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## College Bound 101

Unique Program Supports Kids that have Overcome Great Obstacles to Attend College

**Background:** This day-long workshop prepares Twin Rivers' seniors for the transition from high school to college. They learn about financial responsibility, how to pay for college, how to select courses, what they can expect when living in a dorm and how to find the resources they'll need on campus. Students who attend this event are eligible to apply for the Project DREAM College Bound Scholarship. The goal is to sponsor 25 students for a Target shopping spree for dorm and school supplies. Corporate Sponsors are needed to provide a wireless laptop computer to take with them to college.

**What:** 225 graduating Twin Rivers' seniors will be at CSUS for our 3rd Annual College Bound 101 training. This is specifically targeted at our students heading to community college or four-year university and are the first in their families to go to college, have experienced homelessness or been in foster care, or have overcome some other life challenges to be accepted to college.

**When:** Thursday, April 26, 2012  
8:30am-3:00pm

**Where:** California State University, Sacramento Ballroom

**Who:** Opportunity to interview college-bound students and students currently enrolled in college who will be inspiring them!

**Event Contact:** Kate Bishop-Hazarian at (916) 566-1759 or by email at [kate.bishop@twinriversusd.org](mailto:kate.bishop@twinriversusd.org).

**More Info:** You can watch a video about this project at:  
<http://www.dreamtwinrivers.com/thanks.html>.

*Project DREAM (Developing Resiliency through Education, the Arts and Mentoring) is a private non-profit that supports enrichment activities in the schools and communities within Twin Rivers Unified School District.*

*The Twin Rivers Unified School District was created in July 2008, merging four North Sacramento area school districts to serve 28,000 Preschool through 12<sup>th</sup> grade students. In the first three years, graduation rates, attendance rates, and enrollment have increased dramatically.*

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