



## **New Faculty Orientation 2015-201AY**

### **Local Youth and Family Activities and Resources**

#### **UCR Child Development Center**

The mission of UCR CDC is to enable parents to reach their educational and professional goals and to support children to reach their full potential in all developmental areas. The CDC supports the university's teaching, research and community service goals by providing the children of students, staff, faculty and community members with a healthy, safe and inclusive learning environment. Children are nurtured, encouraged and supported by our staff to enable them to reach the next level in their social, emotional, cognitive and physical development.

3333 Watkins Drive, Riverside CA 92507

(951) 827-3854

<http://cdc.ucr.edu/index.html>

#### **Reach Leadership S.T.E.A.M. Academy**

Public Charter School, Grades TK-5

REACH Leadership STEAM Academy is a college preparatory elementary school which is dedicated to bridging the socioeconomic, racial, and digital divide for underserved youth.

Located on Linden a few miles from campus

(951) 275-8820

<http://reachleadershipacademy.org/>

#### **Riverside S.T.E.M. Academy**

Public School, Grades 5-12

Riverside STEM Academy (RSA) is a Riverside Unified School with a focus on Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) serving grades 5-8, with extension plans to include a STEM High School. The school began in the fall of 2011 with 200 students and has expanded its second year to over 400 students.

Located off of Watkins, a few miles from campus

(951) 788-7308

<http://www.rusdlink.org/domain/1267>

#### **City of Riverside Parks and Recreation**

Riverside Parks, Recreation and Community Services, offer a wide range of activities, events and facilities for the entire family!

(951) 826-2000

<https://apm.activecommunities.com/riversideprcsd#>

### **Jurupa Mountains Discovery Center**

Daily Admission is free!

Normal operating hours are Tuesday through Saturday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm and Sunday 12:00 noon - 5:00 pm. Closed on Mondays.

They have several acres of gardens and the Ruth and Sam Kirkby Earth Science Museum that visitors can explore. The Ruth and Sam Kirkby Earth Science Museum houses a unique collection of intriguing and informative exhibits.

Jurupa Mountains Discovery Center has offered Summer Nature Camp since 1967! Nature Camp provides quality science education in an outdoor, hands-on setting. Nature Camp emphasizes experimental learning as explorers spend much of their time outside studying nature and earth sciences up close. Science concepts are introduced in a fun environment, with crafts, games and hands-on activities.

(951) 685-5818

<http://jmdc.org/>

### **Downtown Riverside Farmer's Market**

The Riverside Downtown Farmers Market is a place for area farmers to sell their seasonal crops directly to customers. Located on the Main Street Riverside between 5th & 6th, in the arts and culture district of downtown Riverside, it provides a unique opportunity to shop for fresh fruits, vegetables, flowers, hummus, aged gouda cheese by Winchester Cheese Co., fresh baked bread from Old Towne Baking Co. and other specialty food items. Open every Saturday from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

<http://www.riversideca.gov/arts/farmers-market.asp>

### **Fox Performing Arts Center**

The Riverside Fox Theater, also known as the Fox Performing Arts Center, was built in 1929, and is a Spanish Colonial Revival style building in the heart of downtown Riverside, California. The theater is the centerpiece of Riverside's Arts & Culture initiative and underwent a major renovation and restoration to become a regional performing arts facility.

(951) 779-9800

<http://www.riversidelive.com/>