USCInternational Academy

Activities and Cultural Immersion



Santa Monica Pier

SUNDAY, JUNE 16 11AM-3PM PASADENA CHALK FESTIVAL

Fan of art? Join us as we attend the Pasadena Chalk Festival! Admire unique sidewalk art made out of chalk and take photos of your favorite pieces! Free (students pay for Metro)

SATURDAY, JUNE 22 5PM-10PM DAVE & BUSTER'S HOLLYWOOD

Love to play video games? Dave & Buster's offers the latest arcade games, multiplayer consoles, sports-viewing, and food and drinks in a fun atmosphere! Free (students pay for Metro)

TUES. JUNE 25 11:30AM-12:30PM DRESS FOR SUCCESS WORKSHOP

Learn the importance of choosing the right look for the right job, the idea of personal branding, and the difference between business, business casual, and casual dress styles. Free

SATURDAY, JUNE 29 8AM-12PM RUNYON CANYON HIKE

Come along as we adventure through scenic hiking trails in Runyon Canyon. You might even see celebrities walking their dogs! Make sure you wear athletic shoes, sunscreen, and drink lots of water. Free (students pay for Metro)

THURSDAY, JULY 4 4:30PM-11PM 4TH OF JULY AMERICAFEST

We'll charter a private bus and head to the Rose Bowl for one of the nation's largest 4th of July fireworks shows! Enjoy live music, motocross stunts, and food trucks.

Ticket cost: \$45

SIGN UP: STUDENT SERVICES DESK USC INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY LOBBY All events will meet in the DCC lobby



4th of July AmericaFest Celebration

SATURDAY, JULY 6 5PM-11PM DODGER GAME: PLAYER JERSEY NIGHT

Experience an evening of professional baseball as the LA Dodgers play the San Diego Padres. Plus a free Cody Bellinger jersey with each ticket! (While supplies last) Ticket cost: \$45

TUESDAY, JULY 9 3:30PM-6PM IA SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Do you see the game like Messi? Are you a clinical finisher like Ronaldo? Whatever your style, join us for the 3rd Annual IA Soccer Tournament and show off your skills!

Free

SUNDAY, JULY 14 12PM-5PM

39TH ANNUAL LOTUS FESTIVAL

The 39th Annual Lotus Festival honors the people and culture of Thailand. Enjoy a walk through beautiful Echo Park, ride the famous swan paddle boats, and climb the Clinton Street Stairway for a more scenic view.

Free (students pay for Metro)

FRIDAY, JULY 19 4PM-10PM

UNIVERSAL CITY WALK

Voodoo Doughnuts, movie studios, and a GIANT GORILLA! Enjoy all this and more as we visit one of the most popular locations in California. Comfy shoes are recommended!

Free (students pay for Metro)

TUES. JULY 23 11:30AM-12:30PM SLANG WORKSHOP

You're living in LA, so why not speak the way Californians do? Join us for this workshop where we'll teach you some popular regional slang words and phrases that you'll want to put to use. Free



LA Dodger Stadium

FRIDAY, JULY 26 3PM-8PM BROAD MUSEUM & DOWNTOWN TOUR

The Broad Museum is home to nearly 2,000 works of contemporary art, including iconic pieces by Andy Warhol, Jeff Koons, Roy Lichtenstein. Free (students pay for Metro)

SUNDAY, JULY 28 8AM-12PM HOLLYWOOD FARMERS' MARKET

Join us as we visit the Hollywood Farmers' Market where you can try local produce, delicious foods, and check out jewelry and crafts made by local artisans. Free (students pay for Metro)

FRIDAY, AUG. 2 6PM-11PM K-POP AT GRAND PARK

It's summer in DTLA! Come learn new moves and dance the night away to K-Pop music at Grand Park in the heart of the Los Angeles Civic Center. Free (students pay for Metro)

SATURDAY, AUG. 3 11AM-5PM SANTA MONICA BEACH

Experience LA beach culture like surfing, beach volleyball, and spectacular sunsets, as you relax by the ocean and enjoy the views of the Santa Monica Pier! Free (students pay for Metro)

TUES. AUG. 6 11:30AM-1:30PM PREP CLOSING CEREMONY

Aloha! Enjoy traditional Hawaiian cuisine, learn how to hula dance, and wish your friends well as they transition to their master's program. Free

FRIDAY, AUG. 16 12PM-1:30PM IEP ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Beat the heat! Come enjoy fresh donuts and ice cream, and say goodbye to your friends who are graduating. Free