



# Vía Esperanza Centro de Educación

## Classes & Programs

### Spring 2020



### EDUCATION

#### **English Conversation Class**

A structured approach to practicing English language skills for beginner to intermediate level students led by a retired teacher.

Days: Tuesdays & Thursdays  
Hours: 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM  
Child Care: Space limited, children 3-5 years old (Pre-Arranged)  
Classes Begin: January 7

#### **GED/HiSET Preparation Class**

A class to prepare students to take the GED/HiSET test in Spanish led by Santa Rosa Junior College staff. Registration with SRJC required ([CSKLS 731 - AC SKILLS/GED PREP I](#)).

Days: Fridays  
Hours: 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
Child Care: Space limited, children 3-5 years old (Pre-Arranged)  
Classes Begin: January 17

#### **GED/HiSET Tutoring & Study Time**

A dedicated place and time for students to receive tutoring in preparation for the GED/HiSET test in Spanish. Led by previous graduates and current college students.

Days: Fridays  
Hours: 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM  
Child Care: N/A  
Classes Begin: January 17

#### **Computer Class**

A dedicated place and time for students to receive basic skill computer classes in Spanish. Led by previous graduates and current college students.

Days: Tuesdays & Thursdays  
Hours: 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM  
Child Care: Space limited, children 3-5 years old (Pre-Arranged)  
Classes Begin: January 7

#### **Leamos: Spanish Literacy**

A simple and easy-to-use pre-ESL online literacy course that teaches reading and writing to adults who cannot read and write in Spanish; with 43 instructional lessons.

Days/Hours: By Appointment

## PARENTING & CHILD DEVELOPMENT

### **AVANCE**

An evidence-based program for families with **children 0-3 years** old. The components of the program include parent education, toy making class, child development, home visits, and support.

Days: Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Fridays  
Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Child Care: Yes, from AVANCE staff  
Classes Begin: Now in session

### **Pasitos Play Groups**

A weekly playgroup for parents and their **children ages 3 to 4** that are not attending preschool. Parents participate with their children, doing activities that will get them ready for preschool and kindergarten success.

Days: Thursdays  
Hours: 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM  
Classes Begin: Now in session and accepting applications

## HEALTH & WELLNESS

### **Pantry Program**

Redwood Empire Food Bank is delivering healthy and fresh food for families at our family resource center. You need to bring reusable bags and it is first-come; first-served. We do not ask for identifications or income.

Days: Every Wednesday  
(Except on holidays)  
Hours: 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM  
Begins: January 8

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## HOW TO ENROLL

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Most classes and programs at Vía Esperanza are FREE. Child care for a limited number of children is provided at no cost for most classes and activities.

For more information and to enroll, please visit our office in person Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM or give us a call at (707) 481-1781.

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## ABOUT US

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**Vía Esperanza Centro de Educación**  
*on the Lewis Education Center campus*  
2230 Lomas Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95404

### Walk-in Hours

#### Monday:

9:00 AM – Noon

#### Tuesday to Friday:

9:00 AM — 3:00 PM

### Contact Us

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