

# STUDENT SERVICES CONNECTION



WEEKLY UPDATE: NOVEMBER 9, 2020

# Special Programs that Go Above and Beyond – Part II

# Extended Opportunity Programs & Services (EOPS)

This week we will take a look at the Extended Opportunity Programs & Services (EOPS), CARE, and NextUp/Guardian Scholars programs which provide personalized support for students challenged by language, social, economic, and/or educational barriers.

**EOPS Support Services Include:** 

- Academic and career counseling
- Book services
- Chromebook loan
- Calculator (TI-84) loan
- Emergency loans
- Peer advisement
- Personal letters of recommendation
- Priority registration
- Referral services (on campus and off campus)
- Study center/computer lab
- Snack/Hygiene pantry

- Transfer application fee waivers
- Tutoring

### COOPERATIVE AGENCIES RESOURCES FOR EDUCATION (CARE)

The CARE program is designed to assist single parents who are recipients of CalWORKs/TANF and are EOPS eligible. The CARE staff understands how a single parent who is supporting a family may feel overwhelmed trying to balance the responsibilities of an education and home. We are here to help qualified students balance those responsibilities by offering additional financial assistance and support services.

### **NEXTUP/GUARDIAN SCHOLARS**

The NextUp/Guardian Scholars Program provides a range of services and resources for current and former foster youth/wards of the court who are interested in pursuing a college education. Our goal is to assist Guardian Scholars students to increase their confidence as educated, self-reliant individuals with the skills to become strong role models and future community leaders.

EOPS is committed to serving you. If you have any questions, feel free to give us a call at 714-895-8768. The EOPS/CARE/NextUp/Guardian Scholars program accepts applications on an ongoing basis. Apply online NOW or download a [PDF] version of the application. Be sure to visit the EOPS website, or call 714-895-8768.



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# GET TO KNOW YOUR SSC TEAM

# Lorena Perez, CARE Program Specialist

## What is your role at GWC?

I am the CARE Program Specialist. I have worked at Golden West College for five years, in the EOPS/CARE/Guardian Scholars/NextUp Department. CARE (Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education) is a state funded program designed to assist single parents who are recipients of CalWORKs/TANF who are attending college and are EOPS eligible. Students must have at least one child, be single head of household, and be over the age of 18 to qualify for CARE. CARE students are guided and supported to achieve their educational goals. In addition to receiving EOPS services, the CARE Program assists eligible students with educational workshops, support groups, gas cards, unmet need grants, school supply vouchers, counseling services, scholarship opportunities, community resources and referrals.

I love helping our single parents. As I have conversations with

the students, I get new ideas to better serve them. These ideas turn into events, such as the CARE Turkey Drive, Holiday Adopt-a-Family, and "Make a Memory" drive. Also, our students get invited to community events such as the Mother's Day Tea, Christmas Brunch, Halloween Trick-a-Trunk, and others. In addition to being the CARE Specialist, I am the EOPS/CARE/ GS Club Advisor, EOPS/CARE/ GS Advisory Co-Chair, Region 8 CARE Coordinator Chair, Project Self-Sufficiency Board Member, and a CA Notary Public.

### What motivates you to work hard?

My mother is my motivation to work hard. She was a single parent who raised seven children. She did not have any family in the US, did not speak English and worked two jobs. No matter what, you never work a day in your she made sure that her family was taken care of and we had a roof over our heads. She motivated me to work hard and do good



by others. Growing up I knew I wanted to work in a place where I could help others they way my mother helped others in need. I love my job. By working in the CARE Program, I can assist the single parents because I understand their needs, and I know how valuable the services and events are to them.

-When you love what you do

# An Important Message from Admissions and Records

### Hi GWC Students!

Now that we are getting closer to the end of the semester it may be a good time to review your web schedule bill for important deadlines related to your courses! For directions on viewing your web schedule bill please visit: https://www.goldenwestcollege.edu/enrollment/admissions/web-schedule-bill/index. html. Need assistance dropping a class for Fall or registering for Spring? Check out our resource guide HERE.

