

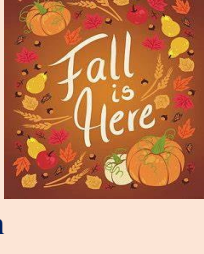


# College of the Canyons Canyon Country Campus Student Newsletter

**September\***

9/1-9/6 Student Schedule Changes  
9/6 Add/Drop w/o a W, & Refund deadline  
9/7 Labor Day Holiday  
9/11 Deadline to apply for Fall 2020 graduation

Note: Please visit our website at [www.canyons.edu/CCC](http://www.canyons.edu/CCC) for information on upcoming events and activities, as they become available.



**September 2020**

## Virtual Campus Services

Note: All student support services have been moved to remote formats. Please go to the college's website and visit each department's page for specific hours and the best way to reach them, whether by phone, email, Zoom, etc.

We thank you for your patience and understanding as we serve and support you in a variety of remote formats.

We are here for you...

- Admissions & Records
- Assessment Center
- Basic Needs Center (BaNC)
- CalWORKs
- Campus Life & Student Engagement
- Career Center / Job Placement
- Counseling
- DSP&S
- EOPS
- Financial Aid
- Library
- Personal & Professional Learning (Noncredit)
- Student Business Office
- Student Health & Wellness
- TLC
- Veteran's Center

"A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way."

~ John C. Maxwell

**It's not too late!!**

## Register now for Fall semester "late start" classes

Please check the class schedule in MyCanyons to see the short-term classes that are still available for Fall semester.

Admissions phone hours are currently from 9:00am - 5:00pm Monday - Thursday

Please call 661-362-3281 during these hours to speak with an Admissions Representative. Check our website for hour changes. You can email us at anytime.

A special thank you to all students for your patience with Admissions and Records during this very busy time. We are answering emails as quickly as possible and are here to help you to succeed!

For a full list of the Fall 2020 courses, view the class schedule online at [www.canyons.edu/ClassSchedule](http://www.canyons.edu/ClassSchedule), or in your MyCanyons account.

Please see the [Fall 2020 Student Calendar](#) for Add, Refund and Drop Deadlines.

For further information, please visit our site at [www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/admissions/](http://www.canyons.edu/student_services/admissions/) for updates, or send any questions to us at [Admissions@canyons.edu](mailto:Admissions@canyons.edu).

High school students with questions should send an email to: [earlycollege@canyons.edu](mailto:earlycollege@canyons.edu)

## Please continue to check your emails and our website for the most up-to-date COVID-19 campus information

### Important Coronavirus Updates and Service Information

<https://www.canyons.edu/administration/pio/notices/index.php>

REMINDER: Face coverings and completion of the Online Health Self-Assessment are required when visiting campus. Details at website above.

## Announcements from Counseling



**Do you have questions for Counseling?** We can be reached by phone and online: Phone Hours: Monday – Thursday: 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. 661-362-3288 Online Appointment Hours: Monday-Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. and Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Email questions to [counseling@canyons.edu](mailto:counseling@canyons.edu) Visit us at [https://www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/counseling/](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/counseling/) for details about online appointments, online workshops, Online Drop-in Counseling, Career Assessments and E-Advising

**Do you need to speak with a Counselor regarding your Fall 2020 Schedule?** If you have any questions about your fall schedule, or coursework necessary to meet your Certificate, AA/AS, AA-T/AS-T and/or transfer requirements, stop by Express Drop-in Counseling. We have counselors available on a drop-in basis to assist you.

**Express Drop-in Counseling** - This is a short 5-10-minute session with a counselor designed to support students on a first come, first serve basis to address quick questions such as: registration, adding or dropping classes, grading options, filing a graduation petition, checking progress towards your associate degree or certificate program. To meet with a counselor on Express Drop-In, go to the Yellow Drop-In Counseling Button at [https://www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/counseling/online/onlineDropin.php](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/counseling/online/onlineDropin.php) to sign up! Express drop-in is available Mondays, Wednesday, & Thursday 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, 10 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. and Friday, 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Visit our Counseling Website to sign up for Express Drop-In, 1 hour counseling appointments and/or E-Advising: [https://www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/counseling/continuing/index.php](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/counseling/continuing/index.php)

**Will you have your Associate's degree completed this Fall 2020 Term?** If so, be sure to petition for your degree. The deadline is Friday, September 11, 2020. You may download the graduation petition here: [https://www.canyons.edu/resources/documents/student\\_services/admissions/AR052PetitionForAssociateDegreeFillable.pdf](https://www.canyons.edu/resources/documents/student_services/admissions/AR052PetitionForAssociateDegreeFillable.pdf) and email it to [counseling@canyons.edu](mailto:counseling@canyons.edu) or stop by during Express Drop in Counseling and meet with a counselor to submit this form.

