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MEDIA ALERT

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WHO: Around 120 Pre-Service Teachers from Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

WHAT: Family Learning Events Institute

WHEN: Saturday, Nov. 15, from 10-11 a.m.

WHERE: Early Childhood Development Center, Educational Center for Mathematics and Science

Regional Teachers and Administrators Learn How to Host Family Math/Science Nights with Hands-On Manipulatives

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas – Pre-service math and science teachers from Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi will use hands-on manipulatives to train teachers and administrators how to host their own Family Math/Science Nights Saturday, Nov. 15, from 10-11 a.m. at the Early Childhood Development Center Educational Center for Mathematics and Science.

During the Family Learning Events Institute, teachers and administrators will learn by using geometric shapes, measurement devices, blocks, math and science classroom equipment and common household items. The institute is presented by University mathematics and science educators, the National Association of Science Teachers, the Coastal Council of Teachers of Mathematics and the College of Science and Technology pre-service teachers.

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