**Important Dates**

**January 2015**

Now Accepting Applications for New Students for the Summer of 2015

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**Study Hall**

**Spring 2015**

Begins:

- Blair HS – January 20, 2015
- Pasadena HS – January 20, 2015
- Garfield HS – January 27, 2015

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**College Visit**

**Azusa Pacific University**

January 24, 2015

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**Financial Aid**

**FAFSA & CAL Grant**

January 1 – March 2, 2015

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**Saturday Academy**

**Spring 2015**

January 31 – March 21, 2015

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**Spring Retreat, Pasadena**

March 15 – March 20, 2015

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**Spring Retreat, Los Angeles**

March 29 – April 3, 2015

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**College Awareness Day**

April 30, 2015

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**Highlights**

**TRIO Upward Bound & Upward Bound Math/Science Programs**

**Fall Saturday Academy: Visiting USC**

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**December 6, 2014**

CSULA TRIO Students visited the University of Southern California (USC). An admission presentation was conducted by Josue Campos, a USC Representative.

USC Student Organizations welcomed us with a campus tour and a student panel.
Announcements

Cal State L.A. TRIO Upward Bound & Upward Bound Math/Science Programs

⇒ Class of 2015: Congratulations on submitting your college applications.

Schedule a FAFSA Appointment with your Academic Advisor to assist you with the FAFSA application

Scholarship Resources:

◊ Gates Millennium Scholarships (major) www.gmsp.org/
◊ William Randolph Hearst Endowed Scholarship for Minority Students http://www.apsanet.org/PS/grants/aspen3.cfm
◊ Black Alliance for Educational Options Scholarships http://www.baeo.org
◊ GE and LULAC Scholarship Funds http://www.lulac.org/Programs/Scholar.html
◊ Actuarial Scholarships for Minority Students http://www.beanactuary.org/hs/scholarships.cfm
◊ Hispanic Scholarship Fund http://www.hsf.net/
◊ Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund www.maldef.org

⇒ Class of 2016: Time to register for Spring Exams.

SAT Reasoning: (SAT I)

□ ____________ (11th grade)

SAT Subject: (SAT II)

3 Subjects

□ ____________ (11th grade)

ACT:

□ ____________ (11th grade)

□ ____________ (11th grade)

⇒ Freshmen and Sophomores, it was a success visiting USC and the California Science Center.

Get Ready for the next college visit on January 24, 2015 to Azusa Pacific University.
TRIO Students visiting Shane’s Inspiration located in Griffith Park, in the city of Los Angeles.

Shane’s Inspiration created the first Universally Accessible Playground in the Western United States and the largest in the nation “Shane’s Inspiration” provides two acres of fully accessible, sensory-rich and physically challenging equipment. The playground gives children with disabilities and children without the opportunity to play with and learn from each other, thus increasing awareness and acceptance (www.shanesinspiration.org).

Under the instruction and guidance of Professor Artin Davidian, 15 students from Pasadena & Los Angeles, were given the opportunity to observe the playground for its design, accessibility, materials used to build, educational devices used on the playground, the slope of the ramps, which give the initial access to the activities, and take measurements and analyze their finding.

In addition with a 5 minute hike from the Shane’s Inspiration playground, the students had an opportunity to be exposed to a bit of LA’s history, the students learned and observed the former location of the Los Angeles ZOO. The visit was a blast! This visit is part of the Introduction to Engineering & Technology coursework.” Artin Mejy Davidian, Assit. Professor, Engineering & Technologies Dept. STEM Coordinator East Los Angeles College

Bottom Picture
Left to Right: Carlo Navata, Miguel Banuelos, Stephen Sills, Ramon Chaves, Jason Salvador, Juan Vaca, Karen Ramos, Betzy Salgado, Jaime Perterson.
Back Row: Professor Artin Davidian, Daniel Cobian, Marissa Vance, Vanessa Luna, and Anthony Valdez

Gesture represents a “WINNER”
# Saturday Academy

## Academic Year 2014 - 2015

### Spring 2014

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