

Fall 2018 Makerspace Meeting Invitation

Hello LPC,

As part of our LPC Strong Workforce Program and a Regional Joint Venture with other community colleges in the Bay Area, LPC will host a campus meeting later this month to discuss the feasibility of creating a space where students can come together to build, create, imagine, explore, collaborate, learn, share and make things for use in classes of all types.

The California Community College is behind this effort and encouraging campuses to explore the opportunities.

<https://cccmaker.com/>

Many campuses that create these spaces find that they tend to be the third most popular place on campus behind the library and the gymnasium. These spaces are a great way to add a hands on aspect to nearly every class we teach. These spaces are a great place for students to go learn or share a hobby, skill or craft they may already have an interest in. Student to student learning is one of the aspects unique to these areas, as students interact and create, they observe others and learn new skills and abilities rapidly. We are also trying to infuse entrepreneurship into courses and campus activities as well.

If any or all of this sounds interesting to you, your students, your department, or you think this is a potential asset to our campus community, please consider attending a meeting to explore these possibilities on October 25th from 11:30 - 1:30pm in room 1726. Lunch will be served for those that RSVP. We are looking for administrators, faculty, classified professionals as well as students to attend this meeting.

Please RSVP at the following link.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1uDqq_FUQ_7RWBPUOgeVe1Eh-Fmu7V4ujZ7-wjSN3U0E/edit?usp=sharing

If you have any questions or want to know more, please reach out to myself or Vicki Shipman.

Hope to see you in 1726 on October 25th.