

Welcome!

Service Learning & Volunteer Program



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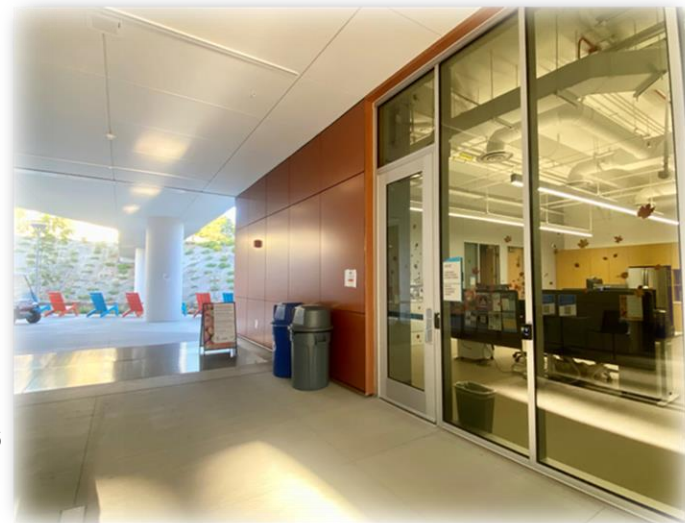
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Service Learning

- Service Learning is connected to a course
- Experiential learning links class instruction with community service
- Service Learning highlights critical thinking, reflection



More About Service Learning

- Instructor assigns: due dates, points, hours, reflection, and grades
- Mandatory or Optional - professor determines
- Individual or Group Project - professor determines
- Serve at community partner organization or service project
- Reflection Essay, journal entry, discussion



Benefits of Service Learning

Students who participate in service learning:

- Have a deeper understanding of course content
- Higher retention rates, GPA
- Grow understanding of diverse cultures, cultural humility, cultural capital
- Have exposure to social issues, root causes
- Greater sense of civic responsibility



Benefits of Service Learning Continued

Students who participate in service learning:

- Increase networking opportunities
- Explore career path or interests
- Develop leadership and communication skills
- May apply these experiences to resume, interviews, scholarships, transfer applications
- Earn a Certificate of Participation for completing 15 hours, one class



Volunteer Program

- The Volunteer Program does not require students to be enrolled in a class that offers service learning!
- Students may use our volunteer booklet to document their hours, found on “Student Forms” webpage or in office
- **What hours count?** Any hours in which students are providing a service to the community
- Any student can participate in this program and earn two certificates:
 - **MiraCosta Volunteer Service Award:** requires 50 documented hours of volunteer service in any non-profit organization or public school within one year
 - **MiraCosta Presidential Volunteer Service Award:** requires at least 100 hours of volunteer service at any non-profit organization or public school within one year
 - Service learning hours (course-connected) do not count towards volunteer service awards

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Upcoming Events



Cesar Chavez Day of Service

Cross Cultural Solidarity in Action

Friday, April 11
11am - 4pm
CSUSM Ballroom

- Free lunch, t-shirts
- Free parking for Palomar & MCC volunteers
- Transportation to service projects (from CSUSM)



Register: tinyurl.com/ChavezRegCSUSM

20th Annual MiraCosta College

STREAM

SCIENCE > TECHNOLOGY > READING > ENGINEERING > ARTS > MATH

FESTIVAL

The STREAM Festival, 12-3pm, is hosted alongside the Festival de Música, 12-5pm. The Festival de Música seeks to promote education, culture, & community.

A FREE family event for PreK-8th grade students and their loved ones to enjoy engaging, hands-on STREAM activities!



Event Details



Sunday, May 4th
12pm-3pm
1 Barnard Drive,
Oceanside, CA 92056

- Hands-on activity booths led by students, faculty, and staff
- Learn about college and community resources & services
- Swap and freebies



Register Here:

<https://tinyurl.com/streamfestreg>



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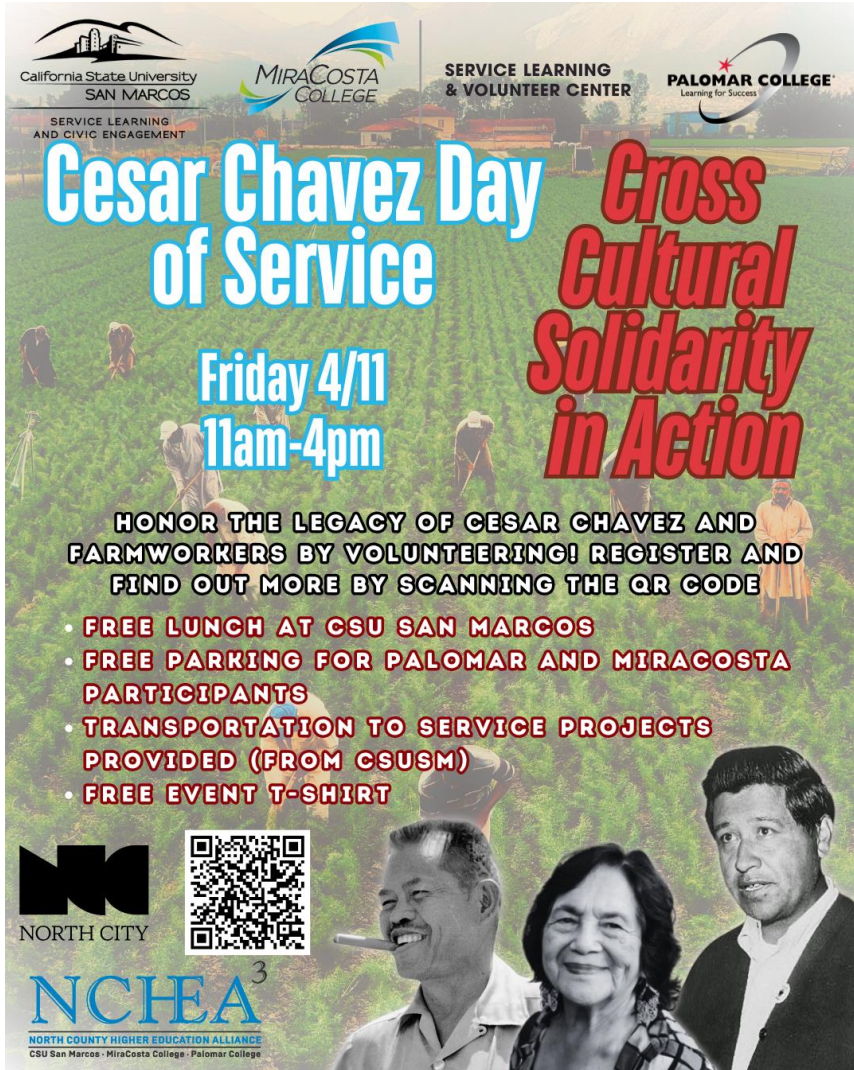


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Questions?



The poster features logos for California State University San Marcos, MiraCosta College, and Palomar College, along with the Service Learning and Volunteer Center. The background shows a field of green plants with workers. At the bottom, there are portraits of Cesar Chavez, Dolores Huerta, and a man with a mustache.

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Cross Cultural Solidarity in Action

HONOR THE LEGACY OF CESAR CHAVEZ AND
FARMWORKERS BY VOLUNTEERING! REGISTER AND
FIND OUT MORE BY SCANNING THE QR CODE

- FREE LUNCH AT CSU SAN MARCOS
- FREE PARKING FOR PALOMAR AND MIRACOSTA PARTICIPANTS
- TRANSPORTATION TO SERVICE PROJECTS PROVIDED (FROM CSUSM)
- FREE EVENT T-SHIRT

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