**College Connect's Monthly Newsletter** 

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#### A MESSAGE FROM DR. MORRISON

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Hello Everyone!

I'm so excited to welcome everyone back to a new Fall term!

Thanks to the many dedicated parents and staff College

Connect continues to thrive. This year we will be providing
support services on 6 college campuses. We will continue to
provide community, vocational and work-related support as
well. In addition, we're excited to welcome all the new incoming
students into our program! There is considerable energy among
our staff and administrative support team as we prepare to
launch the Fall term. We anticipate another excellent year with
many positive outcomes yet to be identified.

Welcome back!



BEST REGARDS,

DR. DAVID MORRISON

#### **UPCOMING OUTING:**



**AUGUST 25TH** 

12PM-3PM

**RSVP WITH YOUR FACILITATOR!** 

#### STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

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**About me**: I love traveling! Listening to music makes me happy! I am in the process of becoming the best version of myself.

Major: Hospitality Restaurant Management, AS Degree

**Short term goal:** My short term goal is to work as a receptionist at a hotel. I'd like to be able to assist guests upon arrival. I will be doing the best I can to make their stay enjoyable!

**Long term goal:** One of my long term goals is to work in another country like **MEXICO** City, that would be a great opportunity for me. It would help me move out of my comfort zone and be open to experiencing new things.

What does college connect mean to you? For me, College Connect means helping students to achieve their educational goals and to help them become more independent.

What was your favorite moment being in College Connect? My favorite moments in College Connect are when we go to outings such as the movie theater or doing something fun with my peers.

What was your greatest challenge as a student? How did you overcome it? Being a student is not a challenge. It is something to prepare in general and teaches us how to become more ambitious. Being a student prepares us for the future.











#### **TEAM SPOTLIGHT**













ABOUT ME: I started with College Connect approximately two weeks ago. I recently graduated last year from Cal State Northridge with a major in Theatre and a minor in Pop Culture. I previously worked as a freshmen peer coach for my last two years at CSUN. I do freelancing work as an actor and director! I love spending time with my dog, Luna!

WHAT ARE YOUR HOBBIES: I enjoy playing video games on my PlayStation and reading fantasy books. My favorite video game is The Last Of Us. I love baking during my free time and I recently baked a cheesecake for the first time!

FUN FACT: I am an identical twin! 📸



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MANY CITIES OFFER SPORTS LEAGUES
RANGING IN LEVELS OF COMPETITIVENESS
AND SKILL. FOR THOSE WHO ARENT
INTERESTED IN GROUP ATHLETICS, ART
CLASSES, CLUBS FOR PRACTICING A
SECOND LANGUAGE, BOOK CLUBS, AND
GAME NIGHTS ARE ALL CASUAL AND
FRIENDLY OPTIONS FOR CONNECTING
WITH COMMUNITY MEMBERS. BE SURE TO
CHECK OUT YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY
GARDEN!

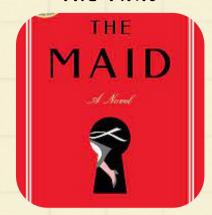


KEEP AN EYE ON NEWSPAPER AND NEWS
STATION ANNOUNCEMENTS. WHETHER ITS
A MUSIC AND ARTS FESTIVAL, A
PERFORMANCE BY YOUR LOCAL DANCE
TROUPE, OR A SPECIAL PRESENTATION
SUCH AS AN OUTDOOR MOVIE VIEWING,
GO!

## **COLLEGE CONNECT'S LIBRARY**

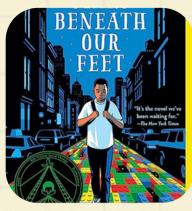


THE MAID



BY: NITA PROSE

BENEATH OUR FEET



BY: DAVID BARCLAY MOORE

ELEVEN



BY: TOM ROGERS

PEOPLE LIKE US



BY: DANA MELE

#### TALKING TO STRANGERS



STRANGERS
BY: MALCOLM GLADWELL

#### ONE OF US IS LYING



BY: KAREN MCMANUS

# [JULY SNAPSHOT]



**OUR COLLEGE CONNECT STUDENTS REAT** BY VISITING A LOCAL MOVIE THEATER TO WATCH "HAUNTED MANSION" MOVIE, EARLIER IN THE MONTH. STUDENTS VOTED AMONGST OTHER MOVIES TO WATCH INCLUDING "BARBIE" AND "MISSION IMPOSSIBLE" THE MOVIE THEATER IS A GREAT PLACE TO SEE HIGHLY ANTICIPATED MOVIES AND TO STAY COOL! WE HAD SO MUCH FUN TOGETHER AND WE CAN NOT WAIT TO BE BACK



#### **COLLEGE CONNECT PRESENTS:**

## **KEEPING UP WITH THE C.C. STUDENTS**

S1 EP1: SUMMERTIME







**APPLYING FOR JOBS** 



STUDYING FOR **DRIVERS PERMIT TEST** 



**GETTING READY FOR POST GRAD EDUCATION** 



**GETTING READY** TO MOVE OUT



**MAKING A LINKEDIN ACCOUNT** 



LEARNING HOW TO ANIMATE







**EPISODES** AUDIO & SUBTITLES NEXT EPISODE

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# College Connect Anniversary Issue!

College Connect wants to know your favorite meal is! Please submit to oa@collegeconnectsupport.com or to your student facilitator.

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