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# CONCORD UNIVERSITY PARENTS CLUB June 2016

Dear Parents,

Greetings and welcome to all new and continuing CU Parents! We hope you are having an enjoyable summer! This edition of *The Scoop* relays important information to help plan for a successful 2016-17 academic year, including the academic schedule, announcements, and services.

Please encourage your students to **check their CU email regularly** (at least three times/week) since this is the main way we communicate with your student. Some information is also sent via U.S. Postal Service, so it's important that we have a current permanent mailing address on file. We want to be certain students do not miss valuable messages from departments and faculty/staff.

Many fun and educational events are planned for Fall 2016. We encourage students and parents to stay informed via the Upcoming Events calendar and University News on the Concord homepage (http://www.concord.edu/) and of athletic events via the Athletics webpage (http://www.cumountainlions.com/). As you'll see, there's a lot happening on The Campus Beautiful!

Don't forget to sign up to receive CU Parents Club text messages. These short texts will include important Concord University deadlines, reminders, and events. To join you can visit <a href="https://www.remind.com/join/cuparents">www.remind.com/join/cuparents</a> or text the message "@cuparents" (without quotes) to (304) 241-2045.

We welcome your comments and questions, and hope to CU soon!

On behalf of the Parents Club, best wishes and peace, Marjie Flanigan

Vice President of Student Affairs & Dean of Students

# Fall 2016 Academic Schedule

August 8-12, Monday-Friday New Student Registration

August 15, Monday, 8:00 am Classes Begin

August 15 - September 2 Signature of Instructors Required to Add Classes

August 16, Tuesday, 8:00 am

Late Registration Fee Begins

September 2, Friday Last Day to Pay Fees

September 2, Friday, 4:00 pm

Last Day to Submit a Financial Aid or Academic Appeal

September 2, Friday, 4:00 pm

Last Day for Adding a Course (Requires Signature of

Instructors)

September 5, Monday Labor Day Holiday

September 9, Friday, 4:00 pm Last Day to Apply for Spring 2017 Professional Semester

(Student Teaching)

September 21, Wednesday, 4:00 pm Last Day for Making Application for Undergraduate and

Graduate December Graduation without late fees

October 5, Wednesday, 4:00 pm Mid-Semester Reports of Unsatisfactory Grades Due

October 6-7, Thursday & Friday Fall Break
October 15, Saturday Homecoming

October 17 - November 4 Advising for Course Selection, 2017 Spring Semester

October 28, Friday, 4:00 pm Last Day for Dropping Courses with grade of W or Changing

Course

Status to Audit (AU)

October 31 - November 9 Course Selection, 2017 Spring Semester (for Students

Presently Enrolled)

November 21-25, Monday - Friday Thanksgiving Recess

November 28, Monday, 4:00 pm Last Day to Officially Withdraw from the University

December 2, Friday Last Class Day

December 5, Monday, 8:00 am Fall Semester Exams Begin

December 9, Friday, 5:00 pm Fall Semester Ends

December 10, Saturday Commencement and Alumni Day

December 21, Wednesday Last Day for Refunding Room Reservation Fee for Students

Who Will not be Resident Students.

#### NOTES:

All students who have pre-selected courses for Fall Semester must make payment by 4:00 pm, August 15, 2016. Students who have not paid by this date may be dropped from their pre-selected courses.

Registration for a class does not guarantee a student's seat in that section. If an instructor has a waiting list and a student does not attend the first class meeting, he or she may be dropped from the roll to provide room for students waiting to add the course.

# **Announcements**

# **Students & Families Affected by June 2016 Floods**

Concord University extends our heartfelt support to our fellow West Virginians affected by the June 2016 floods. Some of our students, staff, and faculty have been directly affected. To assist in clean-up efforts, Concord launched a collection drive for June 27 & 28, with supplies delivered to the United Way's Beckley location on Wednesday, June 29. Many members of our CU family have volunteered time, money, and supplies to help our struggling communities. If you or your student have questions or concerns because of flood-related issues, please contact the Office of Student Affairs (<a href="mailto:studentaffairs@concord.edu">studentaffairs@concord.edu</a>, 304-384-6035) or the Academic Success Center (<a href="mailto:asc@concord.edu">asc@concord.edu</a>, 304-384-6035).



