



Independent Living Program April 2011

UPDATES:

- The 2011-2012 FAFSA application is now available as of January 1st. Talk to your ILP worker if you would like more information or visit the following website : <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>
- Please ask your ILP worker if you are in need of help completing Butte College applications and the Chafee grant application.
- Search for Butte County ILP on www.facebook.com

ILP Workshops & Events:

- Talk with your ILP Worker if you are in need of transportation to workshops. Earn incentives for attending! This month's workshop will be on **Wednesday April 20th** for both Chico and Oroville. Oroville's workshop will be from 12:30-2:00pm and Chico's workshop will be from 3:30-5:00pm.
- We need more youth on our ILP Advisory Board. If you want to strengthen your leadership skills this is the perfect opportunity to do so. Please join us for our next ILP Advisory Board Meeting. Oroville's meeting will take place on Tuesday **April 26th** from 4-5pm and Chico's meeting will be on the following day **April 27th** from 4-5pm. RSVP to your ILP worker.

ILP STORE:

The ILP Store is located at: 3860 Morrow Lane Suite B, Chico. Come check us out!

- The ILP store appreciates all donations. Donations can be dropped off at the ILP store.
- The ILP Store has new Fall hours : MWF 11am-6pm TTH 1:30-6pm
- All ILP youth are encouraged to participate at the ILP Store; the first step is to fill-out an application. Contact your ILP worker to get an application or to find out more about the ILP Store.

Who is Eligible for Butte County Independent Living Program (ILP)?

Current or former foster youth

- 16 - 21 years of age
- Referred by County Social Worker or Probation Officer
- Voluntary participation
- For more information, contact Tami Thompson at 893-2316 x212

Who is eligible for After Care Services?

- Former foster youth between 18 and 21 years old
- One-on-one services and individual support in areas of employment, housing, education, resources, etc.
- Transitional Housing Program Plus (THP+) referrals (ages 18 - 24)
- For more information, contact the After Care Program at 893-2316 x215 or 1-888-893-4011

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