

# Conference Program

Session I: 8:30 - 9:20 a.m.		
Keynote Address: Playing with Possibilities in the 21st Century	Dr. Andrea Guillaume	Phillips Hall
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High School Classroom Management (HS)	Mr. Armon Akerboom	A-211
Let's Make it STEAM: Including the Arts in STEM through Learning Journals (A)	Dr. Andrea Guillaume	C-104
Preschool Pathway and Practice (A)	Mrs. Gwen Morgan-Beazell	C-213
Relevant Approaches for English Learners and the Bilingual Authorization (A)	Dr. Lisa Winstead	C-214
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Math and Science Teaching and Funding Opportunties (I/HS)	Ms. Tara Barnhart	A-211
Integrating Visual Arts for All Subjects (E)	Mrs. Ginger Geftakys	A-214
POSITIVE Classroom Management Strategies and Discipline Techniques: Balance Consequences with Care (A)	Ms. Alyson Hoberecht	C-104
Lunch & Educational Fair: 11:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.		
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Key: A=All Levels, P=Preschool, E=Elementary, I=Intermediate, HS=High School, SE=Special Education  
\* Repeat Workshops

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**Keynote Speaker: Dr. Andrea Guillaume**  
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Employment opportunities are tough. Learn how to make yourself more competitive and stand out so you get the job! Participants will discover how to pass the paper screening process with flying colors, learn the fine art of interviewing and gain knowledge on tips to land that first teaching position.

**Introduction to Special Education: Change the World! Be a Special Educator!**  
**Presenter: Mrs. Lori Sadler**  
This presentation will describe the various Special Education credentials (Mild to Moderate, Moderate to Severe, and Early Childhood Education), what opportunities are available in the special education field, basic application information for the program at CSUF, and the benefits of obtaining a special education credential.

**High School Classroom Management**  
**Presenter: Mr. Armon Akerboom**  
This workshop will address the theory and practice of managing the secondary classroom. We will also discuss the managerial benefits of the “Gradual Release of Responsibility”.

**Let’s Make it STEAM: Including the Arts in STEM through Learning Journals**  
**Presenter: Dr. Andrea Guillaume**  
Participants in this hands-on workshop will participate in exploring mathematics and science ideas through art. We’ll use high-success strategies that bring out the artist in every scientist and mathematician from 5 to 105.

**Preschool Pathways and Practice**  
**Presenter: Mrs. Gwen Morgan-Beazell**  
Discover the exciting world of working with young children 0-5 years old. Come learn how you can integrate your classes with practical experience. There are many new and exciting opportunities developing in the field of Early Childhood Education. Lead young children to cognitive, creative and social growth and development!

**Relevant Approaches for English Learners and the Bilingual Authorization**  
**Presenter: Dr. Lisa Winstead**  
This workshop addresses what you need to know to design comprehensible instruction for English learners. We will examine approaches that can be used to promote English Learner success in the classroom. Discussion ends with information about the Bilingual Authorization.

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**Fractions: The WHOLE Story**  
**Presenters: Mrs. Amy Edmundson & Dr. Rena Gibbs**  
Want to learn how to use manipulatives to build student understanding of equivalent fractions? Most instruction relating to the operations of fractions relies on the memorization of formulas and rules. Come discover the “why” behind rules such as invert and multiply. Learn to use the multiplication chart to find common denominators, equivalent fractions, and compare ratios.

**Social Support for Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders**  
**Presenter: Dr. Erica Howell**  
Autism spectrum disorders (ASD) is the fastest growing disability in the U.S. educational system. Come and learn a variety of free and easy ways to implement social interventions for students with ASD!

**Math and Science Teaching and Funding Opportunities**  
**Presenter: Ms. Tara Barnhart**  
There are still good job opportunities in the areas of teaching math and science. Come learn how you can prepare for a career as a math or science teacher. Credential requirements, program options, and funding opportunities including fellowships, grants, loans and scholarships will be discussed.

**Integrating Visual Arts for All Subjects**  
**Presenter: Mrs. Ginger Geftakys**  
Create a miniature nature masterpiece in silhouette! This workshop links science and visual art. You will learn basic drawing skills you can teach your students by drawing your own nature silhouette on watercolor background. The art piece is yours to keep so you can use your original artwork as a sample to show when teaching the process to your students.

