



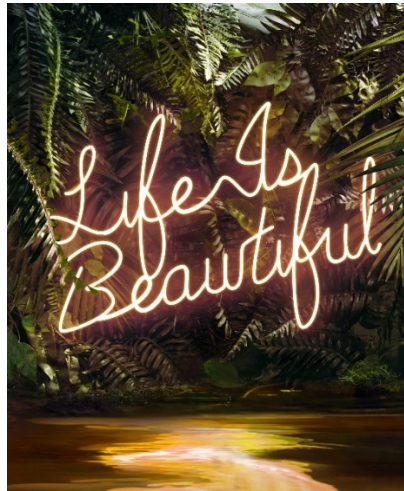
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**Thursday, September 17**

**Life is Beautiful: Virtual Connections**

8 am PST: <https://zoom.us/join/94300513925>

12:30 pm PST: <https://zoom.us/join/95055018204>



Join us for our "Life is Beautiful: Virtual Connections" series! This biweekly series will allow us to stay connected with each other. Each week will have a different topic focused on positivity and joy! See instructions below on changing your background on Zoom so you can come prepared to share\* what makes YOUR life beautiful.

**This week's topic: Pictionary!**

Put your drawing (and guessing) skills to the test in this fun, interactive word-guessing game! No supplies needed - just make sure you have an app on your computer or phone that allows you to draw (like Microsoft Paint) as you'll be sharing your screen!



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## Zoom Instructions

We highly recommend downloading [Zoom](#) at least 15 minutes before the meeting begins. To avoid Zoom crashes, the waiting room is enabled for this meeting. **Please make sure your Zoom participant name is set to your legal name (as it appears in your passport) for verification purposes;** you can change this in your profile settings after creating a user account.

**When you log on to Zoom, you can change your background to share any photos!**

### Changing your Zoom background on the desktop app

1. In the Zoom app, click your profile in the top right corner, and click **Settings**.
2. On the menu to the left, click **Virtual Background** (if you are IN a meeting, you can click the ^ next to the Video option to access the menu).
3. You'll see a few default background options provided by Zoom. If you want to upload a photo to use as your background, on the same **Virtual Background Page**, click the + icon next to where it says **Choose Virtual Background**. A box will pop up allowing you to upload a photo from your computer. Click on the one you want, and it will appear alongside the other pictures as an option for you to choose from.
  - a. Once chosen, this will remain your Zoom background until you change it again.
  - b. Make sure the "I have a green screen" option at the bottom is NOT checked.
4. To get rid of any items you upload, tap the **X** in their top left corner.

### Changing your Zoom background on the mobile app

1. When you log into your account and join a meeting, tap the three dots at the bottom right of the screen to open the **More** menu.
2. Tap **Virtual Background**.
3. Select a background from the default options, or upload your own photo from your device.

\* Please ensure that you remain respectful with any images/videos you share. Any student who violates GCC conduct policies will be reported to the Dean of Students and barred from future participation. Thank you for keeping GCC a safe and supportive place for everyone!