



DELAC

District English Learner Advisory Committee

April 11, 2025

Translation

- ▶ **Spanish - Channel 1**
- ▶ **Korean - Channel 3**



Agenda

- Welcome
- Beechwood School - Principal Lim
- Approval of February Minutes
- Digital Wellness
- College and Career Readiness: FAFSA
- Parent Activity
- Announcements



Introducing...

The DELAC Team

- ☐ Mayra Zamora
- ☐ Maria (Lupita) Alvarez
- ☐ Iris Jheun
- ☐ Cynthia Rios
- ☐ Norma Santiago



Beechwood School

Principal Lim



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Approve Minutes for the February 2025 DELAC Meeting



Digital Wellness

Jeremy Davis

Assistant Superintendent of Innovation and Instructional Support
(IIS)

College & Career Readiness: Understanding FAFSA

Dr. Erlinda Soltero-Ruiz
Chief Academic Officer

What is FAFSA?



The FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is a form used to apply for federal financial aid for career or career school. It is a service provided by the Federal Aid Office.

The Federal Aid Office is a division of the U.S. Department of Education.

What is CA Dream Act Application?



The CADAA (California Dream Act Application) is a form used only in CA apply for state financial aid for career or career school.

California Student Aid Commission processes CADAA applications.

Why is Financial Aid Important?



Your application is used to determine eligibility for federal, state, and school aid.

Types of financial aid:

- Grants
- Scholarships
- Work–Study Programs
- Student Loans



What is the Difference Among These Four Types?



Need money for college?

THE 4 BASIC TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID

1 Grants

Grant money is typically based on you and your family's financial situation. They **DON'T** have to be repaid, as long as you meet the requirements.

2 Scholarships

Scholarship money is typically awarded based on your accomplishments. It **DOESN'T** have to be repaid, as long as you meet the requirements.

3 Work-study

Work-study programs offer career-related work experience, allowing you to earn money while working throughout the school year.

4 Student Loans

Student loans **MUST** be repaid. There are various types of student loans, and some have better terms than others. It is important to research and fully understand what you are agreeing to before taking out a loan. Consider the future.

Who Should Fill Out a FAFSA/CADAA Form?



- All 12th graders need to apply. (CA high school graduation requirement.)
- FAFSA
 - US citizens
 - Permanent Residents
- CADAA
 - Undocumented, non-residents
 - No SSN or DACA SSN

What Information is Required?



The FAFSA/CADAA form requires student/parent to provide:

- personal and financial information, including information from tax forms (Class of 2025 uses 2023 taxes)
- balances of savings and checking accounts.

Who Is The Parent?



- Biological parent(s) student lives with
- If parents divorced or separated→ who does the student live with the most?
- If student lives with one biological parent and step-parent→ step-parents income must be included
- Adoptive parent(s)
- If a student is or was in foster care (16-18 years old)→ the student considered **independent**

Who Is **NOT** The Parent?



- Legal Guardians
- Aunt or uncle
- Grandparents
- Older brother or sister
- Foster parent

(Unless they have legally adopted the child.)

Resources

[8 Steps for Parents Completing the FAFSA Form](#)



[What is FAFSA? Video Introduction](#)



California College Promise Grant

For eligible California residents, the California Community Colleges permits enrollment fees to be waived.



Parent Activity

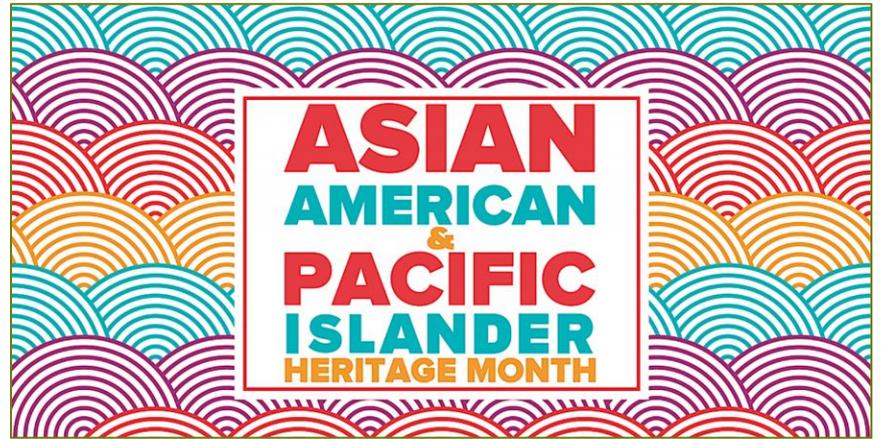
Topic:

Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI)
Heritage Month Kahoot

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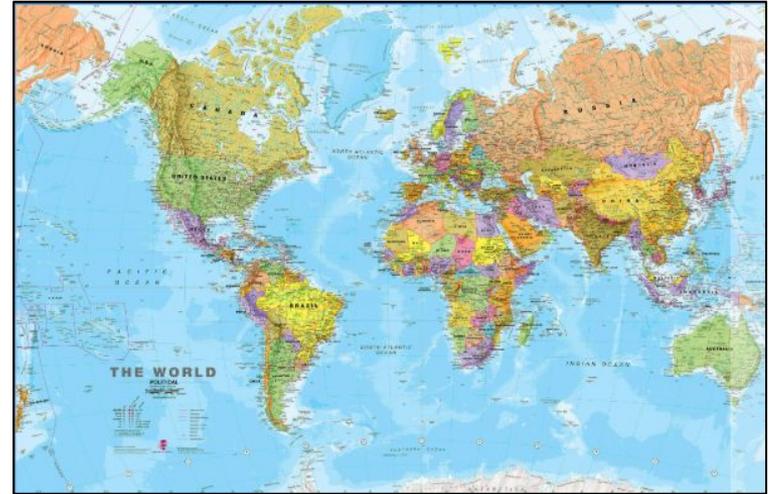
What is Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) Heritage Month?

From May 1 - 31, we honor Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders who have enriched America's history and are instrumental in its future success.

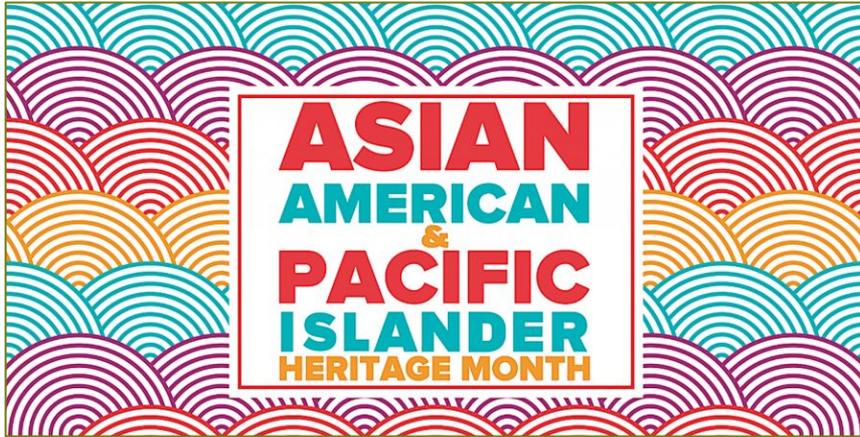


What is considered Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI)?

The AAPI umbrella encompasses countries from East, Southeast, and South Asia, along with the Pacific Islands of Melanesia, Micronesia, and Polynesia.



Are you ready to play AAPI Kahoot?



1 team per school



IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT



Fullerton School District
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES



Fullerton School District Presents

Spanish Parent Workshop Series

Four sessions related to school topics will be presented in **Spanish**
(Interpretation available in English)

Session #2:
Knowing FSD Middle Schools Academic Pathways

Date/Time

Monday,
April 14, 2025

9:00am - 10:30am

Location

NICOLAS JR. HIGH
1100 W. OLIVE AVE.
FULLERTON, CA 92833

Session #3: September 29, 2025
High School Pathways
(Hosted by Hermosa Dr. Elementary)

Join us!



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KNOW YOUR RIGHTS 3-PART WORKSHOP SERIES

Last Session

JOIN US AT THE NICOLAS COMMUNITY CENTER

1100 W. OLIVE AVENUE, FULLERTON, CA 92833
(ENTER OFF HILL AVE)

Meeting will be in person and virtually

Workshop #3: Accessing
Community Resources

Date: April 23, 8:30 - 10:00 AM

Topic: Connect families with
local resources to help them
navigate challenges
effectively

(FOR VIRTUAL MEETING LINK, VISIT OUR WEBSITE)

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