Welcome to mid-March! As a student enrolled in the Teacher Education Program, you are receiving this email update from the School of Education to provide you with news about several upcoming events and opportunities.

== Precepting Days ==

Preceptor(s) will contact you next week to set up an appointment. All classes are canceled to make time for this important planning opportunity. **Seniors and juniors** should schedule closer to Tuesday, 3/30, the first Precepting Day. **Sophomores and freshmen** generally make appointments closer to the following Wednesday, 4/7, the second Precepting Day. If you haven't heard from your preceptor by Monday, 3/29, log into your portal to find your preceptor(s) name: click on Degree Works, top left corner. Visit <u>https://www.stockton.edu/education/faculty-staff.html</u> for Education preceptor contact information.

== Students Entering Clinical Experience or Clinical Practice ==

Sophomore-Juniors-Seniors: if you have completed EDUC 2000 Gateway **and** you have met all the requirements to register for any EDUC 3100, 3101, 4600, or 4990 clinical course, you will receive a personalized email message that links to a fieldwork precepting power point. After viewing the slide presentation, please click the Fieldwork Application Link. You MAY do this before your precepting meeting.

You will also receive a Precepting Checklist Survey to read and SAVE. You must review the checklist **during** your precepting meeting. Please WAIT until you are in the meeting with your preceptor to click the Checklist Survey link.

If you are not sure **How the Program Works**, please read the "requirements" and the "certification sequence of courses" links on this web page: https://www.stockton.edu/education/current-students/current-undergraduate-students.html

== Scholarship ==

The TEFL Academy is all about supporting students who want to uncover the life changing career path that is Teaching English as a Foreign Language abroad. A \$2,500 scholarship is available to eligible students who apply by July 1: https://www.theteflacademy.com/scholarships

== Jobs – Jobs – Jobs ==

Several Substitute Teacher agencies are still hiring those who have earned 60 credits: <u>Kelly</u> <u>Educational Staffing</u> has openings all around our region. <u>ESS</u> also has contracts with many school districts in south Jersey. We strongly recommend substitute certification. It costs a little more than just a Criminal Background Clearance, but working as a substitute pays back that expense quickly, and you get great experience.

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Have you passed Praxis Core? Stockton wants to hire Education students who would like to mentor/tutor some high school students who will take the Core early, before coming to college.

Mentor/Tutor meetings will be held via Zoom, late March through mid-May, with a possibility of extending. Pay is \$12/hour and meetings will be scheduled based on availability. Apply here: https://stockton.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_e8TTTun4vwMdXjE

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Many of our local districts are anticipating vacancies, so please keep these sites bookmarked as you consider future job opportunities:

- Atlantic County: https://www.atlantic-county.org/education-employment/educational-jobs.asp
- Atlantic City: https://www.applitrack.com/acboe/onlineapp/default.aspx?all=1
- Cape May County: <u>https://capemaycountynj.gov/jobs.aspx</u> (more county than schools)
- Middle Township: https://www.applitrack.com/middletownship/onlineapp/
- Ocean County: https://www.co.ocean.nj.us/OC/OCSchools/frmCareerOCS.aspx
- Little Egg Harbor: <u>https://lehsd.tedk12.com/hire/index.aspx#aJobListings</u>

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Middlesex County: Old Bridge Township Public Schools has multiple openings in multiple areas for the upcoming school year. Visit their virtual job fair at <u>http://cjpridejobfair.vfairs.com/</u> ==

Southern Teachers Association offers free placement services for teachers interested in private school opportunities in the southern states. Visit

https://southernteachers.com/contents/home/seekingjobs to learn more.

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Watch your email for news and updates from the School of Education. If this message has reached you in error, please reply to me and let me know to remove you from the list I'm using. Likewise, if you have friends who should be on the list, please forward this message and ask them to email me to be added.

== Volunteer Opportunity ==

Do you enjoy public speaking? Do you want to positively contribute to a highly recognized organization that strives to educate and empower the next generation of women leaders? Consider applying to be an **Undergraduate Student Facilitator** for Junior Achievement of New Jersey's Women's Future Leadership Academy. **Facilitators must be available on Tuesdays from 2-3pm, and attend at least five Academy sessions between 4/13/21 and 6/29/21.** If you are interested in applying to be an Undergraduate Student Facilitator, please click here to complete the Google Form BY FRIDAY MARCH 26TH, 2021!

==Free Conference ==

The Holocaust Resource Center (HRC) of Kean University (Union, NJ) is hosting its first Bilingual Pre-Service Teacher Conference, Spanish-Language Resources and the Holocaust, virtually on Friday, March 26, 2021 at 8:45am. Participants will receive professional development hours and co-curricular credit. The registration deadline is Monday, March 22. To register, visit: <u>https://forms.gle/pAq4y4Qa3puSGiVr9</u>

Stay safe, healthy, and happy!

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