First in the nation LGBT parenting class offered at City College of San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, California, August 4, 2004 — The challenges faced by lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) parents and their children is the topic of a new course offered Monday nights this fall semester at the City College of San Francisco (CCSF) Castro-Valencia Campus. Enroll by attending the first class meetings, starting August 23, from 6:30-9:30 P.M. at James Lick Middle School, 1220 Noe St.

“Supporting Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Families in Early Childhood Education” is the title of the course developed by City College’s Departments of Child Development and Family Studies and Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Studies. It was first offered last semester at the LGBT Community Center. This three-unit credit course is the first on this topic in the U.S., and counts toward an Associate Degree, Children’s Center Permits and Child Development Certificates.

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