



Hablamos Juntos (Talking Together) Application 2014-2015

Hablamos Juntos (Talking Together) is a new class for parents of children with speech delays. A UCLA team of doctors and students has partnered with Westside Children's Center to bring this free program to parents who want to improve their children's speech. Speech delay is a common problem that can lead to poor social development and school performance. In 5 group sessions, volunteers will learn to identify a child's speech level and help them develop their speech. Opportunities to teach in Spanish-speaking classrooms are currently available, and more opportunities in English-speaking classrooms are coming soon.

Quarterly Commitments: Teach a one and a half hour class weekly for 6 weeks.

Annual Commitments: Volunteers must volunteer consecutive quarters. Volunteers who are inactive for 2 or more quarters must reapply for continued participation in the program

REQUIREMENTS

1. Year-long commitment (Fall training, Winter & Spring teaching)
2. Be available for training starting Week 2, Tuesdays 6 PM - 8 PM
3. Comfortable working with and teaching curriculum to parents, Wednesdays or Thursdays 4 - 7 PM
4. Be proficient in Spanish (intermediate to fluent)

APPLICATION IS DUE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5th by 11:59 PM

Instructions for Submission

Please follow these application submission instructions carefully. **Applications not following these guidelines will be ignored.**

1. Save this PDF file as: <Insert Your Name> - Hablamos Juntos Application
2. E-mail application to hablamosjuntos.scope@gmail.com with Subject header "<Insert Your Name>: Hablamos Juntos Fall 2013 Application"

Example: Joe Bruin - Hablamos Juntos Application

Applicant Information

Full Name _____

Student ID: _____

No dashes, spaces, or parentheses.

DOB (MM/DD/YY):

Address: _____

Street

Apt. #

City

Postal Code

Phone Number _____

E-mail _____

No dashes, spaces, or parentheses. Will automatically format.

Major: _____

Year:

Experience and Skills

List your past volunteer/job positions and describe your role.

What experience do you have working with children? If so, what age range?

What experience do you have teaching?

Do you speak Spanish? If so, what is your proficiency level?

Short Answer Questions

Please limit responses to **200** words or less

What personality traits would allow you to work well with a parent who has a child with a speech delay?

What specific organization/communication/leadership skills would you bring when working with parents? How would these qualifications allow you to positively represent Hablamos Juntos and professionally connect parents with resources?

What can you bring to the program and what do you hope to accomplish by joining the program?

Describe a specific experience when you have worked in a group. What role did you play?

Hablamos Juntos is a one year commitment which will include site visits and training prior to teaching the classes to the parents. What other obligations do you foresee conflicting with your one-year commitment?

Volunteer Agreement

VOLUNTEER AGREEMENT AND CERTIFICATION OF INFORMATION:

Believing that the community has need of my services as a volunteer, I agree: to hold as absolutely confidential all information that I may obtain directly or indirectly concerning families or personnel. I agree that I will not seek confidential information, that I am applying for an unpaid, volunteer position and not paid employment. I understand and agree that neither this volunteer application nor the acceptance or performance of a volunteer position constitutes an employment relationship or a contract of employment. I further understand and agree that neither this volunteer application nor the acceptance or performance of a volunteer position constitutes a guarantee or promise of future employment, and that if I accept a volunteer position, I have a duty to be familiar with UCLA rules, standards, and policies as they now exist or as they may be modified, added to, or abolished in the future. I agree to comply with and follow these rules, standards, and policies. I certify that the answers given by me to the foregoing questions are true and without omissions. Any person giving misleading or false information will be subject to immediate termination.

By signing, you hereby agree to these terms and agreements.

Date: _____
MM/DD/YY

Please type your full name to serve as a digital signature.