

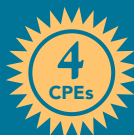


C3 VBTA 2017 SUMMER WORKSHOPS

All Voelcker Biosciences Teacher Academy (VBTA) C3 Workshops are **FREE!** We provide Coffee, Collegiality, and Collaboration and CPEs to all participants. In addition, you can choose to become part of our educational research – which looks GREAT when talking to your T-TESS administrator about satisfying **Domain 4!**

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21, 2017

FREE Science Night Training
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



The Voelcker Biosciences Teacher Academy (VBTA) and University of the Incarnate Word (UIW) Teacher Network invite you to attend a FREE Science Night Training workshop for K-12 teachers! Continental breakfast/coffee will be provided. Teachers will also receive 4 CPE credits for participating. Whether you are an experienced science night planner or want to learn more about how to establish and conduct a science night at your campus, this training is for you!

The workshop will be at "Tex" Hill Middle School, 21314 Bulverde Road, San Antonio, 78259. Registration, breakfast, and the opportunity to engage with examples of hands-on science night activities will be available from 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.. The workshop itself begins at 9:00 a.m. and concludes at noon. During the workshop, you will be provided with tools to help plan a science night. In addition, area teachers will share their science night experiences: lessons learned, promoting/advertising, securing sponsors, etc.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 2017

Southwest National Primate Research Center (SNPRC)

8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (*Limit 28 people!*)

Bus departs at 8:15 a.m. from UT Health San Antonio main campus (7703 Floyd Curl, 78229)



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 2017

Grant Writing for Teachers
AL&TC Room 2.210
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



Do you have a great idea to help your students? Perhaps you could use portable lab equipment so students can explore the campus or reading material to support science literacy. In an ideal world, teachers would be able to have all of the supplies necessary to engage students in relevant activities to promote critical thinking. But science department budgets only go so far. Join us for a grant writing workshop designed specifically for teachers! We will help you fine-tune your idea, guide you through the grant writing process, and even help you find a local funding source. And we will do it all for FREE!

THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 2017

Mastering Mentoring
AL&TC Room 2.211
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



Mentoring is an important component of the teaching profession. Whether you are an official school mentor or a member of a planning team, mentoring is part of our daily profession. At this workshop, you will identify your own mentoring strengths and collaborate with colleagues to identify and refine your own mentoring style. We will examine teacher-created tools for mentors and mentees and discuss how these tools can support your mentoring opportunities. Mentoring requires good listening and interpersonal skills as well as the ability to engage in self-reflective practices. Join us as we work together to develop true peer mentoring skills.



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Register here: VBTAteachers.org