

**Chat - We Need to Talk: Cultivating Critical Conversations (17 November 21, 9-9:55a)**

00:14:35 Jeremy Ramos: Good Morning :)

00:14:41 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: Good morning

00:14:52 Dilia Martinez: Good morning

00:15:26 Diana Cruz: Good Morning everyone :)

00:15:29 Esmeralda Granados: Good morning

00:15:43 sarah shinagawa: good morning everyone!

00:15:44 Brenda Saldana: Hi Good Morning 😊

00:16:08 Adelle Amor Sarmiento: Good morning!

00:16:18 Claudia Sanchez: Good morning , I don't know if it on my side but there's no sound.

00:16:50 Genevieve Dibua: Good morning

00:17:08 Heba Ghaly: Good morning

00:17:23 Renee Marshall: Me too!

00:17:31 William Salazar: Good morning everyone :)

00:17:49 Renee Marshall: Welcome! Good Morning!

00:17:52 Maria Ruvalcaba: Good Morning!!!

00:18:03 David Vargas: Good Morning

00:18:06 David Vargas: Morning

00:18:27 Daphne Pacheco: hello good morning

00:18:32 Claudia Sanchez: I figured out, thank you!

00:18:37 Januario Escutia: Good morning everyone!

00:18:51 Tania Mustafa: Good Morning

00:19:12 Renee Marshall: Claudia - it may help to log off and reload back into the meeting

00:19:13 Rosemary Wrenn (she/hers): <https://tinyurl.com/teachla21>

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00:19:24 Esmeralda Granados: Esmeralda Granados- future teacher

00:19:26 Debbie Bryce: Debbie B- Lead Preschool teacher ELC Colorado

00:19:29 Karen Aguirre: Karen Aguirre, Rio Hondo College; Future Teacher

00:19:31 David Vargas: I Am David Vargas Coming From Chino Hills, California. I Am A Student At Mt SAC Anticipated To Be A Future Special Education Teacher

00:19:32 William Salazar: William Salazar El Camino student in future kindergarten teacher :)

00:19:36 dahlya Avila: ECC, future child care provider

00:19:38 Marina Ornelas: Marina- LAHC- practicum student

00:19:41 Ralph Velazquez: Ralph Velazquez, Rio Hondo College, English Professor

00:19:41 Elizeth Maldonado: Elizeth Maldonado / Cerritos college/ future teacher

00:19:42 Dana Corpuz: I'm from GCC. Future teacher

00:19:43 Brenda Saldana: Brenda Saldana student from El Camino College

00:19:44 Marissa Pe: Marissa Pe, Mountain View High School

00:19:45 Alexandra Ramirez: Alexandra Ramirez -Rio Hondo College -Future Teacher!

00:19:45 Glenda Moscoso: Glenda Moscoso - Cuesta College

00:19:45 Adelle Amor Sarmiento: Hi! I'm Adelle Amor (she/her), I come from Cerritos College and I am a future teacher

00:19:48 Dilia Martinez: Dilia M. CSULA

00:19:50 David Vargas: [dvargas61@student.mtsac.edu](mailto:dvargas61@student.mtsac.edu)

00:19:50 Evelyn Kim: Evelyn kim- future teacher

00:19:53 Graciela Bataz: Gracie - hope to be a future teacher,

00:20:03 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: Maria T Gonzalez Lopez-future teacher -Santa Ana college

00:20:12 Heba Ghaly: Heba Ghaly - Cerritos college  
[hebaghaly43@yahoo.com](mailto:hebaghaly43@yahoo.com)

00:20:24 Claudia Sanchez: Claudia Sanchez,a life long learner and sharer, exploring the field of education as a possible future career and I'm from Cerritos College.

00:20:25 Tania Mustafa: Tania Mustafa - CSULA, current TA, future Teacher

00:20:26 Maria Ruvalcaba: Maria Ruvalcaba, LACOE Educator -future HS teacher :)

00:20:26 Marie Langarica: Marie Langarica, Rio Hondo

00:20:36 Diana Cruz: Diana Cruz from El Camino College future elementary teacher

00:20:45 Angelica Guzmán: Angelica Guzman- Future Teacher 🍌 - ELAC

00:20:51 mercedes fuentes: Good Morning. Mercedes Fuentes Rio Hondo

00:21:05 Jeremy Ramos: Jeremy Ramos - Student CSULB

00:21:26 Tania Mustafa: Tania Mustafa - CSULB, current TA, future Teacher

00:22:03 Januario Escutia: Januario Escutia from Rio Hondo College. I am participating in the CPTP mentorship program.

