To: Superintendents of Schools  
Connecticut High Schools  
Principals, Guidance Department Chairs

From: Kathy Randall, Grants Coordinator

Re: CREC Summer Institutes, 2015

Date: March 2015

We are very happy to enclose copies of brochures for our interdistrict residential programs. These programs, for current sophomores and juniors, are:

► At the University of Saint Joseph (USJ), West Hartford
   - Institute for Science and Mathematics
     - Health and Medical Science
     - Biotechnology
   - Institute for Politics and Psychology
     - Introductory Psychology
     - Politics and Your Life

   July 6 – July 30, 2015

Student participants live on campus from Sunday night through Thursday afternoon. (For the summer of 2015, we are starting on Monday, July 6 because of the Holiday weekend.) They attend academically challenging classes during the day and spend their evenings in study, enrichment, recreational and/or challenging activities. Students who successfully complete the USJ institutes receive 3 college credits from USJ. There is a tuition fee of $250 and an activity fee of $50 for each University of Saint Joseph Institute. Scholarships are awarded to students upon submission of their 2014-2015 Free and Reduced Lunch forms, signed and documented by school personnel.

Go to CREC's website at www.crec.org/summerinstitutes/ to download Application and Recommendation forms or to apply on-line. Students must also submit high school transcripts and an essay as noted on the application. All materials for USJ programs are due May 8, 2015 at the Interdistrict Grants Office at CREC, 111 Charter Oak Avenue, Hartford. Only completed applications will be considered. Applications received after the deadline will be considered if space is available and funding is available. Please distribute these brochures to students you feel are capable of rigorous academic programming and who are mature enough to benefit from the rich resources available on a college campus. Additional brochures are available in our office.

We hope you can help us reach students desiring a rich and challenging summer program. We appreciate your help. Please note that the decisions of the selection committees are final.

Thank you for your help. Please call if we can be of any help to you or your students.

*Connecting People and Resources for Quality Education*
An Early College Experience
2015 Summer Institutes for High School Juniors and Seniors

COSTS*
- $250 program fee (waived for students in the free and reduced lunch program)
- $50 registration fee
*These programs are subsidized by the Connecticut State Department of Education.

APPLICATION PROCESS
1. Apply online or download application and recommendation forms at: www.crec.org/summerinstitutes
2. Put together materials for the application packet: These include:
   a. Completed and signed application form
   b. High school transcript
   c. Two completed recommendation forms
   d. Essay (see instructions on application) e. Free lunch form (if applicable) signed by school personnel
3. Mail completed application packet by May 8, 2015 to: Kathy Randell, Capital Region Education Council 111 Charter Oak Avenue Hartford, CT 06106

Note: Applications received after May 8, 2015 will be considered on a space-available basis and funding appropriation.

FOR MORE INFORMATION contact the CCREC Office of Interdistrict Grants at 860.524.4012 or interdistrictgrants@crec.org.

Sample Daily Schedule
Sunday
6-8 p.m. Student check-in?
9-11 p.m. Homework, social time, or other programs
11 p.m. Students in residence hall room Lights out
12 a.m.

Monday - Wednesday?
8-8:45 a.m. Breakfast?
9-12:30 p.m. Class?
12:40-1:20 p.m. Lunch?
1:30-3:45 p.m. Class?
3:45-5:15 p.m. Homework, computer lab
5:30-6:30 p.m. Dinner?
7-11 p.m. Students in residence hall room Lights out
11 p.m. 12 a.m.

Thursday
7:30-8:30 a.m. Breakfast?
9-12:30 p.m. Class?
12:40-1:20 p.m. Lunch?
1:30-3:45 p.m. Class?
3:45-5:15 p.m. Exercise activity
5:30-6:30 p.m. Dinner?
7-11 p.m. Students in residence hall room Lights out
11 p.m. 12 a.m.

Students are expected to be thoughtful, respectful, and active participants in program activities.
Residential Life for High School Juniors and Seniors

CREC/University of Saint Joseph 2015 Summer Institutes

CO-ED EARLY COLLEGE EXPERIENCE FOR HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS AND SENIORS

- Athletics
- Classroom and laboratory experiences
- Digital citizenship
- Introductory psychology
- Leadership, communication and public speaking
- Literature and language
- Problem solving and critical thinking
- Project-based learning
- Science and technology
- Social justice
- The arts

INTRODUCTORY PSYCHOLOGY

Students explore the major biological, cognitive, and socio-cultural systems that underlie human behavior and develop a broad understanding of psychological science. Students receive hands-on experience in research,complete original research, and become familiar with the scientific method. Students also participate in local community service projects.

