

College of the Canyons Canyon Country Campus Student Newsletter

December

12/12 Last day of Fall Semester 12/18 Deadline to apply for Spring 2021 graduation 12/20-12/31 Winter Break—Campus Closed

<u>January</u>

- 1/1 New Year's Day Holiday
- 1/4 First day of Winter Semester
- 1/4 Start of Spring Registration
- 1/18 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday



Note: Visit our website at www.canyons.edu/CCC for information on upcoming events and activities, as they become available.

Spring Registration begins January 4, 2021

Admissions is still accepting applications for Winter 2021 and Spring 2021. If you have missed a semester, you will need to submit a new Application for Admission to receive a registration date. Important dates:

- Deadline to apply for Spring 2021 graduation is December 18th
- Transcripts that were orders to be held for Fall 2020 grades, will be processed no later than January 4th

If you need further assistance, you can email <u>Admissions@canyons.edu</u> or call 661-362-3281 during the hours of 9:00am to 5:00pm Monday-Thursday to speak with an Admissions Representative for any questions. For further information, please visit our site at www.canyons.edu/student services/ admissions/ for updates

For a full list of the Spring 2021 courses, view the class schedule online at www.canyons.edu/ClassSchedule, or in your MyCanyons account. Thank you for your patience during this very busy time. We are answering emails as quickly as possible and are here to help you to succeed!

Science Talks Tomorrow!!

Please join us on Friday, December 4, from 12pm to 1:30pm, as a panel of COC Science faculty discuss "The COVID-19 Vaccine: What Happens Now?". This very timely and interesting presentation will discuss such things as the science behind vaccines, are they safe, how herd immunity works, and how we get back to normal. There will also be a Q&A session at the end, to get your questions answered. No registration required, just click here or copy into your browser: https://cccconfer.zoom.us/i/94572511332. We hope you can attend!



COVID-19: The Immune System and Herd Immunity Dec. 4, 2020, Noon - 1:30pm

Dec. 2020/Jan. 2021

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 virtual ways.

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

"If people are doubting how far you can go, go so far that you can't hear them anymore." ~ Michelle Ruiz

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

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

REMINDER: Face coverings and completion of the Online Health Survey are required when visiting campus.

Science Center and SSLRC Update



The interior of the new Science Center continues its progress, with the exterior looking nearly completed. Along with the adjacent amphitheater's beautiful stairways, trellises, and seating, the middle of campus continues to take shape. North of the new amphitheater space, the Student Services & Learning Resources Center (SSLRC) continues to grow upward, with beams reaching for the sky, as seen in this picture. When completed, this building will house the majority of student support services, in addition to a new library and TLC. These two new buildings will create a new central campus for students that increases instructional space and centralizes services.

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

Associated Student Government (ASG)

We are sharing a "Feel Good" package as you approach final exams, which in-cluded a \$50 gift card!

Pick up on both campuses! December 4, 2020 9am to 12pm

You must show proof of registration at pick up

All Campus Life and ASG Computer Lab staff are working remotely and are able to answer questions via email at: Campus.Life@Canyons.edu

Campus Life Zoom Room Office Hours: Monday - Thursday - 10am - 5pm

https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/ campuslife/

For questions, please contact Joanna Kelly at Joanna.Kelly@canyons.edu, or for more information on services and benefits, visit https:// www.canyons.edu/studentservices/campuslife/ asg/index.php

Feel Good Finals

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We're sharing a bit of care as you all approach final exams. Register to pick up your "Feel Good" package which includes a \$50 gift card!



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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. at 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

Visit us at https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/counseling/ for details about online appointments, online workshops, online Drop-in Counseling, Career Assessments and E-Advising

Do you have an immediate question for a counselor? Express Drop-in counseling is an opportunity to meet with a counselor for a short 10-15 minute

consultation to address quick questions. Express Drop-in works on a first come, first serve basis to address questions such as: upcoming registration, adding or dropping classes, grading options, filing a graduation petition, checking progress towards your associate degree or certificate program and/or support with transfer applications. To meet with a counselor on Express Drop-In, go to the Yellow Drop-In Counseling Button at <u>https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/counseling/online/onlinedropin.php</u> 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.

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 (extended to December

15)

The UC Application filing period takes place November 1- 30, 2020 (extended to December 4)

Visit the Transfer Center website for information about upcoming transfer workshops and virtual college representative visits: <u>https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/transfercenter/index.php</u>. If you have any questions about the application process, visit the Counseling website for support. Counselors are available for Express Drop-in to help address transfer application questions.

Will you have your Associate's degree completed by Spring 2021? If so, be sure to petition for your degree early so you may qualify for spring 2021 graduation priority enrollment consideration. The deadline is Friday, February 11, 2021, however if you submit your petition by December 18, 2020, you will be considered for priority enrollment for spring registration if you select this option on your graduation petition. You may download the graduation petition here: <u>https://www.canyons.edu/ resources/documents/</u> studentservices/admissions/AR052PetitionForAssociateDegreeFillable.pdf and stop by Express Drop-in Counseling to meet with a counselor and have it reviewed and processed.

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 <u>https://</u> www.canyons.edu/studentservices/counseling/continuing/workshops/index.php



Student Health & Wellness Center

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

Our staff are working remotely. If you have General Inquires, Medical Questions or need to make a Remote Counseling Appointment, you can email us at studenthealthcenter@canyons.edu or call 661-362-3259. We will get back to you within 24-48 hours or earlier if possible.

*Know that there are many resources available for you on the COC Student Health and Wellness Center website at https://www.canyons.edu/studentservices/health/index.php

TLC - The Learning Center



Join us for Reading, Writing, and Study Skills Workshops at The Learning Center (TLC)!

Winter 2021 - Live via Zoom . Please visit our website for updated information on workshops and tutoring: https://www.canyons.edu/academics/tlc/index.php

TLC Online Tutoring hours:

Monday - Thursday: 10:30am- 1:30pm & 3:00pm - 6:00pm Friday & Saturday: 12:00 - 3:00 pm New TLC Online Tutoring hours effective Monday, Jan 4-Saturday, Feb 6: Monday - Thursday: 12:00pm - 5:00pm

Friday & Saturday: 10:00am - 3:00 pm Canvas support is available for students via email at cvsupport@canyons.edu or call (877) 889-9052 for 24/7 support. Zoom Canvas Support at Remote Canvas Support We are here to help you succeed!



Financial Aid

The **2021-2022** academic year FAFSA opened on October 1, 2020 using 2019 tax information.



The Library

The Library has notably 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. Please help us spread the word!

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. Our temporary phone hours are from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, Monday through Thursday.

For general information: https://www.canyons.edu/ studentservices/financialaid/index.php

Monday - Thursday 9am-7pm Friday 9am-1pm Saturday - 9am - 3pm



Check out our expanded e-book collection and subject-specific Lib-Guides. All library resources, updated information and links to all Library services can be found at www.canyons.edu/Library.

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 website, email 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 Thursday: 9:00am - 11am and 12:00pm - 5pm

Message from Campus Safety

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



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