00:22:28 Suzanne Vergara: Suzanne Vergara-Rio Hondo College-Future U.S History teacher or Professor

00:23:20 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: I am on Chumash, Kizh, Gabrielino, Tonga lands

00:23:38 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: To find out where you are text your zip code to 907-312-5085

00:24:17 Veronica Enriquez: Veronica Enriquez- San Bernardino Valley College student

00:24:33 Daree Jones: El Camino college

00:24:41 Nizdali Canales: Nizdali Canales-student Mt. SAC

00:24:50 Claudia Sanchez: Social aspect of learning and new ideas.

00:24:57 Heather P: We should be in an ongoing reflection

00:25:05 Quinn Burke: Santa Monica College

00:25:11 Crystal Jones: through innovations and reinventing what we know and build upon what is needed and embrace each other's known knowledge and known needs to build a better tomorrow!

00:25:28 Aida Alkhasova: We don't have to say we know everything

00:25:42 Aida Alkhasova: Aida Alkhasova

00:25:46 Crystal Jones: be ok to not know.

00:26:31 Crystal Jones: exploring the knowing

00:26:34 Gabriel Rouse: Life long learning

00:26:44 Quinn Burke: I learn so much from my students. Sometimes it feels like more than they learn from me

00:26:45 Crystal Jones: the discovery of the answers

00:27:22 Crystal Jones: being vulnerable to be transparent to model the process!

00:27:54 Januario Escutia: Through communication we overcome our differences and learn from each other.

00:27:59 Crystal Jones: valuing our students' contributions and understandings yes!!!

00:28:07 David Vargas: This Quote Gives Me Advice On How To Treat Others Fairly

00:28:11 Rosemary Wrenn (she/hers):  
<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/104aVEeY8bpECJbA3bAYkEgE-hScRkqgJmV7SWn4Mvs/edit?usp=sharing>

00:28:38 Crystal Jones: please share!!

00:28:54 Renee Marshall: We are posting slide decks plus recordings on  
<http://teacherprepprogram.org/events-and-calendar/virtual-workshop-series-november-2021/>

00:29:12 Renee Marshall: Make sure to scroll down when you get to the site to open up individual conference sessions and resources

00:29:17 Crystal Jones: thank you Ms. Renee air hugs

00:29:26 Renee Marshall: Air hugs Crystal!

00:29:51 Renee Marshall: Link to resources shared today:  
<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1BSj0Wvg4YkP8azW-cNcAx27WrRqsDbni?usp=sharing>

00:31:54 Claudia Garcia-Oliva: Claudia Garcia

00:32:34 Gabriel Rouse: Gabriel Roues [grouse185@gmail.com](mailto:grouse185@gmail.com)

00:33:07 Crystal Jones: so true as a sub on site throughout different campuses the racism is real. love your truthfulness and relating with others ms. Rosemary. change the space!!!

00:33:18 Crystal Jones: change the space remove the distractions!!!

00:33:47 Crystal Jones: its hard at times

00:35:27 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: Thank you Rosemary.

00:35:39 Crystal Jones: the beginning the roots

00:35:58 Suzanne Vergara: I love your truth Rosemary (:

00:36:00 Heather P: It's a privilege to choose not to talk about uncomfortable things.

00:36:38 Evelyn Kim: I remember hating all my teachers growing up because they didn't understand that and I was always the one that was marked as making things difficult for others!

00:36:45 Renee Marshall: Make sure to go to the Jamboard

00:36:49 Crystal Jones: they show up in institutions I almost gave up over white supremacy at SMMUSD mind blowing truth.

00:37:40 Renee Marshall: Impactful conversations

00:37:40 Adelle Amor Sarmiento: Critical race theory

00:37:41 Glenda Conde: truth

00:37:45 Claudia Sanchez: The structures of power that have racism embedded in them.

00:37:45 Alejandra Hernandez: Must have conversations

00:37:46 Ralph Velazquez: Introspective and engaging conversations

00:37:46 Graciela Bataz: I think of conversations that requiring thinking and reflection

00:37:48 David Vargas: Seriousness, Helping Each Other Out, Giving Good Advice

00:37:51 Suzanne Vergara: Generations

00:37:55 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: Race

00:37:56 Jeremy Ramos: Serious discussions

00:37:56 Heather P: Necessary conversations that not everyone wants to have

00:38:08 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: It is a conversation where critical thought is happening. NOT Criticism.

