

MT. SAN JACINTO COLLEGE CONTINUING EDUCATION

Menifee Valley Campus
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COURSE NAME	MULTI-LEVEL ESL 2 – SECTION 8720 8790
SCHEDULE	Monday, Wednesday – Room 1011 Friday – Room 974 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
DATES	August 14, 2017 – December 15, 2017 Note: Enrollment will open again 10/09 – 10/20
INSTRUCTOR	Mrs. Michelle Jimenez
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HOLIDAYS	September 4: Labor Day November 10: In observance of Veterans Day November 22- 24: Thanksgiving Holiday
CLASS OBJECTIVES	This course is designed for students with a desire to improve their English. Emphasis is on developing fluency and familiarity with reading, writing, speaking, and listening.
DISABILITIES & SPECIAL NEEDS	Mt. San Jacinto College abides by the American with Disabilities Act and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 that prohibits federal and state agencies or programs from discriminating against qualified individuals with disabilities. If you have special needs or concerns, please let me or the main office know. These concerns might include, but are not limited to learning disabilities; sight or hearing problems; dyslexia. Personal issues should be directed to instructor or Continuing Education office.
GRADES & TESTS	This class is offered for your own learning enrichment. You will not receive a grade for this class. There are 3 mandatory CASAS reading tests and 2 EL Civics projects each semester. CASAS Reading Test 1: Friday, August 25, 2017 EL Civics Project 1: week of October 2-6, 2017 CASAS Reading Test 2: Friday, October 20, 2017 EL Civics Project 2: TBD CASAS Reading Test 3: Friday, December 8, 2017

TEXTBOOKS

Textbooks will be provided for class use only by the Continuing Education Department. It is not necessary to buy the textbooks. Please do not write in them; they are shared with other classes.

CURRICULUM

We will cover the following themes this semester:
Culture & Community Advocacy

CLASS GUIDELINES

Respect the values, beliefs, and rights of others. Everyone is here to learn! Let's make this a positive, safe, and judgment-free classroom.

Speak only English in class. This includes our breaks! We only get 3 hours each class, so let's use that time wisely. If you want to speak another language, please go outside. In order to fully immerse yourself, please speak English only in our classroom.

Please put your phone on vibrate or silent mode before entering the class. I understand that we all have responsibilities (children, family, emergencies, etc.), so if you must answer your phone, leave the room and re-enter quietly. Please do not text-message during class – please have respect for me and your classmates.

Your participation and attendance is crucial for your success! Participation will engage your brain to remember more. The more time you spend in class, the better – even if you're late, or can only come only 2 hours each class meeting. Each time you come to class, you get the chance to learn and practice more English! **You will be dropped from the class if you have more than 3 consecutive unexcused absences** during the first or the second quarter. Please contact me to explain your absence.

Please come to class prepared – with your ISN (Interactive Student Notebook), a pencil, pen, paper, *and* an open mind!

MSJC and all of its satellite campuses are tobacco-free zones.

PERSONAL NOTE

I am dedicated to making your education a success! Teaching has and always will be my passion! I will work hard to keep our classes informative and intriguing. *“You only get out what you put into it.”* I will always give 100% in every class, and I ask you to do the same for me. Please contact me anytime with any questions or concerns through calling, texting, or email - I am always available! I am here to help you achieve your goals!