A Small Sampling of Day #1 Donations from CU Community

#### **Announcements from the Business Office**

Fall 2016 bills will be generated the weeks of June 27th, July 18th and August 1st. Please review the bill(s) for accuracy and follow the instructions regarding Confirmation of Attendance and payment. Please remember these are two different processes. Payment is due the first day of the term, August 15th. Should you wish to utilize the payment plan option, the first payment is due July 20th. See the billing statement for more information. The Business Office will, as is past practice, send reminder emails for Confirmation of Attendance, check change distribution, and book purchases through financial aid throughout July and August. Students will receive MyCU emails for details.

The Concord Cash Card serves as a Concord University student identification card and also as a Discover Debit Card for students who enroll in the debit card feature. Students must opt-in or opt-out of the Concord Cash Card at <a href="http://www.concord.edu/onecard">http://www.concord.edu/onecard</a>.

For more information, visit concord.edu/administration/business-office, email <a href="mailto:acctsrec@concord.edu">acctsrec@concord.edu</a>, call 304-384-5212/5912, or stop by the Cashier's Office.

Business Office Hours: 8:00am to 4:00pm Monday to Friday

Cashier's Office Hours: 8:30am to 3:30pm Open during Lunch Monday to Friday

#### **Announcements from the Financial Aid Office**

#### Accepting Awards:

- Grants & Institutional Scholarships NO action required.
- Private Scholarships Send copies of outside/private scholarship awards or checks to the Financial Aid Office
- Direct Subsidized/Unsubsidized Stafford Loans:
  - The student (and parent for PLUS loans) must complete a Loan Acceptance form through Financial Aid in MyCU, Resources and Forms at concord.edu/financialaid, or the Financial Aid Office.
  - First-time borrowers must complete Entrance Counseling and sign a Master Promissory Note (MPN) at studentloans.gov. NOTE: Loans cannot be disbursed until 30 days into the semester.

The Department of Education chooses 30% of FAFSA completers to verify their information. If your student is chosen for verification, he/she will receive a letter with more information and directions. The letter will be sent every three weeks until the documentation has been completed.

Please read the Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) policy to be familiar with the impact withdrawing from and failing classes can have on receiving financial aid. Colleges are required to have a Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) policy to determine if students are meeting a grade point average (GPA) requirement and completion ratio—or number of hours earned compared to number of hours attempted. This ensures that students stay on pace to graduate. Concord's SAP policy is located <u>HERE</u>.

If you have questions, please contact the office at finaid@concord.edu or 304-384-6069.

# Important Dates from the Office of Housing & Residence Life

**New Student Move-In** starts at 8:30 AM on Saturday, August 13, 2016. **Returning Student Move-In** starts at 10 AM on Sunday, August 14, 2016.

Tuesday, June 30, 2016 is the **last day for refunding the room reservation fee** for students who will not be resident students for the Fall 2016 semester.

If under the age of 23 and desiring to live off-campus, your student must complete the Off-Campus Exception/Commuting Request Form (http://hub.concord.edu/residence-life/node/7).

For more information on the Concord Residence Life Program, go to <a href="www.concord.edu/residence-life">www.concord.edu/residence-life</a>. There, you can find information on our facilities and staff, as well as policies and procedures found within the residence halls. There are also links to lists of items students will need to bring (and also leave at home) to be successful in the residence halls. This page also provides links to meal plan selection, updates on future renovation projects, room dimensions, and various services provided within the residence halls.

# Announcements from the Registrar's Office

New Students should submit official transcripts, including all college coursework (AP, CLEP, dual enrollment, or other course documentation). For any course schedule changes, contact the Academic Dean's Office at vpad@concord.edu or 304-384-5241.

