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Countdown to #NTXGivingDay

Congratulations to Tonia Garner, TLC’s First Student to Pass the HiSET® Exam!

Tonia began studying for the HSET with Ladder Alliance and transferred to TLC in 2013, where she passed each individual subject test on the 2002 GED but did not have a high enough average to pass the full battery. Our teachers recognized that Tonia might qualify for accommodations, which make it possible for students with learning disabilities to show what they know without being impeded by those disabilities. Then, thanks to the support of Joan Shigley, The Learning Center of North Texas, and the HiSET staff, Tonia was awarded accommodations and firmly on the road to success. On July 27, Tonia passed the HiSET exam in Ardmore, OK - by exceeding the minimum score of 45. Way to go, Tonia!

Thank you to all who donated to TLC’s Get There Sooner campaign! "Get There Sooner” raised the money following us to take our students to Oklahoma where they can take the HiSET now, before it is available in Texas.

Christian Women’s Job Corps - Job Training for Women

Free 6 Weeks Training for Unemployed or Underemployed Women

October 5 - Nov 18
Agape Baptist Church
3800 Southwest Blvd, in Fort Worth

Call 817-923-6800 for more information.
Citizenship Classes Starting at Agape Baptist Church

Location: Agape Baptist Church located at 3954 Southwest Blvd, Fort Worth, TX 76116
Time: Wednesdays 6:30pm to 8:00pm
This class is for individuals who need to submit their USCIS applications and need to prepare for the citizenship interview and the US History and Civics test. The class is led in English and free childcare is available during this time.
Classes begin on Sept. 14th and end on Nov. 2nd.
For more information please call Shelly Whitfield: 817-437-2597

Literacy ConneXus’ 2016 English Language Acquisition Instructor Training!

Teaching English With-Excellence (TEX) Training is coming to a city near you! These trainings will help new instructors to master the skills they need to be effective leaders of an English Language Acquisition classroom. Reservations are required.
Click here to learn more about these upcoming training events!