

# Community Education

Spring  
2024

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## About Us

Southeast New Mexico College (SENMC) Community Education offers you the opportunity to explore new activities for personal growth and enjoyment. Enjoy flexible, short-term classes designed to develop new interests without the pressure of taking tests. Develop your creativity while broadening your scope of entertainment. Topics include art, music, cooking, computer skills, personal finance, health and wellness, welding, and much more. Our knowledgeable instructors include retired professionals, SENMC faculty members, and business owners.

### Spring Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00am - 5:30pm, Friday 8:00am - 12:00pm  
SENMC is closed on weekends, and the following holidays during this term:  
February 19th and March 29th

## Spring Registration begins January 15th, 2024!

### Register Early!

Early registration is encouraged to ensure enrollment in the class and to prevent cancellation of class due to low enrollment.

### How to Register

Thank you for your interest in SENMC Community Education. It is easy and convenient to register, simply choose the option that is easiest for you.

Register in person at our SENMC Community Education Office, Office 1B.  
Call our office at 575.234.9268 for a registration form.

Mail registration form to:

Community Education  
1500 University Drive  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

Or email:

mquintana@senmc.edu

Payments can be made in the SENMC Business Office, Office 1B, or by calling 575.234.9200 for credit card payments. **Note: Payment is due prior to the beginning of the first class. Course costs include all classes unless otherwise stated.**

**Exciting, fun, enriching, and best of all....affordable!**  
**Veterans and active military with ID card receive a 10% discount.**

We're always looking for new, enthusiastic teachers. Do you have a special skill, interest or hobby you would like to share? If you are interested in teaching a class with Community Education, please contact us at 575.234.9268 or 575.234.9277 for a Class Proposal Form or visit us on campus. We are located in Office 1B.

SENMC does not discriminate on the basis of age, ancestry, color, disability, gender identity, genetic information, national origin, race, religion, retaliation, serious medical condition, sex (including pregnancy), sexual orientation, spousal affiliation or protected veteran status in its programs and activities as required by equal opportunity/affirmative action regulations and laws and university policy and rules. All complaints of discrimination should be made to the VP of Student Services.

#### Refund Policy

Your payment, minus a \$10.00 cancellation fee, will be refunded if you provide a request three working days prior to beginning of class. Refund requests can be made directly to the Community Education office by phone or send to mquintana@senmc.edu. Refunds may take up to 30 days to be processed. If a student cannot attend, a substitute may be appointed. A full (100%) refund will be given only for classes that are cancelled by SENMC Community Education. Please note that refunds cannot be issued for online courses when registered through Ed2Go.



# SPRING BREAK CAMPS

March 25th – March 28th

## Cooking Around The World

### Ages 6 and up

This class is a fun and educational way for children to broaden their culinary horizons and develop a lifelong love of cooking! They will learn about the culture and traditions that shape each cuisine.

**Instructor: Mireya Hernandez**

**Total Course Hours: 4**

**Cost: \$60**

**When: March 25th – March 28th**

**Time: 11:30am – 12:30pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 255**



## Abstract Art

### Ages 5 to 7

In this class students will learn that art isn't just pretty landscape paintings and Bowls of painted fruit. Art does not have to represent an accurate description of visual reality, but instead can use shapes, colors, forms and marks to achieve an emotional effect from those who view it.

**Instructor: Demitri Ambrose (Destination DIY)**

**Total Course Hours: 4**

**Cost: \$50**

**When: March 25th – March 28th**

**Time: 10:00am – 11:00am**

**Location: SENMC Room 102**



## Little Scientists

### Ages 4 and up

In this class, little learners will be exposed to creative and fun hands-on science experiments and projects covering various science topics. These experiments and projects will encourage learners to identify the various concepts of science behind what they are doing. Science experiments are about doing, testing, and observing from beginning to end...also having TONS of FUN!

**Instructor: Community Education**

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**Total Course Hours: 4**

**Cost: \$50**

**When: March 25th – March 28th**

**Time: 1:00pm - 2:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 255**



## Beginning Spanish for Kids

### Ages 7 and up

Hablas Espanol? If you said NO, join us for an exciting Spanish class. Young learners will be introduced to the Spanish language using common words and everyday sayings through stories, songs and much more!

**Instructor: Yadira Hernandez**

**Total Course Hours: 4**

**Cost: \$40**

**When: March 25th – March 28th**

**Time: 2:00pm - 3:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 151**



# LIFE-LONG LEARNING & ACADEMIC GROWTH

## **Beginning Acting**

### **Ages 15 and up**

Students will learn the fundamental skills, techniques, and terminology necessary to establish a solid foundation in the art of acting. Students will learn basic skills such as stage direction, vocal variation and projection, script analysis, character development, as well as the auditioning and rehearsal process. Students will have the opportunity to practice acting in a fun and supportive environment.

**Instructor: Matt Fletcher**

**Total Course Hours: 12**

**Cost: \$60**

**When: February 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th,  
March 5th, 12th (Tuesdays)**

**Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 151**



## **Introduction to Quickbooks Online**

### **Ages 18 and up**

This comprehensive course covers the basics of setting up accounts, tracking income and expenses, managing invoices and payments, and generating essential financial reports. Whether you're a business owner, entrepreneur, or aspiring accountant, this course provides hands-on experience with one of the industry's leading financial management tools.