Returning Students can make schedule changes through their MyCU account until around the 1<sup>st</sup> of August. After that, students will need to stop by the office for a paper form.

If you have questions, please contact the office at registraroffice@concord.edu, phone 304-384-5236, or stop by Marsh Hall Room 202.

#### Announcements from the Office of Student Affairs

Checklists have been created for New Students and Graduating Seniors. The New Student Checklist can be found on the <u>New Student Orientation</u> webpage. The Graduation Checklist will be emailed during the semester and will also be available on the graduation webpage closer to the date of Commencement.

## FERPA Release Needed to Allow Parents/Others Access to Information

In order for Concord University to discuss a student's academic record—including student account information—with a third party (e.g. parent, spouse, employer, etc.), the student must provide authorization for us to do so. CU has created an easy way for students to authorize information release.

Students should simply go to the <u>MyCU homepage</u> and click on FERPA release. Completing a FERPA release early ensures that it is in place whenever it is needed. Below are step-by-step instructions:

- 1. Go to the MyCU homepage; Click on FERPA Release button
- 2. Student enters MyCU information, as requested (Username & Password)
- 3. Student completes the form, assigning a PIN number for the individuals to whom he/she is granting permission for release of indicated university information. Click "Add User."
- 4. Student provides the PIN number to the person(s) to whom he/she is allowing information access. NOTE: Information will not be released to an authorized individual without the person knowing the PIN. This is for the student's protection.



Please see the Academic Catalog regarding Concord's FERPA policy.

#### **Microsoft Office ProPlus For Students**

Concord University is a member of Microsoft's Student Advantage Program where currently enrolled students are eligible for a free license to download and use Microsoft Office Professional Plus. This license is automatically assigned upon enrollment at CU and remains until withdrawal or graduation. Students can install on up to 5 machines, windows or mac, as well as use the mobile versions of Office Mobile. After withdrawal or graduation, the license is removed and the software enters a reduced functionality mode limiting it to viewing or printing only. Graduates can visit the site OFFICE 365 EDUCATION, enter their @mycu.concord.edu email address and get the license reinstated. Installation instructions, FAQ, and other information on Office ProPlus is located at http://www.concord.edu/office365

## **DegreeWorks**

Concord University has a web-based tool for students to stay on track to graduation. Through DegreeWorks, students can monitor progress towards a degree at any time. A DegreeWorks audit is a comprehensive academic history record; it includes transfer credit, currently enrolled courses, and courses needed to complete the degree. Grade point average can also be calculated through the GPA Calculator and students can check out other majors under the "What If" tab. Access DegreeWorks under the "Student" tab in MyCU. For more information, click HERE.

# **Online Access to Course Syllabi**

Concord University offers online access to course syllabi. A course's syllabus can be accessed online through the hyperlink in the course title on the "Seats Taken" webpage. The webpage can be accessed at <a href="https://apps.concord.edu/schedules/seatstaken.php">https://apps.concord.edu/schedules/seatstaken.php</a> or by going to <a href="https://apps.concord.edu/schedules/seatstaken.php">www.concord.edu</a> and clicking on Current Students -> Courses, Catalogs & Registration -> Courses Offered (Seats Taken). This is a wonderful tool for students to use when they have misplaced a syllabus or need to access it remotely.

# Student Loan Help: CU Student Loan Dashboard!!

To help students stay informed and manage their loan debt, Concord University created a Student Loan Dashboard. The Dashboard provides a picture of a student's federal loan status, including the amount borrowed to date, potential repayment amount, borrowing limits, and percentage of academic program completed.

All students are encouraged to become informed consumers, particularly about how much they have borrowed and the importance of student loan repayment. While student loans can be an excellent way to help finance an education, **students are cautioned to only borrow the minimum amount needed**. Unlike grants, loans must be repaid, with interest.