00:38:12 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: Immigration

00:38:14 Theresa Hagelbarger: sharing experiences so others are aware of what is happening

00:38:14 Marini Smith: Having conversations that change and create progress towards equity and anti-racism

00:38:17 Gabriel Rouse: The individuals' sensitive nature of what then been through

00:38:18 Erendira Ortiz: Conversation that involves making others uncomfortable because not everyone wants to talk about it

00:38:28 Maria Ruvalcaba: Superiority mentality

00:38:37 Maria Ruvalcaba: Oppression

00:38:40 Januario Escutia: To accept our differences.

00:38:47 Glenda Moscoso: Opportunity to engage in meaningful/real conversations

00:38:56 Quinn Burke: Uncomfortable but necessary conversations about race, religion, biases and so much more

00:38:57 Crystal Jones: what is hard to talk about and say but needs to be heard and embraced for understanding and truth

00:39:01 Paola jauregui: any reaction that is not talked about

00:39:57 Paola jauregui: we lose ourselves with other meaningless trivia rather than speak about them

00:40:00 Theresa Hagelbarger: somehow educating or enlightening the general public the issues with language and why dual language is needed .... general populations have no idea what this means and how it impacts children and society

00:40:13 Aida Alkhasova: Conversations about religion, generation

00:40:34 Crystal Jones: they ask it like it is?

00:40:47 Quinn Burke: Acknowledging white centric biases and consciously acting in opposition of these

00:40:51 Sam Rodriguez: These conversations require that some kind of change is involved and people are afraid of change.

00:41:05 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: It is often hard for ALL of us to understand because we are all living a country of white dominance CULTURE. That is not only about white people. It has informed how ALL of us think and behave until will slow down and interrogate where did this all come from. Yes “decolonialize” our ways of being.

00:43:07 Crystal Jones: @Rosemary and Renee please get The Ethnic Experience book by Dr. Karenga mind blowing !! how we are similar vs different with indigenous people. His class changed my life forever.

00:43:13 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: Talking about all of this is not always/only hard and scary. It is also liberating and sacred.

00:43:57 Crystal Jones: liberating and sacred!!! indeed deep deep.

00:44:10 Crystal Jones: our students need know they can Trust Us!!!

00:44:17 David Vargas: We Need To Learn How To Support And Respect Others

00:44:30 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: It’s not rude to talk about race. It’s rude not to.

00:45:08 Crystal Jones: defining the problems and solving them.

00:45:09 David Vargas: I Believe Yes

00:45:34 sarah shinagawa: i think people think talking about race is a bad thing because we are all taught that bias = racism

00:45:41 Crystal Jones: me too that's my why!!!

00:46:47 Gabriel Rouse: If I wasn't strong on the subject, I'm diffidently flying under the radar.

00:46:49 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: Calling the conversation hard, scary, tough puts the two in a sentence that affirms (biases) the thought. These are "important," "necessary," "learning," "empowering" conversations. Name it as an asset.

00:46:50 Claudia Sanchez: A lot of people get info about other races only through the one dimensional view of entertainment or bias media who only show negative images of "others" outside of mainstream, so it's awesome to think about education exploring these issues.

00:46:54 Crystal Jones: by building trusting relationships

00:48:55 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: Yes, Rosemary.

00:49:07 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: This I such a great session.

00:49:12 Crystal Jones: it should be uncomfortable it is ok address the feelings yet still talk about it it is an open space to talk freely

00:49:39 Christy Whalen: So true

00:49:42 Quinn Burke: How do you guys navigate social media like tiktok and Facebook? Kids now get Alot of news about current events from these.

00:49:46 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: True

00:50:54 Crystal Jones: not yoo young

00:50:57 Crystal Jones: not to young

00:51:13 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: Kindergartners have no filter they are very transparent

00:51:19 Renee Marshall: Encourage conversation at ALL ages!!

00:51:23 Alejandra Hernandez: we need to be uncomfortable in order to resolve the issues. Being uncomfortable should not be the why we don't talk about necessary talks

00:51:29 Erendira Ortiz: We tend to underestimate how much they actually understand just because they are young

00:51:34 Crystal Jones: please and yes@ Renee

00:51:38 Paola jauregui: children now are more outspoken

00:51:49 Renee Marshall: And they understand SO much! Never underestimate the intelligence of children.

