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**ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTITUTE HOSTS ESL REGISTRATION EVENT  
SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 2013 AT 11:00 A.M.**

**San Bruno, California – April 23, 2013:** The English Language Institute (ELI) at Skyline College is hosting an ESL Registration Event on Saturday, April 27, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. in Building 5 on campus. The event is a one-stop service event designed to save students time and money by streamlining the process, making it easier for ESL students to access education.

For English language learners who want to improve their job prospects, it usually involves several trips to a school and endless forms to fill out, in English. The English Language Institute of Skyline College simplifies the process with an all-inclusive day of applications, placement tests, financial information, and orientations – with snacks and even child care.

“English learners are often working several jobs, or jobs with inflexible schedules,” says ELI Coordinator Leigh Anne Shaw, “so it isn’t possible for them to make multiple trips to the campus. In one day, we get it all done.” Busy parents can drop kids off at the child care center while they complete all their registration steps.

ELI staff and student volunteers are on hand to offer assistance with forms, orientation, placement testing, and making an appointment with a counselor. “Complicated forms can be very intimidating for language learners,” says Program Services Coordinator Amber Wolak. “We help them complete all the steps to ensure they get the classes they need.”

Skyline College is located at 3300 College Dr., San Bruno, CA 94066. For more information, please contact the ELI at [skyeli@smccd.edu](mailto:skyeli@smccd.edu) or 650-738-7089.

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