To access the Student Loan Dashboard:

- Log into MyCU
- Click on the Student Tab
- Click on Student Loan Dashboard

For most students, the federal loan program is their first encounter with borrowing and establishing credit. Failure to repay student loans can result in negative consequences for both the student and institution. For students, this might entail having paychecks and/or tax refunds garnished (taken directly from a paycheck/refund); a poor credit rating, which hurts future borrowing and increases the amount of interest charged on future loans and credit cards; inability to obtain future financial aid; and other penalties. Institutions are penalized when students default on their loans by having restrictions placed on their current students' ability to borrow and through disbursement restrictions.

Currently, the Dashboard is just for undergraduate students. Under the Dashboard's "Note the Following," some limitations are explained. Students are asked to read these carefully and visit the links provided.

The Dashboard is a collaborative effort of various Concord University departments, including Technology Services, Financial Aid, Academic Success Center, Student Affairs, Academic Dean's Office, and the President's Office. Special thanks are extended to Jamie Boggs, CU alumnus and Director of Application & Web Development, for creating the Dashboard.

For comments and suggestions, please contact Student Affairs at <a href="mailto:studentaffairs@concord.edu">studentaffairs@concord.edu</a> or 304-384-6035. For problems accessing the Dashboard, please contact the Technology Services Helpdesk at <a href="mailto:cuhelpdesk@concord.edu">cuhelpdesk@concord.edu</a> or 304-384-5291.

#### News

#### **CU's Towers Residence Halls Renovations**

If you have been to campus recently, you have probably noticed the extensive renovations occurring to the Towers Residence Halls. Currently, half of the North Towers Residence Hall is under renovation and will hopefully be completed before students return for the Fall 2016 semester. All of North Towers is projected to be finished around mid-January. Renovations will then move on to South Towers with total completion expected around October 2017. For more information about this exciting project, visit HERE.



**Artist Rendering** 

# **Replacement Track at Concord University**

The outdoor track at Callaghan Stadium is currently being replaced. The replacement track project began on May 9, 2016 and, barring weather delays, will be finished before students return for the Fall 2016 semester. For more information about this donation-funded project, visit <u>HERE</u>. For updates on this project and more CU events and updates, visit the <u>Concord University Facebook Page</u>.



# **CU Spring 2016 Dean's List**

We are pleased to announce that over 500 students made the Dean's List for Spring 2016 by achieving a semester GPA of at least 3.5 based on a possible 4.0. Congratulations!

Acord, Rebekah	Crab Orchard, WV	Barilla, Angela	Lerona, WV
Adams, Alisha	Jolo, WV	Barnes, Martha	Gap Mills, WV
Adedigba, Michael	Arlington, TX	Basconi, Miranda	Princeton, WV
Adkins, Jessica	Sophia, WV	Basham, Cassy	Jumping Branch, WV
Akers, Kevin	Lashmeet, WV	Basham, Susan	Hinton, WV
Akers, Sarah	Beckley, WV	Bazzie, Jessica	Danese, WV
Albright, Emma	Daniels, WV	Beck, Angela	Marlinton, WV
Allen, Katherine	Beckley, WV	Belcher, Terri	Glen Morgan, WV
Alley, Elizabeth	Princeton, WV	Bender, Sarah	Mabscott, WV
Angell, Logan	Princeton, WV	Bennett, Joshua	Crab Orchard, WV
Angle, Krystle	Princeton, WV	Bennett, Maria	Piney View, WV
Araujo de Almeida, Anna	Carolina Athens, WV	Benvenuto, Kristi	Palmetto, FL
Armentrout, Christina	Kenna, WV	Berry, Cassady	Athens, WV
Arndt, Brittany	Cyclone, WV	Beverage, Justin	Daniels, WV
Atkins, Justin	Hinton, WV	Bibbee, Morgan	Vienna, WV
Austin, Amber	Mount Hope, WV	Billings, Tyler	Ronda, NC
Backel, Alison	Oviedo, FL	Bishop, Rachel	Crab Orchard, WV
Bailey, Dakota	Bluefield, WV	Blake, Tyler	Fayetteville, WV
Bailey, Kyle	Amigo, WV	Blankenship, Jordan	Princeton, WV
Bailey, Michael	Princeton, WV	Blankenship, Kayleena	Gilbert, WV
Bailey, Orville	Summersville, WV	Blankenship, Patrick	Mullens, WV
Barajas, Shannon	Beckley, WV	Blaylock, Anyssa	Dry Creek, WV
Barber, Chloe	Hurricane, WV	Blessing, Jessica	Bastian, VA

