Hi everyone. I hope your semester has gotten off to a great start. Please plan on coming to the Child Development Student Association (CDSA) meeting tomorrow, Wednesday 9.13 at 6 pm in Modoc 217. The topic is teaching credentials and Child Development Permits, which authorize work with children from Birth-PreK. If you have thought about applying for Chico State's Spring 18 credential program, the application is due 10.1.17; come and learn more about the process. Officers will be collecting $15 to purchase a CDSA T-shirt and $20 for CDSA dues. Additional information is available at the end of this note.

Tomorrow from 10 am -2 pm is the Graduate School Fair in the BMU. If you have thought about continuing onto graduate school after completing your BA, plan on going by and learning more about the programs and the application process.

The Study Abroad Fair is next Wednesday, September 20 from 10 am – 2 pm on Trinity Commons Lawn.

Your Fall 2017 course schedule should be firm. After this week you will need to have documented serious and compelling reasons to make a change. Unbelievably it is time to begin thinking about Spring 18. The Spring 18 schedule is already posted and registration for continuing students is by appointment beginning October 16th. If you are scheduled to take CHLD 392, Child Development Practicum: Advanced in Spring 18, the applications will be available in Modoc 216 and online at the CHLD website soon. To confirm your CHLD major courses for Spring 2018, make an advising appointment by coming by the office or calling 530.898.5250.

**Note from Jade Yelton, your CDSA President**

Child Development Student Association will be having their second meeting this Wednesday, September 13th, at 6pm in Modoc 217. Not only will they be briefly going over how to become a CDSA member, but they will be having their first guest speakers of the semester! The School of Education Advisor, Andrew Nichols, will be presenting on the credential program, and how to apply to the credential program. Then, Dr. Ratekin will be presenting on what the child development permit is, and how to apply for one. This will be a very informative meeting, and it would benefit you in many ways to attend this meeting.

We all hope to see you there!

CDSA Officers