- Check out some other Admis-
- sions and Records resources
- on our new website! Link found
- below!
- Admissions and Records Forms: HERE
- Academic Calendar and Spring 2021 Drop for Non Payment Dates: **HERE**
- **Excused Withdrawal** Information: HERE

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- **Online Resources**









# **Upcoming Events**



# 11TH HOUR MOVIE SCREENING

Join the Sustainability Committee in the viewing of The 11th Hour, a documentary focusing on the major issues that our ecosystem and environment are facing and their effect on humanity. Learn about their causes, and what you can do to resolve these threats.

Monday, Nov. 9th & Tuesday, Nov. 10th 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Zoom ID: 929 7247 7999 / Password: Earth



# **OPEN MIC: PET NIGHT**

Your furry friends deserve to have a voice too. Bring your pets and get to meet the other animal companions of Golden West College. All pets are welcome!

Thursday, November 12th 7:00 pm - 7:45 pm

Zoom Link: https://cccconfer.zoom. us/j/92916005497

Password: asgwc

# GET YOUR FLU SHOT Drive Thru Flu Vaccine Clinic Thursdays 1:30 - 4:30pm

# **GET YOUR FLU SHOT**

The GWC Student Health Center is offering \$16 flu shots via a drive-thru clinic every Thursday from 1:30 - 4:30pm, located in Parking Lot E off Edinger. Call the Health Center at 714-895-8379 if you have any questions. *All GWC Students, Staff, Faculty & Coastline Students welcome!* Drive-thru clinic will be outside GWC Nursing Building/Student Health Center & parking lot E off Edinger

# LETTER WRITING CAMPAIGN WORKSHOP

The Smoke Free Task Force and ASGWC Student Interest Committee invites you to join the Letter Writing Campaign Workshop! Our community partner, California Youth Advocacy Network (CYAN) will be providing a guided workshop along with a Question and Answer session. You'll learn how to write letters to decision makers showing your support for an issue/policy. All GWC students are encouraged to attend! To learn more, please email lcamacho16@student.cccd.edu or ksan@waymakersoc.org

## Friday, November 13 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Zoom Link: https://zoom.us/ j/96279480329?pwd=RndrRIFGdEFWY-

W92SWU0VisramZ3UT09 Zoom ID: 962 7948 0329 Password: 792561

# Things You Need to Know...

# CSU FALL 2021 ADMISSION APPLICATION WORKSHOPS

1:00 - 3:00PM LIVE ONLINE Tuesday, November 10

3:00 - 5:00PM LIVE ONLINE Wednesday, November 18

10:00 - 12:00 NOON LIVE ONLINE Saturday, November 14

UC FALL 2021
ADMISSION APPLICATION
3:00 - 5:00 pm

Tuesday, November 17

Please sign up in advance: 714-895-8794 or visit: <a href="https://www.tinyurl.com/transferf21">www.tinyurl.com/transferf21</a>

### **ACADEMIC SUCCESS WORKSHOPS**

Take advantage of the FREE workshops available to GWC students. To sign up, visit the Academic Success Center workshop at <a href="https://www.goldenwestcollege.edu/asc/">https://www.goldenwestcollege.edu/asc/</a> and click the green button to enter our virtual front desk via Zoom. A staff person will answer your questions and get you set up for the workshop. Or, if it's after hours, you can send an email to <a href="mailto:academic-successctr@qwc.cccd.edu">academic-successctr@qwc.cccd.edu</a>.

### **UPCOMING WORKSHOPS:**

College Algebra Workshops - Mon, 12-1pm 11/9/20 - Multiplying and Dividing Polys -Review of multiplying polys and division of polys (long and synthetic)

11/16/20 - Factoring - Review of GCF, grouping, factoring trinomials with a=1 and a not =1

Writing Assistance Workshops - 11-12pm 11/20/20 - Finding Sources for Your Essay - Students will learn how to find and evaluate sources for a research essay.

Time Management/Note-Taking Strategies
Always feel like you're rushing to complete
assignments last minute? Can't remember what
the professor said in lecture? Come learn tips
for effective note taking, and how to manage
your time.