Blunt, Lauren Boggs, Alyssa Bolen, Kelsy Bolyard, Lucas Boothe, Shea Bower, Austin Bowles, Samantha Bowling, Chad Bowman, Hannah Brannon, Jeffrey Bright, Victoria Brock, George Brodine, Paul Brookman, Ashleigh Brooks, Jaime Brooks, William Brown, Kiana Brown, Taylor Brundage, Emilee Bryant, Kaitlin Buchanan, Joshua Buckland, Amanda Buckland, Bethany Burdiss, Callie Burks, Joshua Burns, Meridith Butcher, Amanda Butcher, Paige Cales, Hailey Calfee, Salleah Calvert, Ashley Campbell, Kristin Canaday, Brittany Cantley, Michael Carden, Jacob Carpenter, Jessica Carper, Angel Carter, Ashley Carter, Brian Carver, James Cassidy, Savannah Castro, Leanna Cavender, Catherine Chase, Madison Chonoles, Carolyn Clemens, Alanna Clemons, Brooklyn Cline, John Cline, Kyra Cochran, Tyra Coffman, Dawn Cohenour, Dakota Cole, Emily

Oak Creek, WI Spencer, WV Beaver, WV Clarksburg, WV Ballard, WV Hinton, WV Princeton, WV Princeton, WV Sophia, WV Bluefield, WV Welch, WV Glen Daniel, WV Hines, WV Princeton, WV Kopperston, WV Glen Daniel, WV Chesapeake Beach, MD Glen Fork, WV Princeton, WV Mount Hope, WV Stuarts Draft, VA Oak Hill, WV Hinton, WV Mullens, WV Saint Albans, WV Beckley, WV Frankford, WV South Charleston, WV Beckley, WV Princeton, WV Oak Hill, WV Beckley, WV Meadow Bridge, WV Naoma, WV Peterstown, WV Beckley, WV Glen White, WV Cool Ridge, WV Meadow Bridge, WV Weston, WV Beckley, WV Montcalm, WV Pueblo West, CO Elkview, WV Port Saint Lucie, FL Fayetteville, WV Princeton, WV Princeton, WV Gilbert, WV Renick, WV Alderson, WV Gilbert, WV

Scott Depot, WV

Coleman, Tyler Mount Hope, WV Collins, Jonathan Jane Lew, WV Collins, Tanis Shady Spring, WV Cook, Adam Bradley, WV Cook, Amanda Itmann, WV Cook, Natasha Lester, WV Cornett, Tristan Beckley, WV Cox, Judith Naoma, WV Cozart, Holly Beckley, WV Crank, Madison Henderson, WV Crowe, Kaitlyn Danese, WV Culver, Emily Tioga, WV D'Angelo, Dominick Sophia, WV Dacal, Trena Daniels, WV Daniel, Elizabeth Fairdale, WV Daniel, Jacob Arnett. WV Daniel, Jesse Arnett, WV Daniel, Kaitlyn Fairdale, WV Daniel, Shelby Fairdale, WV Daniel, Stephen Fairdale, WV Davis, Lisa Athens, WV Deeds, Analea Clifton Forge, VA Dhital, Bikky Durham, NC DiVirgilio, Carly Fuguay-Varina, NC Dickerson, Sally Danese, WV Dilley, Kayla Fayetteville, WV Dillon, Candice Princeton, WV Dixon, Adam Union, WV Dixon, Taylor Ocala, FL Dobbins, Kristie Lindside, WV Dotson, Tyler Dublin, VA Doughty, Austin Rock, WV Covington, VA Dressler, Derek Druggish, Nicholas Princeton, WV Duckworth, Brianna Beave, WV Dunn, Michelle Beckley, WV Durham, Morgan Hinton, WV Dusold, Karsyn Lindside, WV Dyer, Hannah Princeton, WV Edwards, Abigail Given, WV Edwards, Nicholas Beckley, WV Elliott, Alexis Brooklyn, MI Elliott, Savannah Beckley, WV Ellison, McKenna Athens, WV Elmore, Morgan Princeton, WV Elswick, Caitlin Beckley, WV Engo, Katherine Riverhead, NY Ennis, Joshua Rainelle, WV Beckley, WV Entsminger, McKenna Beckley, WV Evans, Sydni Faidley, Joseph Princeton, WV Fancher, Sarah Alum Bridge, WV Farley, Brianna Athens, WV

