

# Learning Resource Center Newsletter

## Hours of Operation

Open : Monday-Friday

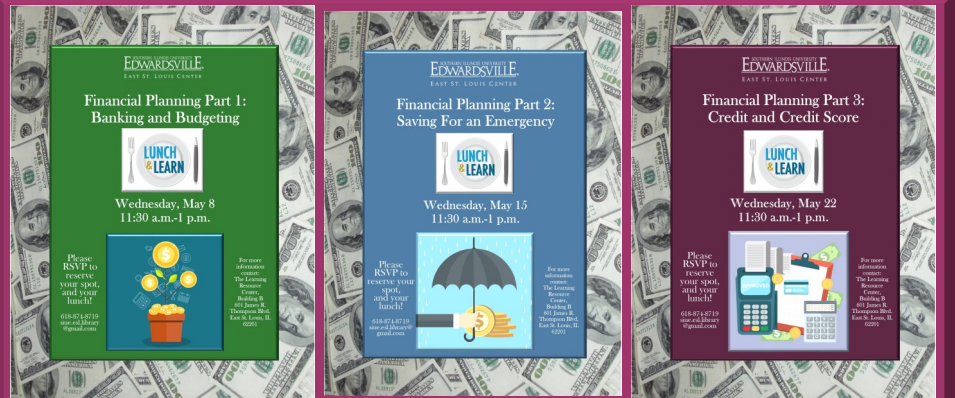
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Closed : Saturday-Sunday

Support your Learning Resource Center and stay informed about all of our exciting, upcoming events by **LIKING US ON FACBOOK!** [siue.esl.lrc.1](http://siue.esl.lrc.1)



You can now follow the LRC on Instagram @siue\_eslc\_lrc



## Financial Planning

The Learning Resource Center, along with Nikki Woelfel from Carrollton Bank, will once again host a three-part Financial Planning Lunch and Learn series in the LRC's Conference Room from 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Each Wednesday session will focus on a different topic; Banking and Budgeting on **May 8**, Saving for an Emergency on **May 15**, and concluding with Credit and Credit Score on **May 22**. Nikki will also be introducing a one-on-one financial planning option during this session, so don't miss out! Please RSVP ASAP if you plan to attend to secure your spot, and your lunch!

## Reminders!



The LRC will be **CLOSED** Friday, May 17 for a day of library staff professional development.

Also, ESLHEC Campus, including the LRC, will be **CLOSED** Monday, May 27th for Memorial Day.

Please plan accordingly!

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MOM

*Mother's Day is Sunday, May 12!*

*Don't visit your mom empty handed! Come to the LRC and make a homemade card.*

*Materials, instruction, and refreshments provided!*

*Thursday, May 9*

*12-1 p.m.*

*Limit 2 cards per person.*



**BE EMPOWERED!  
WOMEN'S SELF-DEFENSE**

**SIUE Police Officer Katelyn Kircher will be leading a self-defense workshop for women in the Learning Resource Center, demonstrating how to be aware of your surroundings and teaching basic self-defense moves.**



**Monday, May 20  
11 a.m.-1 p.m.**



**Come to the LRC to celebrate National Photography Month with a hands-on photo art activity, lunch included!**

**Wednesday, May 29  
12-1 p.m.**



**PLEASE RSVP FOR ALL OF THE EVENTS YOU WISH TO ATTEND!**

Sign-up sheets are located in the LRC, or you can contact:

618-874-8719

[siue.esl.library@gmail.com](mailto:siue.esl.library@gmail.com)





# BLAST OFF FOR SUMMER READING FUN!

**June 3-July 19, 2019**

**This summer, students can sky rocket to new reading heights and earn Reading Reward Dollars for the time they spend reading! They can spend those hard-earned dollars in the Learning Resource Center on fun prizes!**

## **Ways to Earn Reading Rewards Dollars:**

**Checking out a Library Book—\$1  
Returning a Library Book—\$1**

**Returning reading chart signed by a  
parent/teacher to the LRC:**

**15 minutes—\$2  
30 minutes—\$5  
1 hour—\$10**

**Know a K-12 student who might be interested in participating? Here's what they need to do.**

- **Come to the LRC to register**
- **Pick up a reading chart**
- **Log reading time**
- **Bring reading chart to the LRC to receive Reading Rewards Dollars**
- **Redeem those Reading Rewards Dollars in the LRC for prizes!**

## **April Recap**

### **Activities to Help With Stress:**

April was Stress Awareness Month, designed to increase public awareness about both the causes and cures for our modern stress epidemic. A HUGE crowd of nearly twenty participants joined the Learning Resource Center on Tuesday, April 16 from 12:00-1:00 p.m. for this Lunch and Learn focusing on activities to help with stress.

### **SIUE Staff Appreciation:**

The LRC was closed Wednesday, April 17 from 10:15-1:45 p.m. for the Staff Appreciation event on SIUE's main campus.

### **National Jelly Bean Day:**

There were Jelly Beans in the LRC for you to snack on April 22nd. Did you grab some?

### **Tech Apps and Autism:**

April was Autism Awareness month. To recognize autism awareness, the LRC hosted a Lunch and Learn presentation on Tech Apps and Autism. The presentation, focusing on apps created for individuals with autism and for better understanding of autism, took place on Wednesday, April 24 from 12:00-1:00 p.m.



