



*Friends of Children with Special Needs*



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**LOCATIONS:** Fremont (RCEB) & San Jose (SARC)

**SERVING 300+ CONSUMERS THRU  
275 WEEKLY ONLINE CLASSES:**

**For Children:** ASP, Enrichment Programs, 1:1 Flexible Subject Programs

**For Adults:** ADP, SLS, ILS, SEP, TDS, Transportation

**For Families:** Respite Care, Seminars, Mentorships, Family Support, Outreach

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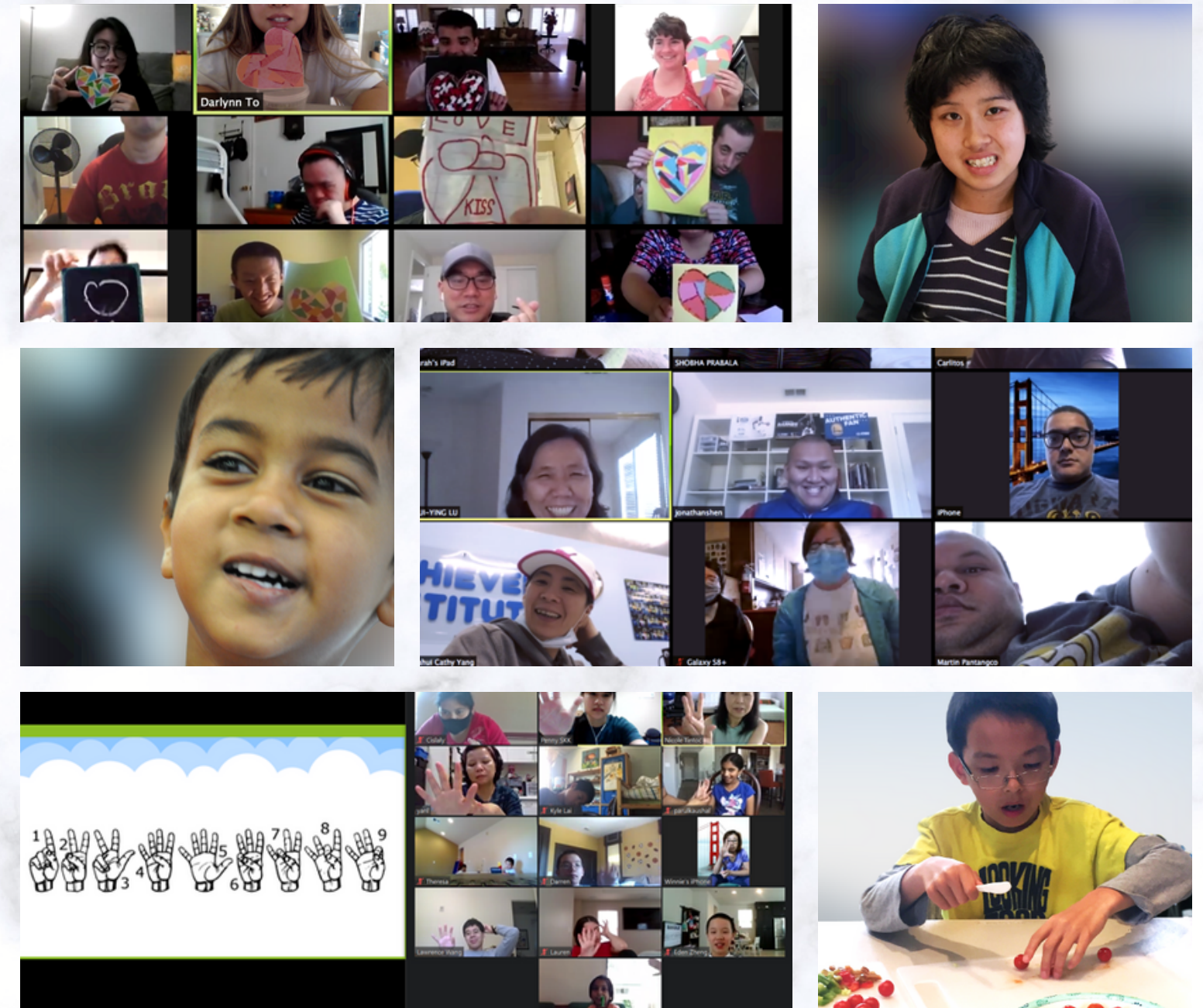
## PRINCIPLES FOR PROVIDING ALTERNATIVE SERVICES:

