



Lisa I'a and Lote I'a carry the Institute for Community Leadership banner at a Tacoma, Wa community event.

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ECONOMICS AND EDUCATION: TEACH-INS FOR A STRONGER DEMOCRACY

JULY 5 TO AUGUST 10, 2011

**THROUGHOUT THE STATES OF
WASHINGTON, OREGON
AND CALIFORNIA**

**Students Teaching for
a Stronger Democracy
is a life-transforming experience.**

**This summer add your voice
and your skills to help
create a stronger democracy.**

**Students Teaching
for a Stronger Democracy
June 20 to August 5, 2011
2 weeks minimum required to participate**

Families must agree that students travel.

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Mayor Suzette Cooke introduces keynote speakers Mayra Perez and RJ Anderson at Kent's *You We Me Event*, ShoWare Center.

Selected students take an intensive economics class. They learn how to teach the class to other students and adults. They learn how to explain such things as:

What is the federal budget and how does it work?

Who makes decisions about the budget, and where is the money spent?

What are taxes, what do they do?

What are taxes breaks, what happens when only some in society pay taxes?

Students learn these and other aspects of the economy and they travel to cities and towns to teach others in schools, colleges, and community organizations.

Students travel in a group and, along with staff, prepare their own meals, wash dishes and take care of supplies, vans and truck.

They meet hundreds of other interested students and adults.

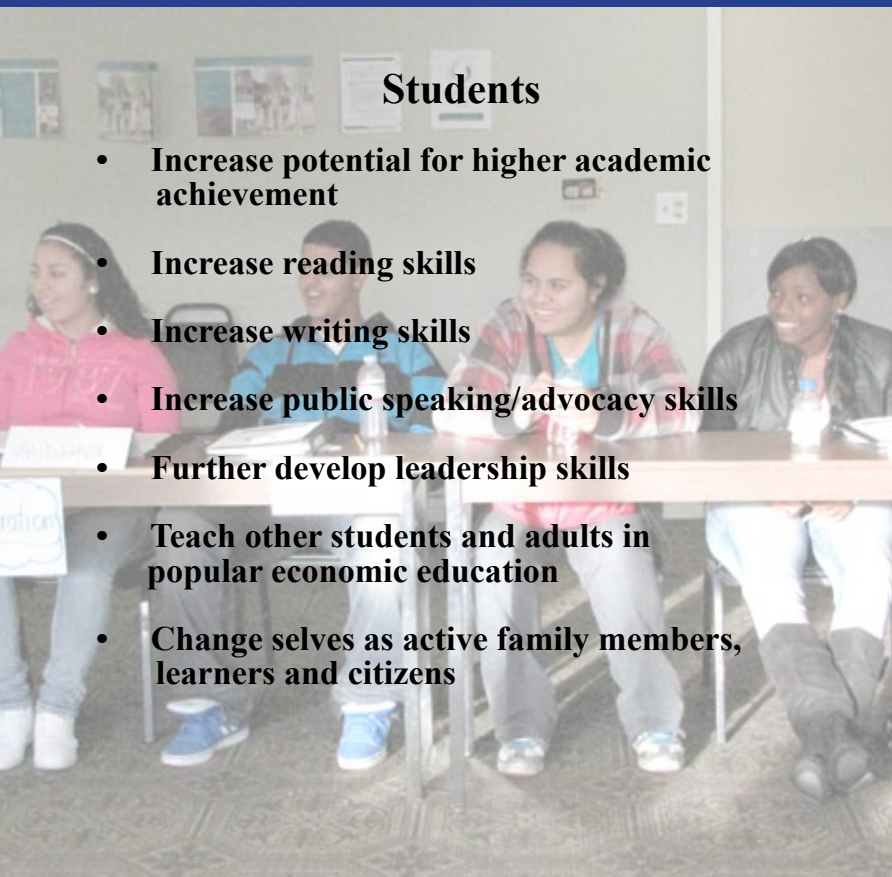
Well experienced staff from the Institute for Community Leadership and the Martin Luther King Jr. Freedom Center provide leadership and guidance at all times.

Students sleep on gym floors. Get up each morning at 5:30 a.m. They study their own advanced Democracy Education classes as well as teach the Basic Economics class to others.

Students get to know others from rural areas, Native tribes, large cities and small towns. They meet individuals from many different races and cultures.

Students

- Increase potential for higher academic achievement
- Increase reading skills
- Increase writing skills
- Increase public speaking/advocacy skills
- Further develop leadership skills
- Teach other students and adults in popular economic education
- Change selves as active family members, learners and citizens



Lisa I'a with students at Democracy Education Class, Laney College.



Gabriela Suarez and Cole Gilomen speak with community members about democracy education.



Carla Trujillo and Josh Bates harvest organic carrots they've grown with the Garden Corps public health education project.



State Rep. Pat Sullivan speaks with Jonathan Baron and Chance Cabbage at the Kent PTA Candidates Forum.