## PERFORMING ARTS SUMMER ENRICHMENT

**INSTRUMENTS:**

piano,  
guitar,  
drums,  
violin,  
chimes

**DANCE:**

hip hop,  
ballet,  
Dunham Technique,  
jazz,  
West African,  
lyrical,  
praise,  
and more...

**CHORUS  
ARTS & CRAFTS  
THEATRE**

This year's theme:

**HOLLYWOOD**

**Ages 7-17**

June 3<sup>rd</sup> – July 19<sup>th</sup> 2019  
(closed on July 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> for holiday break)  
Mon – Fri  
9 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
July 19<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 p.m.  
Performance at ESL Sr. High

Students enrolled in Performing Arts After School Program = \$100  
Unenrolled students = \$200  
Unenrolled students' siblings = \$150

Payments can only be made via cash or money  
order payable to SIUE in the Director's Office.

Payments made after June 3<sup>rd</sup> = \$25 late fee

**REGISTRATION:**

601 James R. Thompson Blvd.  
Director's Office, Building A  
East St. Louis, IL 62201

**DOWNLOAD APPLICATION:**  
[tinyurl.com/y37x2ebc](http://tinyurl.com/y37x2ebc)

**QUESTIONS?**

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Lunch served daily, fun  
field trips, summer  
t-shirt & end of summer  
professional production!



Did you know the Learning Resource Center has story time every Thursday with the Discovery Head Start Center?

Did you know that, after Head Start's story time, the LRC also holds an additional story time open to the public?

Children five and under are welcome. Please bring your toddlers, spread the word to other parents, and get the word out about this opportunity!

Did you know there is a café at the SIUE ESLHEC Campus open weekdays for breakfast and lunch?

**Desserts Out The Jar and More**

**Today at the Cafe**

**Monday- Friday  
Breakfast: 7:30am- 10:30am  
Lunch: 11:00am- 1:30pm**

601 James R Thompson (Building B -Cafeteria)

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**Desserts Out The Jar and More**

[www.dessertsoutthejar.com](http://www.dessertsoutthejar.com)

**Buy 10 dessert jars and get  
1 FREE**





All activities are FREE!

Need to reserve a space? Call: (618) 874-8719 or e-mail: [siue.esl.library@gmail.com](mailto:siue.esl.library@gmail.com)

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 Would you like to be?

Let us know by sending an e-mail to [siue.esl.library@gmail.com](mailto:siue.esl.library@gmail.com) so you can stay up to date on all events provided by your Learning Resource Center!

SIUE East St. Louis Higher Education Center Campus Learning Resource Center

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>6 <b>Happy Nurses Day</b>                        Interested in a career in Nursing?                      Contact Lewis and Clark: (618) 468-3785</p>	<p>7 <b>Positive Parenting Conference May 7-14</b>                      Schedule time to watch the conference in the LRC!                      Contact Rebecca Harper (<a href="mailto:rebharp@siue.edu">rebharp@siue.edu</a>) for more information.</p>	<p>1 <b>Celebrating MAY DAY</b>                        8 <b>LUNCH &amp; LEARN</b>                      Financial Planning Part 1:                      Banking and Budgeting                      11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.</p>	<p>2 <b>It's STOLU TIME</b>                        9 <b>MOM</b>                      Mother's Day Make-and-Take                      Card Making Class                      12:00-1:00 p.m.                      Supplies and refreshments provided.                      Limit 2 cards per person</p>	<p>10 <b>SPACE DAY</b>                      May the 4th be with you! (tomorrow)</p> <p>11 <b>MOTHER'S DAY!</b>                      Sunday, May 12</p>
<p>13 <b>Happy Nurses Day</b>                        Interested in a career in Nursing?                      Contact Lewis and Clark: (618) 468-3785</p>	<p>14 <b>TECH TUESDAYS</b>                        Have you Thanked a Teacher Today?  <b>National Teachers Day</b></p>	<p>15 <b>LUNCH &amp; LEARN</b>                      Financial Planning Part 2:                      Saving For an Emergency                      11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.</p> <p>22 <b>LUNCH &amp; LEARN</b>                      Financial Planning Part 3:                      Credit and Credit Score                      11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.</p>	<p>16 <b>It's STOLU TIME</b>                        23 <b>It's STOLU TIME</b>                      National Lucky Penny Day May 23                        Follow the LRC on Instagram                      @siue_eslc_lrc</p>	<p>17 <b>CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SIUE CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL AND HEAD START GRADUATING CLASSES!</b>                      LRC will be CLOSED today for staff development.                      Please plan accordingly!</p>
<p>20 <b>WOMEN'S SELF-DEFENSE CLASS</b>                      Join SIUE P.O. Katelyn Kircher in the LRC for a presentation on basic self-defense. 11 a.m. -1 p.m.</p>	<p>21 <b>TECH TUESDAYS</b>                      APRIL SHOWERS BRING MAY FLOWERS    <b>TECH TUESDAYS</b></p>	<p>29 <b>LUNCH &amp; LEARN</b>                      MAY IS NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY MONTH                        Photography Workshop 12-1 p.m.                      Lunch and Learn Presentation</p>	<p>24 Support your Learning Resource Center and stay informed about all of our exciting, upcoming events by LIKING US ON FACEBOOK!    <a href="https://www.facebook.com/siue.esl.lrc.1">siue.esl.lrc.1</a></p>	<p>31 <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>                      REMEMBER &amp; HONOR  </p>