BIOLOGY

Students explore the mysteries behind the science of life and learn to think like a scientist. They gain a basic understanding of the fundamental concepts of biology, and develop critical thinking skills through hands-on laboratory experiments.

HEALTH AND MEDICAL SCIENCE

Students explore the mysteries behind the science of life and learn to think like a scientist. They gain a basic understanding of the fundamental concepts of biology, and develop critical thinking skills through hands-on laboratory experiments.
"I have a student..."

A Quick Reference Guide
EASTCONN Programs and Services for PreK-12 Students

www.eastconn.org
Spring 2015
Dear Educator,

We've called this booklet "I have a student..." because your calls to us frequently begin with the phrase, "I have a student..." Together, we assess their unique or pressing challenges and explore best options for addressing them. "I have a student..." to simplify the process of finding an EASTCONN expert or program that can help. We encourage you to use this guide point when seeking assistance for individual students. Then, give us a call. A simple conversation can lead to a whole range including access to special programming, customized solutions, professional development and/or consultation. No matter student needs, EASTCONN is poised to help. (See our Continuum of Services chart on pages 2 and 3.)

EASTCONN also offers a broad range of additional programs and services (not listed here) for educators, administrators and adult learners in our region. Learn more at www.eastconn.org, or call our Marketing and Communications Department 455-0707, and request a Programs & Services brochure.

EASTCONN is proud to offer you its 17th edition of "I have a student..."

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Locations

- Administrative Offices & Conference Center
  376 Hartford Turnpike, Hampton, CT 06247, 860-455-0707
  Administrative Offices Fax: 860-455-8026;
  Conference Office Fax: 860-455-0689

- Capitol Theater (ACT & CTA)
  896 Main Street, Willimantic, CT 06226
  860-465-5636; Fax: 860-465-8115

- Clinical Day Treatment Program Sites
  * Educational and Vocational Center, Columbia
  * Northeast Regional Program, Putnam
  * Southeast Regional Program, Plainfield
  860-228-4317; Fax: 860-228-1147

- Community Learning Center
  Windham Mills, 322 Main St., Bldg. 1., Willimantic, CT 06226
  860-423-2591; Fax: 860-450-0853

- Educational Services, Commerce Drive
  (Autism, Assistive Technology, Related Services)
  10 Commerce Drive, Columbia, CT 06237
  860-228-3240; Fax: 860-228-3206

- Early Head Start and Head Start Administr
  376 Hartford Turnpike, Hampton, CT 06247
  860-455-1532; Fax: 860-455-0691

- Northeast Learning Center
  111 Connecticut Mills Ave., Danielson, CT 06239
  860-779-3770; Fax: 860-779-3384

- Quinebaug Middle College (QMC) at QVC
  742 Upper Maple St., Danielson, CT 06239
  860-412-7400; Fax: 860-412-7388

- Transportation
  109 Route 6, Columbia, CT 06237
  860-228-6751; Fax: 860-228-6756

- Woodstock Academy
  57 Academy Rd., Woodstock, CT 06281
  860-928-1132; Fax: 860-963-4931

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**MISSION:** EASTCONN will initiate, support and facilitate partnerships, collaborations and regional solutions that are responsive to the needs of all learners through exemplary programs, products and services.

It is the policy of EASTCONN that no person shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be discriminated against a program because of race, color, religion, gender, age, sexual orientation, marital status, national origin, genetic information, gender identity or status, disability or any other classification protected by state or federal law.
# A Continuum of Services for Students of All Ages

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Assistive Technology (AT) Consortium

The Consortium is the result of continued collaboration efforts between EASTCONN and the Tech Act Project. Consortium membership provides districts with customized and flexible support services to meet the needs of students and staff. Consortium members can access an expanded library of AT tools for use in professional development, student assessment and trial use within their schools. Consortium membership includes priority scheduling and participation in Consortium training. Contact Carol Magliocco, 860-228-3483 or Amy Norton, 860-228-3486