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Princeton, WV

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Smith, Robyn

Sparks, Noah

Spadaro, Bonnie

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Princeton, WV Chiang Mai, Thailand

Belfry, KY

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Daniels, WV Odd, WV Charleston, WV Mount Hope, WV Dublin, OH Knoxville, TN Oak Hill, WV

Princeton, WV

Beaver, WV Bluefield, VA Princeton, WV Mount Hope, WV Summersville, WV Roanoke, VA Sophia, WV

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Stevens, Jesse Stewart, Carle Stewart, Kayla Stewart, Ryan Stewart, Taylor

Stock, Emily Stockton, Samuel Stokes, Lindsey Strother, Brittany

Sumpter, Robert Sutton, Laken Suydam, Lelia

Sweet, Joseph Syner, Madison Tarter, Eric Taylor, Ashleigh Taylor, Courtney Taylor, Crystle Taylor, Kaylee

Testerman, Caitlin Thapa, Shraddha Thapa, Sushmita Thomas, Megan

Thomas, Shawn
Thomas, Summer
Thomason, Jarred
Thompson, Amanda
Thompson, Patrick
Throckmorton, Lorren

Tiller, Chris
Tolbert, Morgan
Toney, Cierra
Torrico, Kathleen
Treadway, Brandon
Tredway, Anthony
Trent, Kayla
Trotter, Kera

Ude, Jennifer Unroe, Parker Valdez-Rivera, Alejandra

Tuckwiller, Samantha

Vance, Nehemiah Vasquez, Courtney Vaughan, Michelle Vest, Jared Via, Christal

Vorobeva, Anastasiia

Peterstown, WV Athens, WV Nitro, WV Beckley, WV Hinton, WV Hancock, MD

Camp Creek, WV Sistersville, WV Itmann, WV Charlotte, NC Pineville, WV Athens, WV Charleston, WV Craigsville, WV

Jane Lew, WV Beckley, WV WV

Inwood, WV Belding, MI Edmond, WV Baltimore, MD Athens, WV Fenwick, WV Mesquite, TX Christiansburg, VA

Athens, WV Beckley, WV

Kaski Pokhara, Nepal

Daniels, WV Princeton, WV Princeton, WV Bluefield, WV Princeton, WV Critz, VA Ballard, WV Lashmeet, WV Daniels, WV Beckley, WV Mount Hope, WV Midway, WV Athens, WV Peterstown, WV Coal City, WV Clintonville, WV Beckley, WV

Beckley, WV Meadow Creek, WV Covington, VA Johnson City, TN Crawley, WV Princeton, WV Lashmeet, WV Athens, WV

