

College of the Canyons Canyon Country Campus Student Newsletter

May Calendar

5/25 Memorial Day Holiday

Note: At this time, all on-campus events have been postponed or cancelled. Please visit our website at <u>www.canyons.edu/CCC</u> for more information.

Summer Registration Is Here!



Registration for Summer classes is in full swing. Please check your registration time on your My-Canyons account. If you have not received a registration date, you can contact the Admissions Office at <u>Admissions@canyons.edu</u> for more infor-

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June 12th is the deadline to apply for Summer graduation. If you are going to take your last class(es) to graduate this Summer, don't forget to complete a Petition for Associates Degree with the Counseling Office as soon as possible. They can be reached at <u>Counseling@canyons.edu</u>.

A special thank you to all students for your patience with Admissions and Records during this challenging time. We are answering emails as quickly as possible.

Please visit our site at <u>www.canyons.edu/student services/admissions/</u> for updated information, or send any questions to us at <u>Admissions@canyons.edu</u>.

For a full list of the *Summer 2020* courses at both campuses, view the class schedule online at www.canyons.edu/ClassSchedule, or in your MyCanyons account.

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

Important Coronavirus Updates and Service Information https://www.canyons.edu/administration/pio/notices/index.php

Canyons Café Update

A fixture for many years, the Canyons Café was taken down last week to make room for the future Student Services/Learning Resources Center. So where will you get that breakfast burrito, fresh sandwich or bagel? The Canyons Café is slated to move up into Quad 3, replacing the Vending room, next door to the Student Lounge. Work has already begun on the new facility!



Free Remote Personal Counseling Available to COC Students

Although our campuses will be closed until further notice, the mental health staff of the College Of The Canyons Student Health & Wellness Center will continue to provide 6 free sessions a semester of Personal Counseling via 50 minute phone appointments to currently enrolled students. <u>To schedule an appointment for your-</u> <u>self</u>, please email the Student Health & Wellness Center at <u>Stu-</u> <u>dentHealthCenter@Canyons.edu</u>. We will get back to you within 24-48 hours.

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Campus Service Hours

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 all adjust to new ways of delivering the services available to you.

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

"The two most important days in your life are the day you are born and the day you find out why."

- Mark Twain

Counseling

Our department has transitioned to 100% online counseling services in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, and please know that your academic, career, and personal success is still our primary mission.

Summer Registration has begun and we are here to help you!

Visit our Online Counseling Website at https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/counseling/continuing/index.php, for all of these great services:

- Express drop-in counseling is available to help you get quick answers to your questions. They are short 5 -10 minute sessions with a counselor on a first come, first serve basis designed to address quick questions such as: summer registration, adding or dropping classes, grading options, filing a graduation petition, checking progress towards your educational goal, etc.. Just click on the Yellow Drop-In Counseling Button at https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/counseling/online/ onlinedropin.php to sign up! Express drop-in is available Monday & Wednesday, 9am - 5pm, Tuesday, 10 a.m.- 6 p.m. Thursday, 10am - 5pm and Friday, 9am - 12pm
- Online counseling appointments are available to address your academic and career goals. Schedule an appointment by visiting our website. Once the appointment is scheduled online, your Counselor will contact you via your MyCanyons email with instructions on how to access your online appointment.
- *E-Advising* is also available! E-advising allows you to ask general counseling questions when you don't need an immediate answer. A counselor will email a reply within the same business day.

Will you be completing your Associate Degree this summer? If so, be sure to connect with the Counseling office to file your petition for graduation! The deadline to apply for Summer Graduation is June 12, 2020.

Are you concerned about your grades this semester? Moving from the face to face learning environment to the remote/online learning environment has definitely been a transition for many. If you are concerned about your progress and would like to discuss your grading options, please connect with a counselor during Express Drop-In. We can go over your options and differentiate between a Pass/No Pass, Withdrawal, Excused Withdrawal and the Withdrawal removal from transcript options.

Will you be attending CSUN in Fall 2020?

If so, be sure to check out the "Balanced Man Scholarship" Awarding up to \$1,000! This scholarship is open to incoming freshmen, transfers, and current students! The Deadline is August 30th, apply online at <u>https://csunsigep.com/scholarships/</u>

Science Center Update

Progress continues on the Science Center, with plumbing, electrical and drywall going in on the East end of the building, while the West end continues to make beautiful strides. The adjacent amphitheater/plaza has also taken shape,

with terraced levels and stairwells, that will take you from Cougar Way down to Dr. Dianne G. Van Hook Drive. This new outdoor area on campus will be used for outdoor events, presentations and activities. The building is scheduled for completion later this year, with the first full semester of classes scheduled for Spring 2021!