- **Equity in Virtual Learning:** Reliable technological resources & training
- **High Quality Remote Services**
  - Reliable technology for staff to deliver quality virtual training
  - Innovative, Fun & Tailored Curriculum that meets consumers' cognitive levels, functional skills, interests and needs
  - Person-Centered- A variety of fun and creative classes
- **New Class Development:**
  - Soliciting input from consumers, **Consumer Councils**, parents and staff
  - Based on their expertise and resources, staff and volunteers develop curriculum



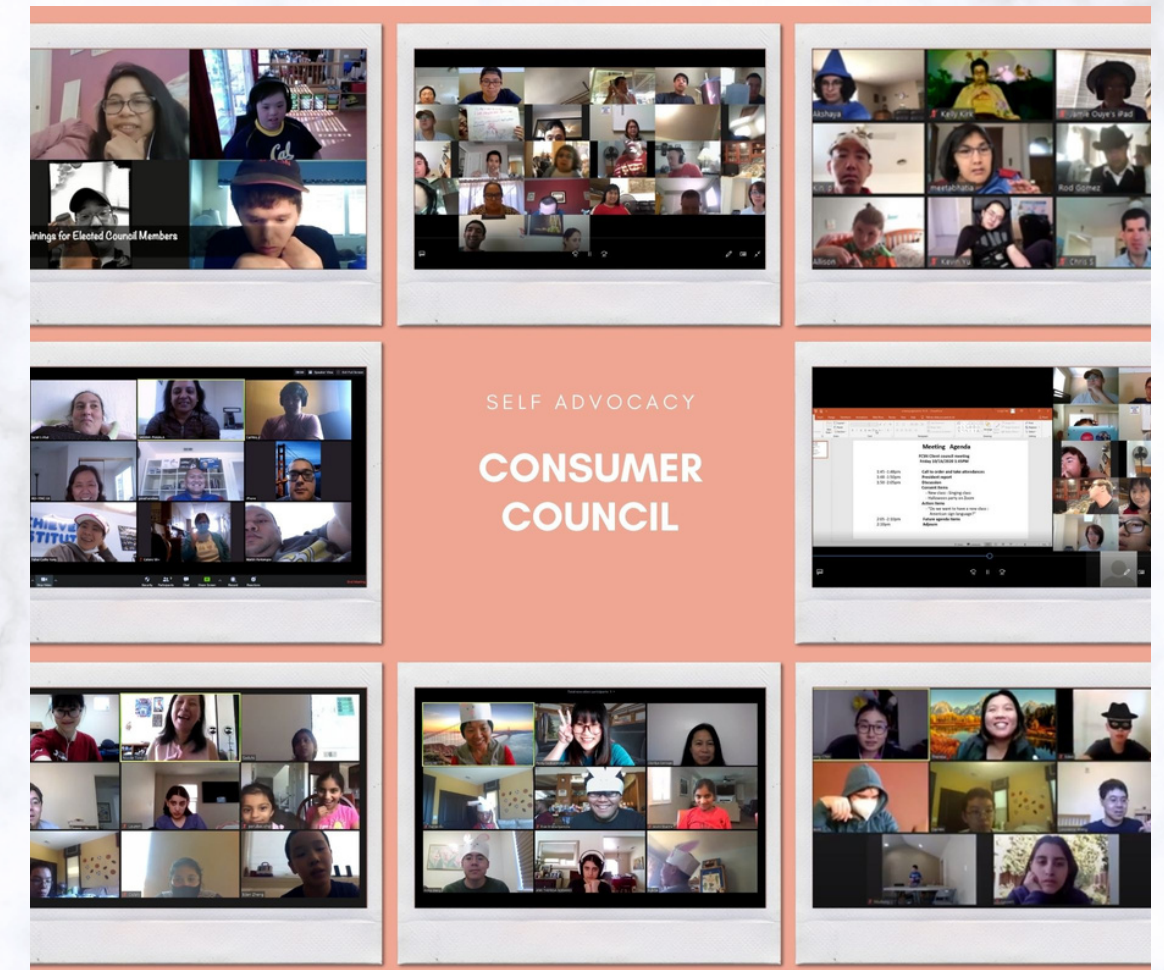
## Virtual Training Logistics:

- One zoom link for each program. Breakout rooms for smaller groups.
- Consumers choose the classes they like and commit for a month.
- Skype, Face Time, Google Meet- platforms that are familiar to consumers.
- Schedules are sent in advance every week to consumers and parents.
- We also follow up with phone calls and delivery class materials tailored to clients' interests and skills.



# Consumer Council

- **Introduction:** Purpose and functions of the Consumer Council
- **Campaign Period:** Consumers created posters and campaigned for votes
- **Election Day:** 8 consumers with the most votes formed the core council
- **Election of Officers:** President, Vice President and Secretary
- **Training:** Council roles and duties, conducting meetings, taking minutes, etc.
- **Council Office Hours:** Soliciting suggestions from the consumer body, re: upcoming plans, classes & activities
- **Council Meeting:** Staff facilitates the meeting with the Council members



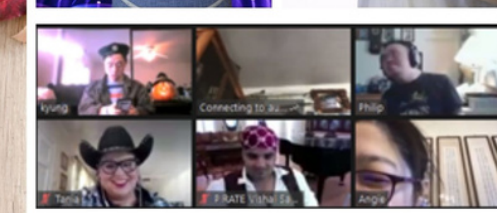
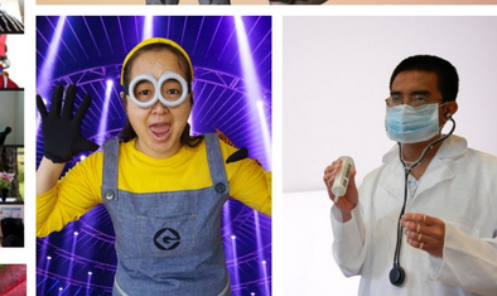
*Video- Consumer Council*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OA8dfNyOVco&t=15s>



# INNOVATIVE Services

- Community Integration Focus
- Enrichment & 1:1 Flexible Subject Programs
- Innovative Virtual Training
- Train the Trainer: Graphic Design class
- Family Support
- Community Connections



## *Friends of Children with Special Needs*

### Community Integration Focus:

- Building a Support System through a Network of Volunteers Community Integration
- Train Youth Volunteers – 4 times a year (200+ youths/yr)
- Recruit Experts to Volunteer

### Enrichment Programs

- Lego Robotics
- Toastmasters
- American Sign Language
- Choir/Music
- Computer Science



*Video- Enrichment Program*

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d\\_kZ1wpTQAs](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d_kZ1wpTQAs)

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### **1:1 Flexible Subject Programs:**

(250+ students enrolled)

- Musical Instruments
- Chinese
- Games
- Drama
- Coding
- Sports
- Karaoke

### **200+ Fun Self-Guided Activity Videos @ FCSN website**

- Silly Dances
- Cultural dances
- Percussion



*Video- 1:1 Flexible Subject Programs*  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vWCXrUd5pHI>

## Samples of Innovative Remote Services

- Virtual Social Lunch
- Creative Cooking
- Innovative Enrichment Activities
- Fun Science
- Happy House
- Photography 101
- ESL & Karaoke
- ASL