**POSITIVE Classroom Management Strategies & Discipline Techniques: Balance Consequences with Care**  
**Presenter: Ms. Alyson Hoberecht**  
Students take on the characteristics of the teacher they are with each day! Through a high-energy, interactive method, you will be exposed to multiple positive classroom management strategies and discipline techniques. Come learn to effectively and consistently balance consequences with care within your classrooms and schools. Time management challenges will be addressed along with community-building ideas and teaching techniques that can be implemented throughout the school year.

**Session IV: 12:30 – 1:30 p.m.**

**Anti-Bullying 101**  
**Presenter: Mrs. Gail Watts**  
Every day in our schools, students are teased, threatened and tormented by bullies. Ignoring bullying creates a climate of fear, hostility and violence. Learn how to recognize different types of bullying and ways you can create a safer environment.

**Amazing Space! Free NASA Resources for Your Classroom**  
**Presenter: Ms. Sarah Marcotte**  
In this interactive session, participants will learn how to navigate a plethora of free NASA resources including videos, visualizations and hands on activities to help them teach any grade level about math, physics, aeronautics, the environment and more. We’ll do some activities that make learning about space fun!

**Hands-On with the Scientific Method**  
**Presenter: Mrs. Barbara Finnell**  
A hands-on approach to investigating the use of the Scientific Method. Come use chemicals to explain an event and figure out what variables change the end result. Through the experience we will refer to the Scientific Method and how you can make it meaningful and interesting in your classroom.

**The 21st Century Classroom: Meaningful Ways to Use Technology**  
**Presenter: Dr. Trudy Naman**  
Technology is an integral part of our everyday lives. Students today, more than ever, need the skills to explore real-world issues and solve authentic problems utilizing digital tools and resources. This workshop will look at how teachers can develop technology enriched learning environments.

**Jazzy Ideas for Teaching Writing!**  
**Presenter: Dr. Beth Schipper**  
Jazz up your writing program in a way that is motivating for students! Enhance your instruction with ideas that help you organize your writing program and make it less daunting to teach.

**POSITIVE Student Engagement Strategies & Teaching Techniques**  
**Presenter: Ms. Alyson Hoberecht**  
Talk, talk, talk! Through short video clips and high-energy interaction, you will be provided with tools to increase academic dialogue among students and teachers and to facilitate student’s self-selected learning groups. Teaching techniques will be presented to promote a safe classroom environment and increase student engagement and high level inquiry as well as balance high expectations with fun throughout the year. Come learn to empower your students to be active risk takers and positive self assessors in their own learning process.

**Undergraduate Preparation for Future K-12 Teachers**  
**Presenter: Ms. Caren Bautista**  
What are the necessary steps to enter into a multiple subject, single subject, or special education credential program? This session will focus on the teacher preparation pathway – the components necessary for success and the choices that lay ahead for all future teachers.

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**Presenter: Mrs. Teresa Garcia**  
Come and learn how to engage your students and make learning fun! Mrs. Teresa Garcia, a teacher with nineteen years of experience at the middle school level, can help you be an AWESOME teacher your FIRST year of teaching! Lots of ideas will be shared including a CD filled with tips, techniques and ideas that you will be able to use in your first year of teaching.

**Make Your Classroom Musical**  
**Presenter: Mrs. Kristine Quinn**  
Learn how to integrate music into the daily curriculum and routines to enhance learning, engage students, and add fun to your day! Participants will learn how to use music in a variety of ways to reach the California standards and enhance learning.

**Teachers Tell It All: New and Veteran Teachers Panel**  
**Panelists: Panel of Teachers**  
During this workshop, you will hear from new teachers who will share their classroom joys, challenges and the things they had wished they had known before their first day of teaching. Attendees will gain insight into the classroom and receive helpful information about the responsibilities and unexpected realities of teaching today.

**POSITIVELY Embed Student Writing into Mathematics**  
**Presenter: Ms. Alyson Hoberecht**  
Standards, essential questions, Cornell notes, questions formulated by students, summaries, reflections, grammar...and math! Ayyyy! Come experience how teachers and students can actually enjoy embedding writing into mathematics on a daily basis while still covering the standards and keeping up with the pace of teaching and learning.

**Preparing for the CBEST/CSET**  
**Presenter: Ms. Caren Bautista**  
You want to be a teacher...but first you have to show what you know. The CBEST tests your skills in the areas of reading, writing and math. The CSET tests your subject matter knowledge in preparation for a multiple or single subject credential. An overview of test taking strategies and test information will be presented.

**Conference Evaluation: 2:45 – 3:00 p.m.**

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