Assistive Technology (AT) Demonstration Center & Lending Library

AT Consortium members can try devices from the Lending Library, enabling staff to be informed about new devices and use new tools on a trial basis with students in their customary learning environments. Housed at EASTCONN's Commerce Drive facility in Columbia, our expanded AT Lending Library contains devices in the following major categories: Communication Devices, Tools for Computing Technologies for Access to Print, Writing and Organizational Tools, Low-Vision Technologies, Toys and Environmental Control Devices. Contact Carol Magliocco, 860-228-3483 or Amy Norton, 860-228-3486

Assistive Technology (AT) Student Assessment

EASTCONN's AT specialists are available to assess your students' needs and identify potential augmentative and alternative communication (AAC) solutions, from low- to high-tech, to provide support, improve the general curriculum and support their independence in learning outcomes. Assessment is on-site and includes review of the EASTCONN Student Intake Guide, review of relevant education records, consultation with the student’s educational team, potential AT solutions and a final assessment report. Contact Carol Magliocco, 860-228-3483 or Amy Norton, 860-228-3486

Assistive Technology (AT) Training

AT and augmentative and alternative communication (AAC) solutions are constantly changing in the world of online applications, portable electronics and wireless access continues to make devices commonly used and affordable. Staying current has become increasingly difficult. EASTCONN specialists have established partnerships with a number of AT manufacturers and distributors to ensure the most up-to-date information can be shared. Districts can participate in an EASTCONN workshop or arrange for a customized AT training to meet the needs of district staff. Contact Carol Magliocco, 860-228-3483 or Amy Norton, 860-228-3486

Augmentative & Alternative Communication (AAC) Services

EASTCONN's AT team can provide a range of services for students with communication needs, including evaluation of appropriate communication solutions from low- to high-tech; assistance with documentation for funding; training regarding implementation of communication technology devices and programming; and use and integration into educational programs. Contact Carol Magliocco, 860-228-3483 or Amy Norton, 860-228-3486
Clinical Day Treatment Programs
Grades K-12
Offered at three different, conveniently located sites across northeastern Connecticut, the well-respected Clinical Day Treatment Program is designed for K-12 students who struggle with behavior. The program is structured, supportive, and therapeutic environment in order to achieve academic and behavioral goals. The main goal of this program is to help students acquire the academic, social, emotional, and adaptive skills necessary to successfully return to their local public schools, or a less restrictive setting. The dedicated, caring staff offer individualized instruction with a multi-modality approach to learning. Four core components are at the heart of this program: educational services, vocational services, and family/community involvement.
Contact Heather Cymbala, 860-634-7429

Clinical Day Treatment Extended-School-Year Program
Grades K-12
For students who require extended school-year services through their IEP, this comprehensive individualized summer school program helps participants maintain basic academic skills and develop effective social skills through small-group activities and community-based experiences.
Contact Heather Cymbala, 860-634-7429
Autism Spectrum Disorders & Other Developmental Disabilities

Grades PreK-8

This program provides a highly structured, intensive and individualized classroom experience for children in grades PreK-8 with autism spectrum disorders and other developmental disabilities. Students are supported by a multidisciplinary team, which includes Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBA), occupational therapists, speech-language pathologists, physical therapists and assistive technology specialists. Parental/guardian involvement is a key component of the program. Extended school-year services are available. Individual student diagnostic evaluations and school-based consultation services are also provided.

Located at Educational Services, Columbia, CT
Contact Heather Cymbala, 860-634-7429

Regional Transition Services

Grades 12+, Ages 18-21

Young adult students with disabilities, ages 18-21, receive a continuum of transition services through this program. Students prepare for adult responsibilities as they become more proficient in the activities of daily living and develop community, vocational/career and/or college-readiness skills.

Located at Quinnipiac Valley Community College (QVCC), Danielson, CT
Contact Denise Resonina, 860-932-4193 or 860-634-3238 (cell)

Woodstock Academy Cooperative Program

Grades 9-12, Ages 14-18

This collaborative program between Woodstock Academy and EASTCONN provides services for high-school-age students (grades 9-12) with intellectual/developmental disabilities. EASTCONN special education personnel and Woodstock Academy educators work together with LEAs, individual students and their families to facilitate growth in identified educational areas and transition planning.

