

2012 Schedule

January 21

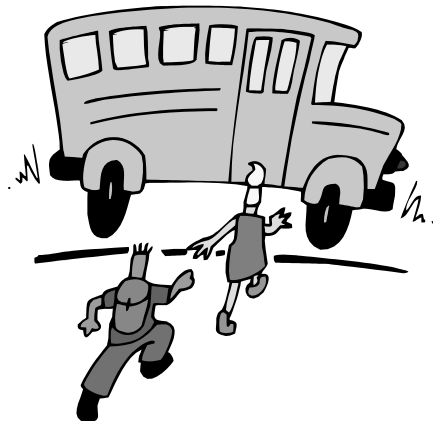
March 3

March 31

April 28

May 18-19

*We provide transportation
and a hot breakfast!*



New Mexico State University



Chicano Programs Mission Statement

Our mission is to advocate for Hispanic students at New Mexico State University. Our focus is on recruitment, retention, and graduation of all Hispanic students; to focus on the twelve Hispanic-centered student organizations on campus and provide cultural and academic programs for NMSU and the community at large.

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Generaciones

2012

Mother/Daughter Program



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What is **Generaciones**?

The **Generaciones** Program, with the help of Kappa Delta Chi Sorority, consists of a series of monthly sessions throughout the Spring 2012 semester. Each session focuses on bringing a group of fifth-grade girls and their mothers together to discuss and participate in a variety of relationship-building dialogues: The goals of the program are to allow the mother & daughter to:

- **Share quality time and enjoy genuine interaction, which is intended to facilitate communication between generations;**
- Discuss a variety of family traditions and values;
- **Listen to information on preparing for college;**
- Listen to discussions on the importance of education;
- **Learn the habits and skills that promote success in education;**
- Development of personal and professional goals.
- **Develop an open-communication-approach between mother & daughter**

Generaciones is based on research which shows if a fifth-grade girl has the three traits listed below, her chances for graduating high school, pursuing higher education, and preventing self-destructive behaviors are greatly increased.

- Have a productive and close relationship with her mother
- Have high self-esteem
- Have recognized personal and professional goals

Selection Criteria

In order to qualify as a **Generaciones** participant, a girl must meet the following criteria.

- From a low-income family
- From a family where neither parent has graduated from college
- Be of Hispanic descent (preferred, but not mandatory)
- Be able to bring mother, step-mother or another trusted adult/female role model to participate in the program with her.

Speakers & Associates

- Kappa Delta Chi Sorority
- Dr. Conchita Paz, Family Practitioner
- Judge Lourdes Martinez, United States Magistrate, New Mexico District Court

Joni Gutierrez, Landscape Architect and New Mexico Legislator



Dr. Michele Nishiguchi,
NMSU Biology
Professor