00:51:50 Paola jauregui: but they understand what's going on

00:51:59 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: Yes

00:52:16 Crystal Jones: you see the color blindness

00:52:22 Paola jauregui: but teaching children at a young age that everyone is the same regardless of colour disabilities etc

00:52:25 Heather P: That's not equity. Every child doesn't need the same

00:52:33 Paola jauregui: the love is there for everyone

00:53:20 Crystal Jones: my 10 year old just had a conversation with me last night I was mind blown how she interconnected to race and how the white kids were being treated in her class deep deep how do we help the need and critical conversation be embraced?

00:54:34 Crystal Jones: @ Heather p yes I'm big on individualized lesson planning!!!

00:55:31 Crystal Jones: not to start a fight but a conversation!!!

00:56:54 Crystal Jones: ongoing practice community circles I call them empathy circles yes!!

00:57:24 Crystal Jones: lets solve it together as a whole.

00:59:39 Christy Whalen: I am a noon supervisor. A 4th grade student mentioned that he was upset that the school is teaching Thanksgiving incorrectly. We had a nice conversation.

01:00:14 Quinn Burke: Columbus Day too

01:01:33 Erendira Ortiz: As Hispanics we see thanksgiving giving as a whole different thing and related to religion rather than what it actually is, and I'm not sure how to address it to try in-laws so we can stop celebrating it. I don't want my kids to have it as pet of their lives.

01:01:56 Heather P: Please continue with your presentation. Time is so limited and I'd like to learn more from your POV.

01:02:05 Quinn Burke: I had to re-learn a lot of things that were taught to me in school

01:02:27 Crystal Jones: I am thankful for you all.

01:02:38 Ashley Harris Buford: Ashley Harris-Buford  
[harris.lovebug.ashley22@gmail.com](mailto:harris.lovebug.ashley22@gmail.com)  
mt sac.  
thank u

01:02:57 Crystal Jones: can we educate and embrace the truth and embrace the history

01:03:08 sarah shinagawa: sorry i forgot the check in earlier  
sarah shinagawa  
citrus college

01:03:09 Adelle Amor Sarmiento: I feel lucky to have woken up and be present in this conversation! Appreciate you all

01:03:22 David Vargas: [dvargas61@student.mtsac.edu](mailto:dvargas61@student.mtsac.edu)

01:03:30 Renee Marshall: Thank you!


01:03:37 dahlya Avila: There needs to be more educators like you ❤️

01:04:05 Crystal Jones: we need to hear the truth!!!

01:04:21 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: <https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2019/11/native-americans-host-national-day-mourning-thanksgiving-191126144255352.html>  
<https://nationaltoday.com/national-day-of-mourning/>  
<https://youtu.be/K7jLeBWMA0U>

<https://open.spotify.com/playlist/0M4HVEkEMSmhcx28blOWKg?si=cHK6bHzGR2-xIEbKlu2USQ>

<https://time.com/5457183/thanksgiving-native-american-holiday/>

- 01:04:25 Christy Whalen: Christy Whalen Mt. Sac [cwhalen1@mtsac.edu](mailto:cwhalen1@mtsac.edu)
- 01:04:47 Daphne Pacheco: daphne pacheco Rio Hondo
- 01:05:06 Claudia Sanchez: Where can we find the book referenced?
- 01:05:20 Crystal Jones: I would love to be trained and become a colored mentor student professor at Cuesta or Cal Poly on Ethnic studies and The Ethnic Experience
- 01:05:32 Erendira Ortiz: Erendira Ortiz- Rio Hondo college  
[epardo6@gmail.com](mailto:epardo6@gmail.com)
- If there's another conference talking about these points I would love to be a part of. I want to be able to not only the educate myself but help mg children understand more about what goes on.
- 01:05:43 Renee Marshall: All attendees will receive a conference certificate after you fill out the conference survey. I will share the survey at the closing session tonight and will send the survey out via email to everyone registered for the conference. Certificates will be emailed next week.
- 01:05:53 Gabriel Rouse: Coming from a multiracial background, It's been difficult for me to identify.
- 01:06:03 Stephanie Diaz: Stephanie Diaz MT.SAC
- 01:06:14 Christy Whalen: Yes
- 01:06:17 Suzanne Vergara: You are amazing Rosemary!
- 01:06:20 Crystal Jones: yes!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
- 01:06:21 Graciela Bataz: This was amazing! Thank you!!
- 01:06:22 Quinn Burke: 
- 01:06:22 Veronica Enriquez: yes
- 01:06:24 Erendira Ortiz: Yes
- 01:06:25 sarah shinagawa: absolutely
- 01:06:27 Evelyn Kim: Yes
- 01:06:30 Kimberly STRAUGHAN: thank u
- 01:06:31 Crystal Jones: thumbs Up
- 01:06:33 Januario Escutia: [jr\\_escutia@yahoo.com](mailto:jr_escutia@yahoo.com)
- 01:06:36 Adelle Amor Sarmiento: yes!
- 01:06:36 Heather P: yes, please!
- 01:06:42 Claudia Sanchez: Absolutely!
- 01:06:46 David Vargas: Yes And Thank You



01:06:52 Rekha Chhabra: Absolutely!

