - 10:50am	BRUNCH 10:10 - 10:40am
LUNCH 12:40 – 1:20pm	5th Period Final 10:55am - 12:45pm	2nd Period Final 10:45am - 12:45pm
7th Period Final 1:25 – 3:00pm		

**“Convivios” organized by teachers or students need to be approved by principal.**

Teachers/Students need to complete the “CTC Convivio Approval Form” two days in advance. The form is available in the main office or with Principal Cortes.



### Ways to De-Stress During Finals Week!

- Deep , slow Breathing
- Go for a walk
- Smile
- Dance it out
- Ask for a hug
- Clean your environment
- Talk about it
- Stretch
- Meditate
- Doodle or draw
- Cook a new dish
- Go to bed earlier

# Student Clubs!

## Join the EP Challenge Club!

We will be walking/running at the Alum Rock Park every **Friday**. (Note that on Friday, Oct 13—No meeting)

**Time: 3:30pm — 5:30pm**

Contact Maestro Nigel, Maestro Sergio, or Maestra Olivia for more information.



## Join EP Recycling Club!

Meeting every **Wednesday** in room 204.

**Time : 1:20pm**



## Christmas Toy 'N Joy!



Sign up to receive **free** Christmas toys and gifts for your children or invite your parents, guardians, family members or friends that have children of ages 0 to 12 years old to sign up to receive Christmas gifts. Parents will select toys and gifts for their children inside the Toy N Joy “store” with the help of shopping escorts. You would also receive a Holiday Food Box with either a frozen turkey or chicken.

**Who Qualifies?** Low income families with children of ages 0 to 12 years old. Families **MUST** live in one of the following zip codes: 95013, 95035, 95111, 95112, 95116, 95119, 95120, 95121, 95122, 95123, 95127, 95131, 95132, 95133, 95134, 95135, 95137, 95138, 95139, 95141, 95148, 95192, 95193

**When:** Tuesday to Thursday from 8am—11:30am & 1pm-2:30pm. Friday ONLY from 8am-12pm. *Christmas applications will begin on October 3 and end on December 8. First come, first served. Applications are limited*

**Where:** The Salvation Army, Family Services Room #202, 359 N. 4th street, San Jose, CA 95112.



**What to bring:** ID of all adults in the home, current proof of income, proof of address, Birth certificates of your children (or proof of guardianship).

## A Reflection by Patricia Requerin, Executive Director

*“Maestra Lidia Requerin and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. had many beliefs in common, one of them is nicely articulated below. The impetus for Escuela Popular, at that time Universidad Popular, was the 1986 immigration amnesty program known as IRCA. My mother strongly believed that all and any immigration legislation must be rooted in love, empathy and humanity. And even though we would get less than that, WE the people have the capacity to love our neighbors, treat each other with respect, and coexist together without fear and ignorance. Escuela Popular for 31 years has withstood the different White House administrations and their attempts to reach a just and humane immigration system.*

*The new DACA decision does not alter in any way Escuela Popular’s commitment to continue to create a space for immigrant families regardless of a status placed on them to thrive. Why? Because it is the right action to take. In honor of the many people before us who dedicated themselves to creating a just and beautiful world, the Escuela Popular community stands firm in our belief that No Human Being is Illegal. We stand together to be the change we want to see .”*

- Patricia Requerin



## Construction Updates!!

We have had occasionally shut off the water to certain areas of the school campus recently. We apologize for any inconvenience. We have asked the campus supervisors to post signs on bathroom doors when they are not available and indicate where the nearest available working bathrooms are located.

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**KEEP CALM  
SPIRIT WEEK IS  
COMING  
SOON!!!**



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