## VIRTUAL SOCIAL LUNCH



**EAT HEALTHY & STAY CONNECTED**



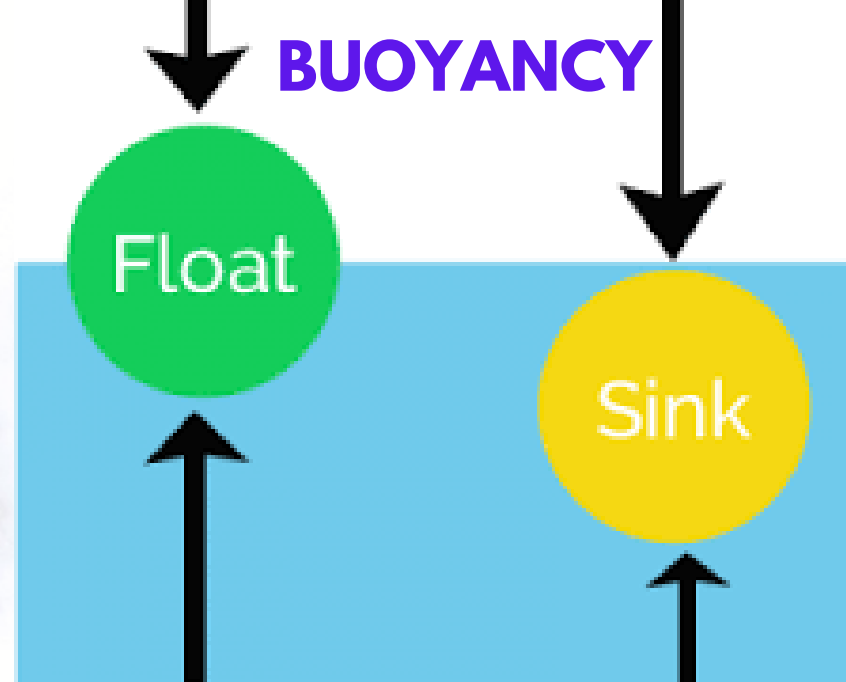
*Video- Creative Cooking*

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*Video- Innovative Remote Services*

