



**LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**MEMORANDUM**

**TITLE:** 11<sup>th</sup> Annual GATE/SAS Parent Conference,  
 Gifted/Talented Programs

**NUMBER:** MEM-6245.6

**ISSUER:** Alison Yoshimoto-Towery  
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**ROUTING**  
 Local District  
 Superintendents  
 Administrators of  
 Instruction  
 Directors  
 School Site  
 Principals  
 GATE Coordinators  
 Teachers

**DATE:** August 12, 2019

**PURPOSE:** Education Code Section 52205-2f requires school districts to ensure continuous parent participation in Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) programs. This Memorandum provides information regarding the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual District GATE/SAS Parent Conference.

**MAJOR CHANGES:** This Memorandum replaces the Division of Instruction MEM-6245.5 of the same subject dated February 1, 2019. This Memorandum announces the date of the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual GATE/SAS Parent Conference.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** The purpose of the Gifted/Talented Programs, Advanced Learning Options, Annual Parent Conference is to inform parents of gifted/talented students, including those at Schools for Advanced Studies (SAS) sites, of available District GATE educational options and the developmental needs of gifted/talented learners. Principals and coordinators are to inform all parents/families of GATE/SAS students of the GATE/SAS Parent Conference. No advance registration is required. See Attachment A, which is the GATE/SAS Parent Conference Flyer in English, Spanish, Korean and Armenian.

The conference features workshops that address topics of interest to parents, such as: social-emotional needs of gifted students, differentiated instruction, extended learning at home, college preparation and planning, and parenting of gifted/talented students.

- Date: Saturday, March 14, 2020
- Time: 8:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (On-site registration at 7:30 a.m.)
- Location: Roybal Learning Center  
 1200 W. Colton Street,  
 Los Angeles, CA 90026
- Directions: At the intersection of Beaudry Ave. and 1<sup>st</sup> St., turn east on 2<sup>nd</sup> St. and proceed one block.
- Parking: Parking is available onsite. Use entrance on 1<sup>st</sup> St. between Beaudry Ave. and Toluca St.
- Refreshments: Complimentary refreshments available at 7:30 a.m.

**ASSISTANCE:** For information or further assistance, call Susanna Furfari, District Coordinator, Gifted/Talented Programs, Advanced Learning Options, at (213) 241-6500.