

March 2016

****Read your weekly eletter every Thursday for information on additional events.****

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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6	7	8	9 Transfer Seminar 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. W12 Last Day of Cycle 1 Classes	10	11	12
13 Daylight Savings Begins. Set clocks ahead one hour	14	15	Spring Break No classes all campuses, day and evening Campus offices and library will be open.			19
20	21 First Day of Cycle 2 Classes	22 Mid-Semester Gathering 12:30-1:30 p.m. North Café	23	24	25 Robert Putnam Presentation 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. MWCC Theatre	26
27	28	29	30 Last day to withdraw from full semester courses	31		

Transfer Trips

Spring semester is a great time to visit to 4-year colleges and universities. Stop by and schedule a campus tour with Todd today!



Creative Writing Opportunity

We would like to read your creative work! Submit a poem or short story that shows off your creativity and love for writing. We'll publicize it and share it with MWCC students and faculty. Works must be original and under 1000 words. Send submissions and questions to Haneen at hjaara@mwcc.mass.edu.

Have writer's block? Schedule an appointment with Haneen to work on any writing assignment.

Check your email daily for the most up-to-date information about college and program happenings.

If you have a disability and require accommodations in order to participate fully in program activities, please contact Joyce Kulig at 978-630-9185 or j_kulig@mwcc.mass.edu to discuss your specific needs.

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TRIO Student Support Services

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Make March Your Money Month

Spring is full of financial expectations. The deadline for filing your taxes is April 15. Make sure to include the FAFSA and the MWCC scholarship application on your spring money-checklist.

FAFSA: Visit fafsa.ed.gov for step-by-step directions on completing the FAFSA. April 1 is the deadline for MWCC grants and May 1 is the deadline for the MASSGrant.

Tip: Wait 2-3 weeks after you file your taxes to complete your FAFSA so that you can use the IRS retrieval tool.

MWCC Foundation Scholarships: MWCC offers scholarships for continuing and transferring students. The deadline for transferring students is March 15. The deadline for continuing students is May 16.

Tip: Work with Haneen Jaara, the Visions Program writing tutor, to craft an effective scholarship essay you can use throughout your scholarship search.

As always, stop by the Visions Program office if you have any questions.

Mid-Semester Gathering

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Tuesday, March 22
North Café

Four-Week Assessments

Check your email for notifications that we have received your assessments and stop by the office to review them!

Student Success Tip: Spring Break

Take some time during the break to review your degree audit, make a plan for summer and fall registration, and consider your transfer and career goals.

Plan to attend one of the open registration sessions on April 5 and 6, 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. in room 240.

Make sure to take time to relax, enjoy a hike or a good book and catch up on much-needed rest!

Fall 2015 President's List

Ashley Arsenault, Sheryl Beland, Cynthia Boucher, Eugenio Garcia, Tammy Goodgion, Jillian Manty, Afua Nuamah, Sean O'Brien, Marissa Pitisci, Matthew Waite

Fall 2015 Dean's List

Leslie Ackers, Rachel Adams, Xavier Bailey, Andrea Bartlett, Tiana Bean, Kahlil Beauregard, Thomas Berger, Austin Black, Steven Blair, Emily Bradshaw, Romina Cabrera, Donald Capodilupo, Melanie Cranfill, Josephine Dorazio-Giardina, Joseph Gallant, Chelsea Garrity, Ifra Hassan, Lindsay Jamieson, Joseph LeBlanc, Monica Medeiros, Jennifer Mendoza, Jana Murphy, Alisa Nano, Hillary Nna, Luke Parker, Marymar Perez Cruz, Kayla Pollack, Tressa Rezendes, Desiree Santana, Isadora Silva Andrade, Nicholas Taverna, Nicholas Taylor, Starsha Tennessee, Ashley Thibault, Robin Wead, Kelly Williams, Mathieu Woodbury

Grant Aid Recipients

Leslie Ackers, Rachel Adams, Jasson Alvarado Gomez, Amanda Bettencourt, Michel Cocuzza, Melanie Cranfill, Lindsay Jamieson, Melissa Knight, Jennifer Mendoza, Nicholas Taylor, Matthew Waite, Robin Wead

Congratulations Visions Program students! We love seeing your hard work and achievements!