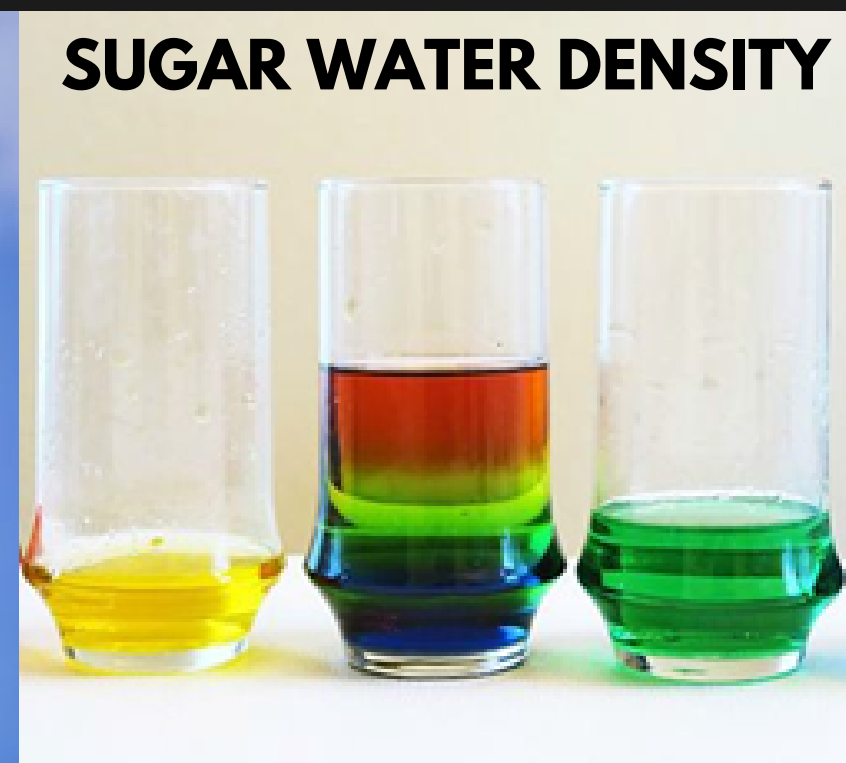
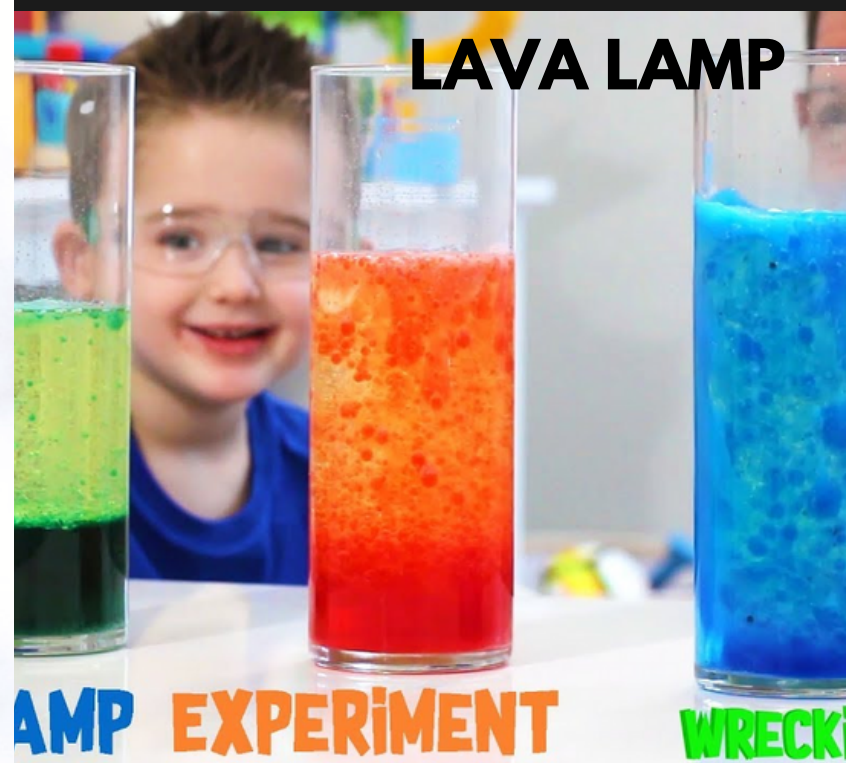
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BE CREATIVE