01:06:59 Crystal Jones: [cclearningfooundatio@yahoo.com](mailto:cclearningfooundatio@yahoo.com)

01:07:00 dahlya Avila: Rosemary wow, it takes a lot of courage to do what you. Powerful

01:07:08 Aida Alkhasova: How can we be in the situations that we don't know the answers?

01:07:09 Januario Escutia: Thank you so much!

01:07:15 Gabriel Rouse: Thank you so much for everything on such a short time frame. I enjoyed this very much.

01:07:29 Angelica Guzmán: [angelica\\_guzman29@yahoo.com](mailto:angelica_guzman29@yahoo.com)

01:07:31 Marini Smith: Thank you so much!

01:07:37 Crystal Jones: [crystaljonesfamilychildcare@gmail.com](mailto:crystaljonesfamilychildcare@gmail.com) I would love to stay connected to you all.

01:07:40 SANDRA FLORES: Thank you. [Teachersandra73@yahoo.com](mailto:Teachersandra73@yahoo.com)

01:08:10 Stephanie Diaz: [Stephaniediaz723@yahoo.com](mailto:Stephaniediaz723@yahoo.com)

01:08:11 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: [mtg102215@gmail.com](mailto:mtg102215@gmail.com)

01:08:11 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: Racial identity development:  
<https://open.spotify.com/playlist/0M4HVEkEMSmhcx28blOWKg?si=CHK6bHzGR2-xIEbKlu2USQ>

01:08:43 Renee Marshall: SPECIAL WORKSHOP BY OUR PARTNERS AT CUESTA COLLEGE  
Pathways to your teaching credential: Basic Skills and Subject Requirement Cuesta College  
Join us as we discuss the recent changes to the Basic Skills and Subject Matter Requirements to obtain your California Teaching Credential. Learn about the new options for meeting the Basic Skills and Subject Matter Requirements for California Teachers. Find out more about test preparation workshops if you choose the testing option. Get details about different paths to earning your teaching credential. Have the opportunity to participate in a Q&A with Cuesta and Cal Poly, SLO Faculty and Staff  
Register in advance for this meeting:  
<https://cuesta-edu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJckce-vpzkuHdUNW-WUkTV6qYcq4TDQjWwy>  
After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.  
Session is presented by a credentialed teacher

01:08:48 Suzanne Vergara: thank you Renee

01:08:51 sarah shinagawa: [sshinagawa95@yahoo.com](mailto:sshinagawa95@yahoo.com)

01:09:20 Heather P: Thank you, Renee, for Teach for LA. It is a valuable conference for so many people.

01:09:20 Adelle Amor Sarmiento: Thank you so much!

01:09:23 Erendira Ortiz: Thank you so much!

01:09:25 Crystal Jones: send me info please Ms. Renee

01:09:28 Evelyn Kim: Thank you!!

01:09:33 sarah shinagawa: thank you so much!

01:09:34 Gabriel Rouse: I'm on LinkedIn if anyone wants to connect Gabriel E. Rouse  
Maintenance Mechanic USPS.

01:09:35 Suzanne Vergara: Thank you for your time! <3

01:09:39 Crystal Jones: for Rosemary event tonight and our future meeting please....

01:09:45 Jeremy Ramos: Thank you so much

01:09:47 Dawn DiMarzo: Thank you

01:09:49 Suzanne Edwards-Acton: Thank you

01:09:52 Claudia Sanchez: Yes, thank you all, for this, very much appreciated!

01:09:53 Maria T Gonzalez Lopez: Thank you

01:09:56 Rekha Chhabra: Thank you!

01:09:58 Glenda Conde: Thank you!

01:10:16 William Salazar: THANK YOU

01:10:20 Diana Cruz: thank you

01:10:23 Gabriel Rouse: WOOT WOOT TY

01:10:23 Rosemary Wrenn (she/hers): Thank you!

01:10:24 Veronica Enriquez: Thank you so much this was very interesting. Truly enjoyed.

01:10:26 Erendira Ortiz: 👍

01:10:34 Crystal Jones: thank you so much