Located at Woodstock Academy, Woodstock, CT
Contact Denise Resonina, 860-932-4193 or 860-634-3238 (cell)
- **Adult Education**
  EASTCONN offers the following programs and services, officially withdrawn from high school:
  - Adult High School Credit Diploma Program, the
  - Basic Skills
  - Employment and Training (Suzanne Cimoyik)
  - Services for Out-of-School Youth
  - Citizenship Exam Preparation
  Contact **Phyllis Bonneau**, 860-455-1593 (Danielson)

- **Birth-to-Three Program**
  Early intervention services are provided in the home for children identified with developmental delays, and their families, in collaboration with early-intervention providers.
  Contact **Maribeth Stearns**, 860-455-1557

- **Early Childhood Parent Education/Pari**
  Workshops on a range of topics are available to support families in improving their knowledge of children's growth and development. Early childhood specialists are available.
  Contact **Elizabeth Aschenbrenner**, 860-455-1518

- **English-as-a-Second-Language (ESL)**
  Our Adult Education-certified instructors provide free classes for students who are 17 and older. Beginner-to-intermediate-level classes are offered at convenient locations throughout New England.
  Contact **Phyllis Bonneau**, 860-455-1593 or **Kristin F**

- **English-as-a-Second-Language (ESL)**
  EASTCONN Adult Programs partners with Head Start, Windham families. Families in need of English-as-a-Second-Language classes are targeted for this program.
  Contact **Kristin Hempel**, 860-423-2591

- **Head Start / Early Head Start**
  EASTCONN administers Head Start, a comprehensive preschool-age children and their families in Windham; early childhood classes are available in Killingly, Plainfield, Putnam, Stafford, Vernon, combined with family connection time, is available for Stafford and Windham families. Stafford and Windham parents.
  Contact **Diane Gozembia**, 860-455-1532
- Quinebaug Middle College (QMC)
  Grades 9-12
The overarching theme of QMC is that of the middle college experience. Research indicate high school students who are ready to be more directly involved in and responsible for the development and management of their own learning, and who benefit from the integration of academic and real-world/authentic learning experiences, will thrive in a college environment they have greater autonomy and access to laboratory, career and vocational resources that are unavailable to them in the region's public high schools.
Located on the Quinebaug Valley Community College campus in Danielson,
Contact Gino LoRicco, 860-932-4118; Denise Resonina, 860-932-4193;
or Melissa Jacobs, 860-932-4101

- High School Completion
  Ages 17 and up; officially withdrawn from school
Adult Education offers three alternatives for completing a high school education. Our counselors help adults determine which program is the best option. Choose from among the GED, School Credit Diploma and the National External Diploma Program. Participants must be
Contact Phyllis Bonnae, 860-455-1593 (Danielson) or Kristin Hempel, 860-423-2591
ACT Arts Magnet High School
Grades 9-12
ACT (Arts at the Capitol Theater) is a full-day, comprehensive magnet located in the Capitol Theater in downtown Willimantic. It is integrated and standards-based with differentiated instruction for all students. Study with certified academic teachers and participate in a wide range of performing arts. Each grade is limited to about 35 students, providing a challenging and supportive learning environment for 150 students, grades 9-12.
Located in Willimantic, CT
Contact Tracy Goodell-Pelletier, 860-465-5636, Sara or Kim Noivadhana, 860-465-5636

Capitol Theater Arts Academy (CTAA)
Ages 4 and Up
Created for northeastern Connecticut residents and their families, CTAA classes explore dance, theater, music, and visual arts. Classes are offered in fall and spring sessions at the beautiful Aria Performing Arts Center in downtown Willimantic. CTAA also offers a suite of classes for ages 4-12 (see page 11).
Located in Willimantic, CT
Contact James Williams, 860-465-5636
**Occupational Therapy Services**

Our occupational therapists address all of your student needs related to fine motor skills, perceptual motor skills, adaptive skills and sensory processing. Our highly regarded professionals direct special education services, as well as consultation services, as a member of the educational planning team at the school to which they are assigned.

Contact Carol Magliocco, 860-228-3483

**Physical Therapy Services**

Physical therapists support the gross motor, sensorimotor and mobility needs of individual students. Specific student services include screening, evaluation, development and implementation of Individualized Education Plans (IEPs) and 504 plans, adaptive equipment services and evaluations. Consultation and training services focus on motor development, positioning and body mechanics.

