



Recreation Department Aids Education

Free Tutoring in Online Schooling for Parents, Guardians

City Supports Families in Learning to Use Online Educational Tech, in English and Spanish

The City of Santa Fe Recreation Department is offering much-needed assistance in how to use online schooling technology and platforms. The Community Tutors program supplements the work of schools and teachers under COVID-mandated remote learning protocols by educating at-home guardians as well as students.

The sessions are online and by appointment; clients can use school-issued computers. Tutors will assist both guardians students with tips and best practices for how to get the most out of their digital learning tools and platforms. The objective is that this increased familiarity will complement and enhance the student's experience in today's digital classrooms. Most tutors speak Spanish. Tutors will work evenings and weekends, when families need them most.

For more information please visit chavezcenter.com and the GCCC Facebook page (facebook.com/chavezcommunitycenter) or call (505) 955-4065 or (505) 405-4066.

"Our world changed overnight with the COVID pandemic. Teachers and administrators are doing amazing work doing the best they can to give our children the best education possible under these new, challenging circumstances. We want to do our part in helping our community to effectively use these online tools," said Recreation Director John Muñoz. "I am very proud of the innovation and the outreach that Melissa Bustos, Michael Olguin, James Garduño, Janice Krish, and the rest of my team came up with to launch this initiative. I am excited we will do this important work in Spanish with more languages supported in the near future."