**Are you a Pre-Nursing Major?** If so be sure to visit the Counseling Website to sign up for our Pre-Nursing Advisement Workshop. This workshop will provide you with an overview of which classes to take in order to prepare for the Associate Degree of Nursing program as well as pre-licensure BSN or RN-BSN programs. It will also go into detail about how to make yourself as competitive as possible, take advantage of volunteer or internship opportunities, TEAS study guide information, and your grades. We will also review the common application timelines for different programs. For more details and to sign up go to [https://www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/counseling/continuing/workshops/index.php](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/counseling/continuing/workshops/index.php)

**Are you interested in becoming a Lawyer?** If so, consider joining the Pathway to Law School Program. Pathway to Law School is a California Community College Initiative in partnership with nine California law schools to increase diversity in the legal profession. The purpose of the Program is to provide a pathway to a law school education for students whose post-secondary education begins at the community college level. This program will provide a clear pathway from community college to law school. Visit our website at <http://www.canyons.edu/lawschoolpathway> for more information and complete the interest survey to sign up!

**Are you planning to transfer to a four-year university for Fall 2021?**  
**The CSU Application filing period takes place October 1- November 30, 2020**  
**The UC Application filing period takes place November 1- 30, 2020**

Visit the Transfer Center Website for information about upcoming transfer workshops and virtual college representative visits. At this time, we have virtual appointments scheduled for the month of September with a UCSB Representative. Click here for more information: [https://www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/transfercenter/index.php](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/transfercenter/index.php)

## Associated Student Government (ASG)

### COC Virtual Welcome Week

Fall 2020 (8/31/20 - 9/3/20)

Cougars! We are excited to bring you a week packed with lots of valuable info and resources to help you make the most out of your COC experience!

Please see below the events being hosted from August 31 – September 3. No need to RSVP!

To participate in our Virtual Welcome Week visit: [www.canyons.edu/welcomeweek2020](http://www.canyons.edu/welcomeweek2020)

**Meet your ASG!** - Monday, August 31<sup>st</sup>, 10-2pm - Meet your elected student leaders from Associated Student Government as they hang out on Facebook Live to tell you more about themselves! Follow @coc\_asg on Instagram for updates.

**Campus Resource Fair** - Tuesday, September 1<sup>st</sup>, 10-11am\*, 1-2pm\*, and 3-4pm\* - This event features Zoom sessions with our wonderful staff from a wide variety of departments who are here to help you to be successful.

\*Feel free to stop in our Zoom rooms at the end of each session to ask specific questions if you would like.

**ClubFest** - Wednesday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 10-12pm and 2-4pm Come hang out with our diverse clubs and organizations to see how you can get involved on campus. You are bound to find one that matches your interests!

**Community Resource Fair** - Thursday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10-11am and 2-3pm - Come discover in these Zoom sessions what wonderful resources our local community organizations can offer you outside of the classroom. You can even hang out at the end of each session to find out more info and get your questions answered. For further questions, please contact Joanna Kelly at [Joanna.Kelly@canyons.edu](mailto:Joanna.Kelly@canyons.edu), or for more information, visit [https://www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/campuslife/asg/index.php](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/campuslife/asg/index.php)

**FALL 2020 VIRTUAL WELCOME WEEK**

COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS

**COUGAR IN-REACH DAY**  
Monday, August 31: 10am-10:30am & 2pm-2:30pm  
Students in synchronous (live) courses can hear about what COC has to offer and meet our ASG officers on Facebook Live!

**CAMPUS RESOURCE FAIR**  
Tuesday, September 1: 10am-11am, 1pm-2pm & 3pm-4pm  
Tune into our webinars to hear about all the valuable services that our 20+ campus departments can offer you to be successful!

**CLUBFEST**  
Wednesday, September 2  
Morning Session: 10am-12pm & Afternoon Session: 2pm-4pm  
Come hang out with our 30+ clubs and join one if you can!

**COMMUNITY RESOURCE FAIR**  
Thursday, September 3: 10am-11am & 2pm-3pm  
Students can check out these webinars featuring various community organizations that offer beneficial resources outside the classroom!

Hosted by the Office of Campus Life and Student Engagement.  
To participate in any of these events, visit: [www.canyons.edu/welcomeweek2020](http://www.canyons.edu/welcomeweek2020)

## FREE CURBSIDE PRINTING AT BOTH COC CAMPUSES

SUBMIT YOUR ORDER ANYTIME OF THE WEEK  
PICK-UP DAYS: MONDAYS-11AM-2PM & THURSDAYS-1:30-4:30PM

[HTTPS://WWW.CANYONS.EDU/STUDENTSERVICES/CAMPUSLIFE/ASG-COMPUTER-LABS/ASGPRINTORDERFORM.PHP](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/campuslife/asg-computer-labs/asgprintorderform.php)

## UPDATED ZOOM HOURS

CAMPUS LIFE & STUDENT ENGAGEMENT & ASG COMPUTER LAB

We would be happy to talk about ASG, virtual 25Score discount card, clubs, student ids, Welcome Week and free printing benefits!