11/9/20 @ 3pm 11/12/20 @ 10am 11/18/20 @ 10am 11/19/20 @ 1pm











**ACADEMIC SUCCESS CENTER** . . .(714) 895-8904 goldenwestcollege.edu/asc/

ADMISSIONS & RECORDS . . . . . .(714) 892-7711 goldenwestcollege.edu/admissions/

CENTER FOR GLOBAL & . . . . . . (714) 895-8146 CULTURAL PROGRAMS

goldenwestcollege.edu/cgcp/

**DEAN OF STUDENTS/TITLE IX** . . . (714) 895-8781 goldenwestcollege.edu/titleix/ Carla Martinez, Dean of Students/Title IX Coordinator

DISABLED STUDENTS .....(714) 895-8721 PROGRAM (DSPS)

goldenwestcollege.edu/dsps/

EOPS, CARE, NEXTUP, . . . . . . . . (714) 895-8768 GUARDIAN SCHOLARS

goldenwestcollege.edu/eops/

LIBRARY . . . . . . Main Line: (714) 895-8741 goldenwestcollege.edu/library/

**OUTREACH** . . . . . (714) 892-7711 Ext. 55290 goldenwestcollege.edu/outreach/

**STUDENT EQUITY . . .** (714) 892-7711 Ext. 55306 goldenwestcollege.edu/student-equity/

**STUDENT WELLBEING** . . (714) 892-7711 Ext. 55306 goldenwestcollege.edu/student-equity/wellbeing/

**VETERANS RESOURCES.** . (714) 892-7711 Ext. 55144 goldenwestcollege.edu/vrc/

# **INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK (11/16 - 11/20)**

Join the Center for Global and Cultural Programs in virtual celebration of the International Education Week! This year, we will be hosting the International Photo Contest with a chance to win a Fitbit, and a special guest performance in celebration of the Indigenous Peoples Month.

## Deadline Extended: The International Education Week Photo Contest! Enter for a chance to win a Fitbit!

The deadline for the International Education Week Photo Contest has been extended! Submit your photos by **NOVEMBER 13, 2020 (Fri) by 3PM** for a chance to win a Fitbit! Show off your photography skills and enter your best international themed photos. The contest is open to all students, faculty and staff.

Submit your photos here: <a href="https://gck.fm/njesy">https://gck.fm/njesy</a> **Deadline: November 13, 2020 (Fri) by 3PM**You can choose one or multiple categories:

- 1. International Friendship
- 2. International Landscapes
- 3. International Lens @GWC

Winners will be announced during the International Education Week (Nov 16 - 20) on the international Student Program's Instagram so be sure to follow us: @gwcisp.

For more information, visit the submission page: https://gck.fm/njesy Any questions? Contact the Center for Global and Cultural Programs (CGCP): isp@gwc.cccd.edu

"The Mirror of Your Culture" (Where are you from. Who you are.)

Special Performance & Lecture by Martin Espino in Celebration of Indigenous Peoples Month

November 19, 2020 (Thurs) 2:30-3:30PM Register here: https://tinyurl.com/y2uyj9wb

Join special guest, Martin Espino for a special performance of music, poetry in Nahuatl with translation, and a lecture on the history of native Mexican music. Preview his amazing work: <a href="https://www.martinespino.com">https://www.martinespino.com</a>

# SMOKING/VAPING CESSATION PROGRAM

There is no perfect time to stop smoking/vaping! The GWC Student Health Center is offering a FREE virtual 5-week smoking and vaping cessation program. The program is offered both as a group workshop, as well as individual. There is an incentive for those who sign up. *This is open to all staff, faculty and students.* Please contact Christina at <a href="mailto:cstreifel@gwc.cccd.edu">cstreifel@gwc.cccd.edu</a> to sign up or if you have

additional questions about the program.

# QPR SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING

BECOME A QPR GATEKEEPER (VIA ZOOM)

Question suicidal intent
Persuade to get help
Refer to a professional

Thursday, November 17th, 12pm - 2pm RSVP: imoss31@gwc.cccd.edu

- We can all play a part in PREVENTING
  SUICIDE. Sponsored by the GWC Student
- Health Center





