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Answer TEC's TRIVIA Question:
What kind of business can you start after studying
Early Childhood Education?

1. Answer the trivia question.
2. E-mail your name and answer to: ycarballo@dadeschools.net
3. The first 5 correct answers will be entered into a raffle.
4. One student winner per month.

HURRY! COMPETITION ENDS THE 15th OF EACH MONTH

The English Center *newsletter*

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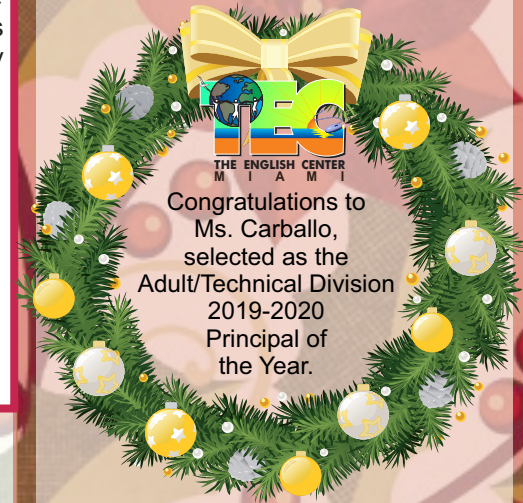
Success Pathways students collect food to donate Thanksgiving baskets.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Here we are in December already! The first few months of school passed by so quickly! This is a busy season. Parties, family visits, and other events fill our time. TEC had a project that reflects the caring community culture that is growing in our school. Success Pathways students collected food for Thanksgiving to give to students in need. Previously they collected toiletries for the homeless.

As we close out the last few weeks of the year, I wish everyone a wonderful holiday with lots of family time together. Think about this for the new year: Don't be mean, be meaningful!

Yamila Carballo
Principal



Congratulations to
Ms. Carballo,
selected as the
Adult/Technical Division
2019-2020
Principal of
the Year.

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EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Different backgrounds motivated two students to study Early Childhood Education. Ashley Monduy was born in Miami and works as a hostess at a fast food restaurant. She wants to work in a day care center in order to have a more financially stable job. She is planning to attend Miami-Dade College part-time. She sees getting certified in Early Childhood Education as a stepping stone to her wish to become a high school teacher.

Imperio Ramos came to Miami from Guayaquil, Ecuador in 2016. She said, "In Ecuador I would take care of all of my friends' kids and those in my family. There was "no program to study about children." She sees the Early Childhood Education program as an opportunity to one day own her own day care center. Her future plans include doing fundraising to offer scholarships to families who send their children to her center.

Both students agree that their teacher, Ms. Vera Lamar, is excellent because she teaches practical information they can understand and apply to taking care of children.

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WHAT WAS YOUR BEST DAY THIS YEAR? WHY?

DAY	STUDENT	TEACHER
My birthday because I received gifts	America Ana Alvarez	Ms. Garcia
The day my father came from Spain	Daniella del Valle	Mr. Soto
Last Christmas because all my family was together	Herci Suarez	Mr. Leon- Sánchez
My two days vacation to Key Biscayne	Aron Rojans	Mrs. Romero
My mom's birthday-She is the most important person in my life.	Mario Millian	Ms. Garcia
The day on my job I got more money because I did more sales	Rosangeca Toro	Mr. de Varona
I didn't have one.	Ashley Monduy	Ms. Lamar
My birthday-I am happy on this day.	Yubel Roman	Dr. Martinez-Pérez
My mother's birthday-She is my favorite person.	Jonathan Mongeotti	Mr. Bernal
Each day is my best day because I am alive.	Joana Pinto	Mr. Leon- Sánchez
Halloween. There was a basket of candy passed around and everyone felt like a kid.	Dianne Fuenzalida	Ms. Martinez

EVENTS

- Dec. 3...1st heart transplant-1967
- Dec. 4...Phonograph invented-1877
- Dec. 5...Walt Disney born-1901
- Dec. 7...Pearl Harbor Remembrance-1941
- Dec. 11...Pilgrims landed on Plymouth Rock-1620
- Dec. 16..Boston Tea Party-1773
- Dec. 17...Wright brothers 1st flight-1903
- Dec. 20..Electric light demonstrated-1879
- Dec. 22..Mercury thermometer invented-1714
- Dec. 24..Apollo 8 reached the moon-1968
- Dec. 25..Christmas
- Dec. 26..Boxing Day
- Dec. 31..New Year's Eve