Monday - Thursday  
10am - 5pm

Meeting ID: 947 3779 3609

## Student Health & Wellness Center

As we continue to work from home, the Student Health & Wellness Center is Here For You!!

To schedule a personal counseling appointment, students can e-mail the Student Health & Wellness Center at [StudentHealthCenter@Canyons.edu](mailto:StudentHealthCenter@Canyons.edu). We will get back to them within 24-48 hours and most of the time much quicker than that.

We have many events and activities coming up (please visit our website or contact us for meeting information):

- Join us for another Ask the Psychiatrist event on Sept 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 on Zoom
- We will hold a Human Trafficking Seminar Series on Sept 24, 25, 26, and 27<sup>th</sup>, from 7pm-7:45pm
- In collaboration with Henry Mayo we will offer a Suicide Prevention Intervention and Response Training (SPIRT) on September 18<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am.
- Several mental health and support groups are also in the planning stages - stay tuned...

An important online resource is our **personal counseling program** offering free personal counseling to enrolled students in an online format. Students need only email [studenthealthcenter@canyons.edu](mailto:studenthealthcenter@canyons.edu) for an appointment. Someone will get back to them quickly. Know that there are lots of resources available for you on the COC Student Health and Wellness Center website at [https://www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/health/index.php](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/health/index.php), or call us at 661-362-3259.

## Veteran's Resource Center (VRC)

The College of the Canyons Veterans Resource Center is a department within the college's Student Services Division, created to help veterans and veteran dependents with applying to College of the Canyons, enrolling in classes, and requesting VA Education or Vocational Benefits. For more information, please visit the [Veterans Resource Center](http://VeteransResourceCenter.canyons.edu) website, email [veterans@canyons.edu](mailto:veterans@canyons.edu) or call us at (661) 362-3469 Monday - Thursday, 10am-2pm.

ZOOM: Join us in our remote VRC Zoom - hours are:  
Monday - Wednesday: 9:00am - 4:00pm

## Financial Aid

The Financial Aid Office continues to provide **all services online** until further notice. For questions about your financial aid application (FAFSA), disbursements, forms, resources, and types of aid, visit our website below, or contact a financial aid representative at (661) 362-3215, or email [finaid@canyons.edu](mailto:finaid@canyons.edu). Our temporary phone hours are from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, Monday through Thursday.

Our website for general information: [https://www.canyons.edu/student\\_services/financialaid/index.php](https://www.canyons.edu/student_services/financialaid/index.php)



## The Library

The Library has thoroughly increased its online services, offering live reference assistance via Zoom. The hours below are for both Zoom reference and Ask-a-Librarian chat reference services.

Monday - Thursday 9am-7pm

Saturday 9am-1pm

Saturday 9am- 9am - 3pm

Check out our expanded e-book collection and subject-specific LibGuides. All library resources, updated information and links to all Library services can be found at [www.canyons.edu/Library](http://www.canyons.edu/Library). Please help us spread the word!!



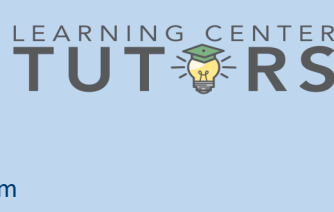
## TLC - Learning Center

The Learning Center (TLC) provides tutoring support for COC students via remote delivery options using Zoom.

**Remote Tutoring Fall 2020**  
August 24—December 11  
Monday - Thursday: 9:30-7:30 pm  
Friday & Saturday: 12:00-3:00 pm

Canvas support is available for students via email at [cvsupport@canyons.edu](mailto:cvsupport@canyons.edu) or call (877) 889-9052 for 24/7 support. Zoom Canvas Support at [RemoteCanvasSupport.canyons.edu](http://RemoteCanvasSupport.canyons.edu)

Please visit our website for updated information: <https://www.canyons.edu/academics/tlc/index.php>  
We are here to help you succeed!



## Science Center and SSLRC Update

With the exterior of the new Science Center building at the Canyon Country campus looking quite impressive, things continue to bustle on the inside, with the installation of the HVAC, electrical, etc.. The adjacent amphitheater continues its progress, complete with stairways, trellises, and seating. North of the amphitheater is the pad for the next building, the Student Services & Learning Resources Center (SSLRC), which is starting to take shape. This building will eventually house the majority of student support services, in addition to a new library and TLC. It's exciting times as progress continues!

For Facility updates, visit: <https://www.canyons.edu/administration/facilities/index.php>



## Message from Campus Safety

The Campus Safety team would like to remind you that the physical campus will be closed until further notice, as all but a few "essential" classes and services have gone to remote formats. Unless directed to use the drop box (located across from the bus stop at room 400) by your instructor, or scheduled to visit campus via appointment, you should not be coming onto campus. For questions, please contact us at 661-362-3977

Thank you, and be SAFE!



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