



MID-WEST
RBERN WEEKLY NOTES

*A weekly roundup of news and information from the
Mid-West Regional Bilingual Education Resource Network*

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INFOGRAPHIC: Halloween Around the World

See attached image or visit: <https://www.rappler.com/rich-media/15008-infographic-halloween,-around-the-world>



RBERN Current PD Offerings

Please see the attached flyers for details about our upcoming professional development sessions.

Visit [MyLearningPlan](#) to register.

- **NYS Seal of Biliteracy Midwest Regional Collaborative – 11/13-521**
- **Understanding Diversity: Hispanic & Latino Students – 11/16**
- **Engaging Parents of ELLs – 11/20**



Languages in Education Career Exploration Fair

Please share the attached flyer with colleagues, students, families or anyone interested in a career in education. To register, visit: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/languages-in-education-career-exploration-fair-tickets-38634642255>



Midwest RSE-TASC Bilingual Special Education Workshop Catalog (Updated)

Please see the attached workshop catalog, or visit mylearningplan.com for more information.



Seminar Presented by **JAMES MAY, ED.D.**
Award-Winning ESL Teacher and Digital Innovator

Making Best Use of Free or Low-Cost Tech Resources to Save Time and Increase the Effectiveness of Your ELL Instruction (Grades K-12)

This seminar is offered by the Bureau of Education & Research and will be offered in Rochester on December 14, 2017. For more information, see the attached flyer or visit:

<https://ber.org/seminars/CourseInfo.cfm?seid=EDM8F1-RCN>



CAL WEBINAR: College and Career Readiness for ELs: November 7, 4- 5 PM

In this interactive webinar, participants will learn programmatic and instructional strategies for supporting English learners in preparing for college and careers. An expert educator and English learner administrator will describe the program that is implemented in this large suburban district, as well as instructional strategies that

could be used by teachers in any programmatic context to help support and prepare English learners for success in postsecondary settings. To register, please visit:

<https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/463558885964689410>



RESOURCE: Culturally Responsive Education: A Primer For Policy And Practice from NYU's Metropolitan Center for Research on Equity and the Transformation of Schools

The purpose of this brief is to outline the extensive history and development of Culturally Responsive Education in order to determine its most immediate practical applications. Access the brief here:

http://steinhardt.nyu.edu/scmsAdmin/media/users/atn293/pdf/CRE_Brief_2017_PrintBooklet_170817.pdf

COMMUNITY EVENT: Multi-Agency Collaboration/Hurricane Maria

More than one dozen local agencies and organizations collaborate with Ibero to support incoming families devastated by Hurricane Maria in Puerto Rico:

<http://iaal.org/2017/10/24/multi-agency-collaboration-for-hurricane-maria/>



Welcome Reception for Hurricane Maria Families in Rochester!

Bienvenidos a Rochester!

*Recepción especial para las familias de Puerto Rico
afectadas por el Huracán María*



**Thursday, November 9, 2017
10:00am - 3:00pm
938 Clifford Avenue
Rochester, NY 14621**

*Jueves, 9 de noviembre de 2017
10:00am - 3:00pm
938 Clifford Avenue
Rochester, NY 14621*

Ibero and other local agencies will host a welcome reception for families from Puerto Rico that have relocated to Rochester and are in need of services and assistance after the Hurricane Maria.

El evento será presentado por IBERO y otras agencias que están colaborando con nosotros y ofrecerán información, servicios y ayuda llenando solicitudes para familias afectadas por Huracán María.

If you have your documents, you can bring them with you: Photo ID, Medical Insurance Cards, Social Security, Driver's License, Etc.
Si tiene sus documentos, puede traerlos con usted: Identificación con Foto, Seguro Médico, Seguro Social, Licencia de Conducir, etc.

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Our Goal at Mid-West RBERN:

The Mid-West Regional Bilingual Resource Network is part of the NYS Education Department's network of support for schools.

The goal of RBERN is to assist districts and schools in creating an educational environment for English Language Learners which engages everyone in meaningful teaching and learning.

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