



Bilingual Families of SJ

We provide second language acquisition educational resources and support to the bilingual families in the area

Featured Family

Jissel, Sandy, and Amy



Jissel has brought her daughter, Amy, to the bilingual classes for about 1 year. They enjoy the opportunity to play, sing, and learn together with other Spanish speaking families. Both Jissel and Sandy are from the Dominican Republic and maintain Spanish is their home. Attending these classes helps them support their daughter's Spanish education. The BF of SJ can always rely on Jissel's creativity to bring artistic learning tools when she leads the class.

Community Outreach

Part of mission of BF of SJ is to provide a service to our communities. Laura and Julie have collaborated with local libraries (Haddon Township and Collingswood) to increase their selection of Spanish Children's books. Kristin participated in Haddonfield Middle School's Wellness Day where she gave a mindfulness lesson to a group of 8th grade students.



Haddonfield Middle School

Classes for Spanish as Second Language:

Age 0 - 5 Saturdays 10:15 am to 11 am in room 153.

Classes for Spanish Bilingual Families

Age 0 - 5: Saturdays 10:15 am to 11 am in room 155 b.

Age 5 - 10: Sundays 4 pm to 5 pm in Salon de Arte

Community Events

Philadelphia Museum of Art

Mexican Modernism

October 25 - January 8

Holiday Party December 4 at 4pm at Markeim Arts Center, Haddonfield

Bilingual Families of SJ Meeting November 19 at 5:30, room 153 in Haddonfield Middle School

HOLIDAY PARTY

To celebrate the Holiday Season, BF of SJ will host a party. This will be an opportunity to experience the different traditions from various Spanish speaking countries. Families will share traditional foods, sing Christmas songs, and play games. Please invite your Spanish speaking friends who want to learn more about our bilingual community.



Quick Tip

When you are Giving Thanks this Thanksgiving, sit with that feeling for 10 - 20 sec. This way you are making this positive emotion a part of your brain structure.

Kristin Leren

DO YOU HAVE YOUR BUSINESS CARD?



Please ask us for them so you can give them away every time you come across a family who might be interested in joining us. You can keep them in your wallet!

MINDFULNESS



WHAT ARE WE LEARNING IN CLASS?

The two younger classes are learning Spanish songs and are learning vocabulary through story time. These 0 to 5 year olds have also focused on numbers and counting. Movement and play are techniques used to teach these youngsters. The older group is already reading a chapter book 'El Principito' and having discussions after each chapter.

Please refer to the website for details about the curriculum. <http://bilingualfamiliesofsj.org/>

SRA. FLO ENGAGED THE STUDENTS IN A PRACTICE THAT COMBINED LEARNING COLORS, COUNTING, AND IMPULSE CONTROL (PICTURE TO LEFT)