Contact Carol Magliocco, 860-228-3483

**Psychological & Behavioral Consultation Services**

Psychological and Behavioral Consultation Services is committed to assessing, planning, and implementing intervention practices, using a data-based decision-making to provide a continuum of support for students, teachers, teams, programs and systems. Services include: Functional Behavior Assessment (FBA); psychoeducational assessment; ecological assessment; and diagnostic assessment. Services are delivered through a multi-tiered framework and areas of support include: School-Wide Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS), academic, behavioral and social emotional interventions; and autism programming. EASTCONN is staffed with licensed psychologists, Certified Behavioral Analysts (BCBAs), school psychologists, special education teachers and student interventionists. Services are delivered to districts and schools across eastern Connecticut.

Contact Ravit Stein, 860-228-3240

**Speech & Language Services**

Speech-language pathologists (SLPs) and speech-language pathology assistants (SLPAs) address full or partial caseloads and/or for individual students (including diagnostic evaluations, intervention, consultation and treatment). Speech-language pathologists are integral to school-wide Scientific Research-Based Intervention (SRBI) initiatives, providing universal screening, progress monitoring and intervention services across the tiers.

Contact Carol Magliocco, 860-228-3483
Transportation Services

With a fleet of 100-plus vehicles that include GPS tracking, day-to-day mini-van transportation and "yellow bus" style student travel to destinations ranging from local areas to long distances, as well as specialized carriers of both medically fragile riders, as well as contract efficiency and transportation to special events.

Contact John Vitale, 860-228-6751, Julio Nieves, 860-228-6750.
CTAA Summer Musical Theater Program
Grades 4-12
Students entering grades 4-12 explore musical theater in small groups through daily classes of movement, music, technical theater and costuming. They also participate in creative learning with our Connecticut-certified English teacher. Students participate in the fully staged professional Broadway-style musical experience, which culminates in a performance for friends and family. Children and their friends and explore a variety of theatrical skills, while they learn to sing, dance, sew, build, and much more.
Located in Willimantic, CT
Contact James Williams, 860-465-5636

COOL Directions and its Summer Component
Ages 14-21
The summer component is a continuation of the year-round, in-school youth program, COOL. The program provides youth with the opportunity to participate in paid, project-based learning opportunities, as well as building, ropes-course activities and/or work at individual sites. Youth must meet the Department of Labor guidelines to participate.
Located at multiple sites throughout eastern Connecticut
Contact Cyndi Wells, 860-455-1572

Clinical Day Treatment Extended-School-Year Program
Grades K-12
For students who require extended school-year services through their IEP, this comprehensive individualized summer school program helps participants maintain basic academic skills and effective social skills through small-group activities and community-based experiences.
Contact Heather Cymbala, 860-654-7429
Community Education
Non-credit, recreational, personal improvement and care community sites for learners of all ages. A selection of sites, including summer programs for youth, kindergartens through high school. Contact James Williams, 860-456-5636

Early Childhood Initiatives
EASTCONN provides consultation and training to help childhood programs. Services include: consultation training. Contact Elizabeth Aschenbrenner, 860-455-1518

Interdistrict School-Year Student Program
EASTCONN offers 24 state-funded programs that serve students in towns. Each grant program is designed to improve student understanding and appreciation of diversity. The grants areas and reflect the curriculum design found in Connecticut. Contact Nancy Vitale, 860-455-1522

Shared Staffing
EASTCONN can recruit, interview and hire qualified personnel that include paraprofessionals with specialized training, as support positions. Contact Steve Wapen, 860-455-1554

Scientific Research-Based Intervention
Preventing & Addressing Barriers to Learning
Districts receive training and technical assistance in improving achievement levels and reducing student achievement gaps in learning. EASTCONN can help you identify and address your students’ social, emotional and behavioral needs. Contact Scott Nierendorf, 860-455-1569

Teaching & Learning Services
EASTCONN specialists offer a broad range of expertise in standards, curriculum development, performance assessment, and timely, personalized support. Contact Scott Nierendorf, 860-455-1569 or Amy Drow

Technology Solutions
From on-site technology integration training to custom assessments, EASTCONN technology experts ensure the right tools and training for the effective use of technology. Contact Andrew DePalma, 860-455-1620
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