**Instructor: Andrea Salcido**

**Total Course Hours: 9**

**Cost: \$80**

**When: March 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th,  
April 3rd, 10th (Wednesdays)**

**Time: 6:30pm - 8:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 213**

## **Introduction to Podcasting**

### **Ages 15 and up**

Have you been wanting to start your own podcast? In this course you will learn the basics of podcast production, record your first episode, publish it online, and even have the opportunity to have it aired on a local radio station, KCCC 930AM Radio.

**Instructor: Johnny Chandler**

**Total Course Hours: 10**

**Cost: \$30**

**When: February 5th, 12th, 26th,  
March 4th (Mondays)**

**Time: 3:00pm - 5:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 102**



## **Sewing for Beginners**

### **Ages 18 and up**

Have you always wanted to unleash your creativity and learn the timeless art of sewing? Our Sewing for Beginners Class is the perfect opportunity for you to dive into the world of fabric, threads, and needles. Whether you're a complete novice or looking to refresh your skills, this class will guide you through the basics of sewing and help you embark on your sewing journey with confidence.

**Instructor: Jill Balderrama**

**Total Course Hours: 12**

**Cost: \$100**

**When: March 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th,  
April 3rd, 10th (Wednesdays)**

**Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 102**





# HOBBIES



## French Macarons for Beginners

**Ages 16 and up**

French Macarons are a fun treat to impress your friends with! While they may appear to be a complicated confection, in this class you will learn how to make them without fail. You will learn how to get a beautiful and thick macaron shell with vibrant colors and how to make a delicious fillings.

**Instructor: Mireya Hernandez**

**Total Course Hours: 4**

**Cost: \$130**

**When: February 5th, 6th, 13th, 15th**

**Time: 5:30pm - 6:30pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 255**

## Introduction to Basic Ceramics

**Ages 18 and up**

This class introduces students to the fundamental elements and principles of design essential for crafting 3D objects. Participants will gain proficiency in creating both aesthetically pleasing and practical ceramic pieces through hands-on projects.

**Instructor: Diana Bullen**

**Total Course Hours: 12**

**Cost: \$150**

**When: February 9th, 16th, 23rd,  
March 1st (Fridays)**

**Time: 5:00pm - 8:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 102**



## Flower Arrangements

**Ages 16 and up**

In this class, you will learn how to create flower arrangements using fresh and silk flowers, wreaths, and other arrangements for any occasion.

**Instructor: Community Education Instructor**

**Total Course Hours: 4**

**Cost: \$100**

**When: April 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th (Thursdays)**

**Time: 5:30pm - 6:30pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 255**



## Beginning Crochet

**Ages 18 and up**

Learn the basics of crochet over the course of 6 weeks. We'll go over how to begin your project, three of the basic stitches, how to crochet in the round, how to increase, and how to read a pattern. By the end you will have completed 3 projects.

**Instructor: Haley Jones**

**Total Course Hours: 12**

**Cost: \$60**

**When: March 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th,  
April 3rd & 10th (Wednesdays)**

**Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 101**



# HOBBIES

## Introduction to Weaving

### Ages 18 and up

Embark on a weaving adventure in this introductory class, perfect for beginners. Learn foundational techniques, experiment with diverse materials, and craft unique woven creations. Gain essential knowledge, specifically on a 4-shaft loom, and develop the skills to confidently navigate weaving intricacies, including planning and mathematics, paving the way for further exploration and creative expression.

**Instructor: Diana Bullen**

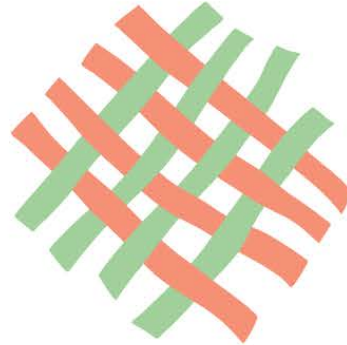
**Total Course Hours: 17.5**

**Cost: \$150**

**When: March 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th,  
April 5th (Fridays)**

**Time: 4:30pm - 8:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 102**



## Yoga

### Ages 18 & up

Vinyasa/Zen yoga is a flowing, dynamic sequence of poses. This type of practice involves synchronizing the breath with a continuous flow of postures. Students will coordinate movement with breath to flow from one pose to the next in order to release toxins from the body, re-energize, and relax the chatter of the mind.

**Instructor: Sara Cage**

**Total Course Hours: 4 per Session**

**Cost: \$50 per session or \$140 for all sessions**

**When: (Tuesdays)**

**Session 1 – February 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th**

**Session 2 – March 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th**

**Session 3 – April 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd**

**Time: 6:00pm - 7:00pm**

**Location: SENMC Room 101**

## Cake Decorating

### Ages 16 & Up

In this class, you will learn different cake decorating skills and techniques such as filling, stacking, and frosting a two tiered cake.

**Instructor: Mireya Hernandez**

**Total Course Hours: 9**

**Cost: \$80**

**When: April 9th, 11th, 15th, 16th, 18th, 22nd**

**Time: 5:00pm - 6:30pm**

**Location : SENMC Room 255**





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