“Each One Teach One” is an African proverb that was adopted by black slaves. Since blacks were denied an education, reading and writing were deemed illegal. In the rare case that slaves learned to read or write, it became their duty to teach someone else – and ultimately to spread their knowledge to the whole community. The tradition lives on. Join the celebration.

Culinary Arts will offer a special meal in the Café in honor of Black History Month.

Wednesday, Feb. 3, 11 a.m. (Student Center)
BLACK HISTORY MONTH KICK-OFF EVENT
Featuring African drummers to officially kick-off the Black History Month celebration. Refreshments will be provided.

Saturday, Feb. 6 (L.A. Convention Center)
BLACK COLLEGE EXPO
Students are encouraged to attend the Black College Expo to learn more about Historically Black College and Universities (HBCU). Onsite admissions to HBCUs will be available to students who qualify. Students should bring copies of their transcripts. For information about free tickets, contact Chelena Fisher at cfisher@cerritos.edu.

Wednesday, Feb. 10, 11 a.m. (Student Center)
A TASTE OF SOUL
Learn about the roots and history of Soul Food. Food samples will be provided while supplies last.

Tuesday, Feb. 16, 9:30 a.m. (LA 204)
HAIR: STYLE, POLITICS, HISTORY, AND THE FUTURE. A PANEL DISCUSSION
In-class event sponsored by Dr. Frank Gaik/Umoja students.

Tuesday, Feb. 16, 11 a.m. (LC 155)
CAREERS/JOB PANEL
Hear from panelists about the following career options:
  · Fashion Entrepreneur  · Non-profit
  · Politics  · Social Media
  · Education  · Entrepreneur

Thursday, Feb. 18, 9 a.m. (LA 204)
FILM SCREENING
Send your film suggestions to Dr. Frank Gaik at fgaik@cerritos.edu
In-class event sponsored by Dr. Frank Gaik/Umoja students.

Thursday, Feb. 18, 11 a.m. (LC 155)
POETRY SLAM
Co-Sponsored by Black Students Union
Students and staff are invited to read original poems or works from their favorite poet/writer focusing on black culture. Contact BSU President Issac McIver at hakeem0813@gmail.com.

Monday, Feb. 22, 1 p.m. (LC 155)
HBCU WORKSHOP
Sponsored by the Transfer Center
Learn more about resources and the application process for Historically Black Colleges and Universities.

Tuesday, Feb. 23, 9:30 a.m. (LA 204)
JEOPARDY: BLACK HISTORY
Test your knowledge of black history.
In-class event sponsored by Dr. Frank Gaik/Umoja students.

Wednesday, Feb. 24, 11 a.m. (LC 155 and Falcon Square)
HIP HOP: A SOCIAL LOOK – PANEL
Featuring music and free giveaways from Power 106, and more. Moderated by ICE T’s former producer/DJ.

Thursday, Feb. 25, 9 a.m. (LA 103/DSPS Lobby)
#BLACKLIVESMATTER UPDATE
#blacklivesmatter has made national and international headlines. Join the discussion. Refreshments provided.
In-class event sponsored by Dr. Frank Gaik/Umoja students.

Monday, Feb. 29, 11 a.m. (LC 155)
CIRCLE OF SUPPORT
Sponsored by Umoja
Meet and greet with students and staff to cover student support services available on and off campus.