# ***FUN SCIENCE***

AND HAVE FUN

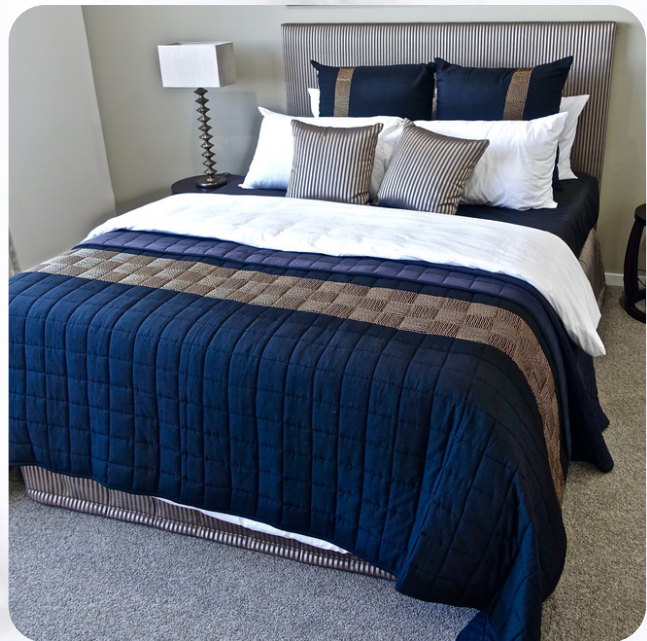




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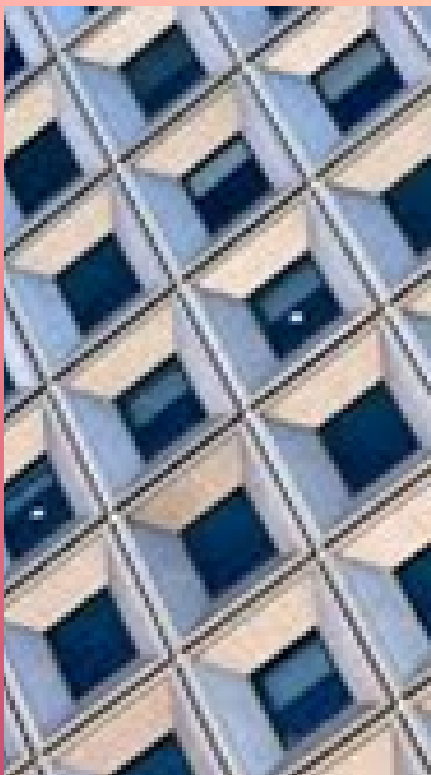


# Photography 101



## Syllabus:

- iPhone/Smart Phone Photography
- Mobile Device Technique
- Rule of Thirds
- The 7 Elements of Photography
- Perspective And Position
- Basic Understanding of Exposure
- 10 Photography Themes






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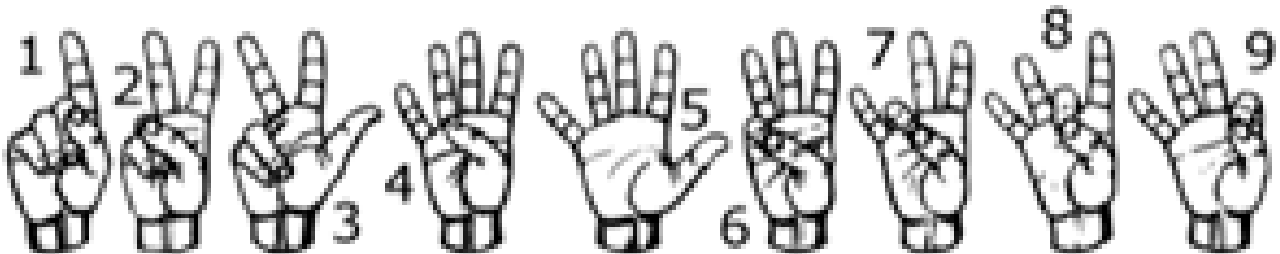


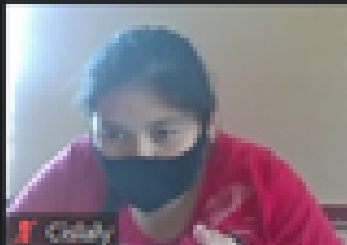
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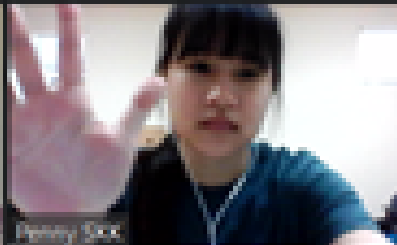
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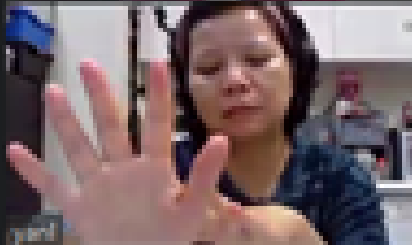


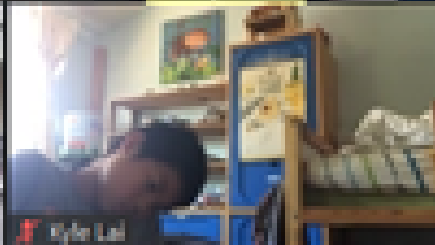


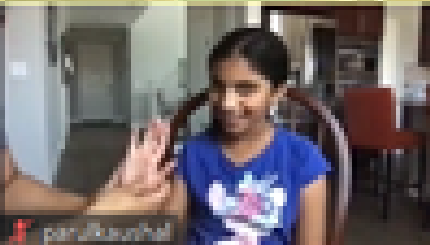
  
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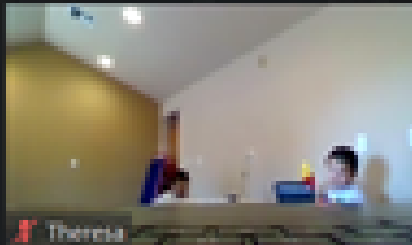
  