For further updates, visit: https:// www.canyons.edu/_resources/documents/ administration/facilities/February_2020.pdf



Financial Aid Update

Attention Financial Aid Students,

Due to the current campus closure, the Financial Aid Office has moved <u>all services online</u> until further notice. We will be operating with regular services to the best of our ability. We know that you may have questions about your financial aid and the impact of the closure. To contact a financial aid representative, please email finaid@canyons.edu. We appreciate your patience - Please allow 72 hours for a representative to respond to your email.

Please review the following FAQ's for answers to the most common questions we have been receiving:

Will I still get my financial aid disbursement?

YES. The Financial Aid Office will still be processing disbursements for the spring semester. Financial aid funds will be disbursed as regularly scheduled. Please refer to our disbursement schedule for dates and details. <u>https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/financialaid/importantdates/disbursement.php</u>



How do I check the status of my financial aid application (FAFSA)? You can check your financial aid application (FAFSA) status Online through My Canyons

New Students!!

Students are now able to complete Math and English assessments and advising completely 100% online!

New student checklist:

https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/ enrollmentservices/newstudent.php

You can access the new online assessment/ advisement through the new student checklist.

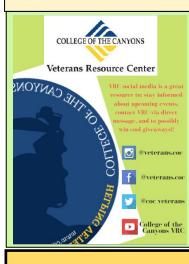
Academic Advisors also have an e-mail where they can be reached at: <u>Advising@canyons.edu</u>

Here is a link to the Academic Advising page: <u>https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/</u>enrollmentservices/academicadvisors/

Associated Student Government (ASG)!!

It is that time of year again! The ASG 2020-2021 Elections are here! Please have your voice heard by voting for your student government leaders. Online voting will be open from **May 11 at 9:00am** through **May 15th until 11:59pm** here: <u>https://</u> <u>www.canyons.edu/studentservices/</u> <u>campuslife/asg/index.php</u>

Please contact Joanna Kelly at <u>Joan-</u> <u>na.Kelly@canyons.edu</u> if you have further questions, or for more information, visit <u>https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/</u> <u>campuslife/asg/index.php</u>



Veteran's Resource Center (VRC)

The VRC is committed to providing all the same services in an online platform. Please visit our website at <u>https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/va/</u> index.php for more information. Additionally, we are making announcements on The Veterans Resource Center canvas shell.

As always, feel free to contact the VRC with any questions or concerns via email at <u>veterans@canyons.edu</u> or messaging on Canvas.

The Library

To help students adjust to fully remote coursework, COC's Library has thoroughly increased its online services, offering live reference assistance via Zoom Monday-Thursday 7:30am-9pm, Friday 7:30am-12pm, and Saturday 9am-3pm, in addition to its Ask-a-Librarian chat reference service Monday-Thursday 8am-7pm. The Library's constantly expanding LibGuides section offers curated content and resources for different academic subjects. Watch feature films, documentaries, and more with Kanopy, currently offered on trial by the Library to the COC community. Visit <u>canyons.kanopy.com</u>, and feel free to share any feedback on this service with the Library.



Check it out at https://canyons.libguides.com/?b=g&d=a

Updated information and links to all Library services can be found at www.canyons.edu/Library

Please help us spread the word!!

TLC - The Learning Center

The Learning Center (TLC) will continue to provide tutoring support for COC students using remote delivery options using <u>Zoom</u>.



Remote Tutoring Hours: Monday-Thursday: 8:00 am - 8:00 pm Friday & Saturday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Exam proctoring and GLAs will no longer be available until further notice.

Remote Services Include:

Zoom Tutoring – Zoom Tutorial

<u>Remote Writing Tutoring</u>

Remote Math and Science Tutoring

Remote Computer Tutoring

Zoom Workshops. Math/Science: Zoom Workshop Schedule English: Zoom Workshop Schedule

Canvas support is available for students via email at <u>cvsupport@canyons.edu</u> or call (877) 889-9052 for 24/7 support. Zoom Canvas Support at <u>Remote Canvas Support</u>

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 classes and services have gone remote. Unless directed to use the drop box by your instructor, you should not be coming onto campus. For questions, contact us at 661-362-3977



Thank you, and be SAFE!

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