



Hmong Language
and Culture
Enrichment
Program (HLCEP)

Vision: *Hmong students fully participate and contribute to society as adults through the support from all communities.*

Mission: *To develop productive citizens and leaders through enhancing academic skills.*

Enrollment – please visit our website at:
<http://www.hmonglceyouth.wix.com/hmonglceyouthcamp> to register your child.

Date: June 22 – July 31, 2015

Cost: \$75 per student per week.

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Who is HLCEP?

- The Hmong Language and Culture Enrichment Program is a summer program created 2013 to address the achievement gaps of Hmong students. HLCEP is designed to teach Hmong literacy and culture for elementary and middle school students.
- HLCEP is a 6-week intensive program, M-F, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., that offer a safe and healthy environment for students to learn about their roots and gain confidence. As a result, they will be proud of their heritage, stay focus academically, and become productive citizens and leaders.

Guest Speaker Series

To introduce students to career exploration, we also invite four Hmong professionals to speak to our students each year. Our goal is to inspire young minds to imagine what they could be when they grow up. *Below is a student with*



*Colonel
Yee
Chang
Hang
from
D.C.*

Why should you send your child(ren) to HLCEP?

If you answer “yes” to these questions, your child deserves to attend HLCEP.

1. *It is important that my child know about his/her roots and why the Hmong came to America.*
2. *I want my child to learn about the Hmong culture so he/she can better balance between the Hmong and mainstream worlds.*
3. *It is important that my child be proud of who he/she is, his/her cultural heritage, and speak Hmong at home.*
4. *I want my child to succeed academically and become a productive citizens and future leaders.*

Hmong Gala Dinner Fundraiser

*HLCEP holds an annual **Hmong Gala Dinner** to raise money in order to make HLCEP tuitions affordable for parents. The total cost of attending HLCEP is \$350 per child per week. Parents, however, pay only \$75 per student per week.*

If you are interested in volunteering your time at this event, please call 622-1842 or send email to hmonglceyouth@gmail.com.

Weekly Cultural Themes

Week One – Kinship. The first week is focused on Kinship. Students will look at their own family and develop their own family tree.

Week Two – History. The students will learn about the Hmong history and why the Hmong people came to America.

Week Three – Customs. The students will learn about Hmong customs: New Year, wedding, funeral and so on.

Week Four – Arts, Crafts & Music. Students will learn about the variety of Hmong poetry, arts, crafts, and musical instruments.

Week Five – Religion. Students Will be exposed to both Hmong traditional and Christianity ways of life.

Week Six – Final Projects. Students will be busy rehearsing and preparing their performances to be delivered at the Completion Celebration for their parents and friends.

Student Progresses

Student assessment includes a pre/post literacy and behavioral test to measure student achievements.

In 2014, students increased their Hmong knowledge of reading, writing, and comprehension on average by 32%. The advance students increased their scores from 66% to 90%, intermediate students increased their scores from 39% to 81%, and the beginners increased their scores from 22% to 51%.