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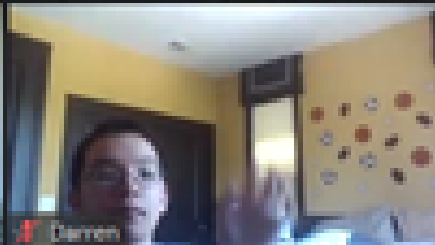
  
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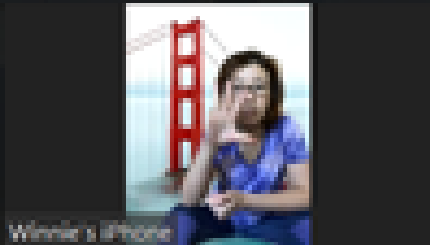
  
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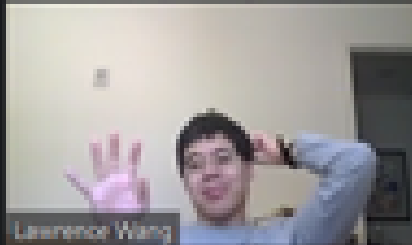
  
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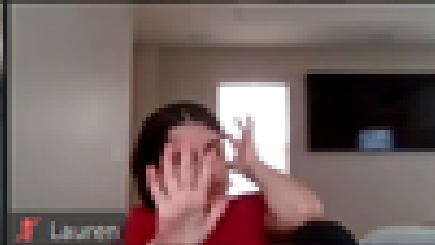
  
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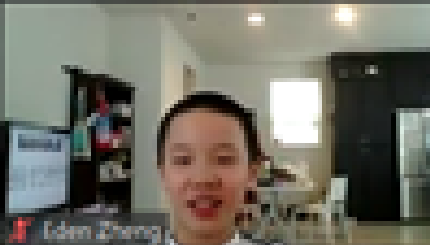
  
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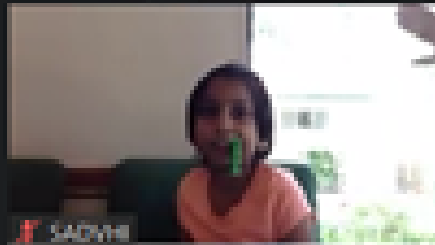
  
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## Train the Trainer:

- A youth volunteer teaches "Graphic Design" to 20 staff.
- A total of 10 sessions, with homework assignments.
- Staff presents homework at each class and receives feedbacks.
- After completion, staff redesigns the curriculum based on consumers' skills and interests.
- Staff conducts classes in smaller groups.
- Future "Train the Trainer" classes: Video Making, Excel, Webpage Design, etc.



*Video- TrainTheTrainer*

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_0tv\\_x1b3bQ&t=11s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_0tv_x1b3bQ&t=11s)

## Family Support:

- **Weekly Parents Support Meetings:** 56 (1.5 hour meetings)
  - Physician's advices for COVID
  - Emergency Preparedness
  - Regional Center services
  - Mental Health
- Number of Families reached each week 60 – 100
- Understanding and support of the families and address their needs



*Video- StandByMeA*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=21tC938JkB8>

# Community Connections

## Bring Hope & Joy ("Medicine for the Soul") – 17 Virtual Concerts by Dream Achievers Band

### Partnership with Community Members: PPE and Supplies



*Video- DreamAchievers'HalloweenAMusicA*  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q8KyBcTCH0A>



*Video- HealTheWorldA*  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=na36NGWZsm4>



*Video- FCSN Remote Services*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tjL6Y8F1o9M&t=5s>

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