Wallace, Charles	Chapmanville, WV	Williams, Jerrad	Princeton, WV
Waller, Tara	Kenna, WV	Williams, Robert	Beckley, WV
Walls, Krista	Daniels, WV	Wiseman, Kimberly	Shady Spring, WV
Walls, Morgan	Matheny, WV	Wolf, Clara	Oak Hill, WV
Ward, Kelly	Hinton, WV	Wood, Hanna	Beckley, WV
Warden, Alexandria	Beckley, WV	Wood, Hope	Princewick, WV
Watson, Alyson	Fayetteville, WV	Wood, Jeremy	Nimitz, WV
Waugh, Sydney	Princeton, WV	Wood, Kaitlyn	Bluefield, WV
Weaver, Rebekah	Morgantown, WV	Wood, Ronni	Clothier, WV
Webb, Evan	Whitby, Ontario, Canada	Wood, Samantha	Lerona, WV
Webb, Heather	Princeton, WV	Woodrum, Amanda	Ansted, WV
Weiss, James	Jumping Branch, WV	Woods, Richard	Hinton, WV
Wendt, Caitlyn	Hinton, WV	Woody, Miranda	Mount Hope, WV
Wheeler, Ashley	Cool Ridge, WV	Woody, Sarah	Princeton, WV
White, Adam	Sophia, WV	Worrell, Robert	Princeton, WV
Whitener, Allison	Charleston, WV	Wright, David	Princeton, WV
Wiersma, Trevor	West Vancouver, BC,	Wright, Samuel	Roanoke, VA
	Canada	Yost, Brandon	Beckley, WV
Williams, Chase	Beckley, WV	Yost, Michael	Princeton, WV
Williams, Jamie	Lewisburg, WV	Zubair, Wafa	Makkah, Saudi Arabia

# **Student Services**

#### **Academic Success Center**

Is your student in need of assistance with coursework or study skills? Concord and the Academic Success Center (ASC) has a number of academic resources for assistance:

- Smarthinking-- a free online tutoring program that provides tutors 24/7 for most classes;
- <u>Drop-In-Tutoring</u>-- we can refer you to one of the peer tutors for help with your class;
- <u>ASC Study Assistance</u>--one-on-one assistance with study skills; organized study groups; mentor program. Stop by the ASC office in the Rahall Atrium, Suite 243!
- Study skills -- learn how to focus your study time for the best results.
- Khan Academy -- a free online resource with over 6,500 videos with instruction on everything
  from arithmetic to physics, finance, and history and hundreds of skills to practice at your own
  pace, and also test prep for graduate school entrance exams—such as the GRE, MCAT, & GMAT

For more information, visits <a href="http://hub.concord.edu/academicsuccess/">http://hub.concord.edu/academicsuccess/</a>, contact ASC Program Coordinator Steve Jarvis at 304-384-6074 or Director Sarah Beasley at 304-384-6298, or email <a href="mailto:asc@concord.edu">asc@concord.edu</a>.

# **Disability Services** by Nancy Ellison, Director of Multicultural Affairs

Concord University is committed to working with students with disabilities to assist with academic accommodations that may be necessary and appropriate due to their disability. The Office of Disability Services assists in the coordination of appropriate services, based on each student's individual, documented needs. We also seek to enhance understanding of disabilities and provide support within the campus community. For more information, please see our <a href="Website">Website</a>, contact the Office of Disability Services at <a href="disabilityservices@concord.edu">disabilityservices@concord.edu</a>, 304-384-6086, or stop by Student Center, Room 107.

# **Drop-In Tutoring (Fall & Spring Semesters)**

Concord has an extensive peer drop-in tutoring program available from noon to 9pm in Rahall 102 (GRIP Center). The GRIP Center is open Monday through Thursday, 9am to 9:30pm for studying, study groups, study skills assistance, and as a computer lab. Visit <a href="https://apps.concord.edu/tutoring/">https://apps.concord.edu/tutoring/</a> to find the drop-in tutoring schedule. The Fall 2016 link will be updated as soon as the fall tutor schedule is finalized, around the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of the semester. If you have questions, please contact Academic Success Center (ASC) at 304-384-6298 or Student Support Services at 304-384-6088 for assistance.

# **Emergency Text Alert System**

CU has a text messaging alert system that is used to notify students of security, safety, and weather related notices on campus. Students can easily register for this service by going to <a href="http://sms.concord.edu/">http://sms.concord.edu/</a>. If you have any questions, please call the IT help desk at ext.5291 or by email at cuhelpdesk@concord.edu

# **Athens Family Practice Medical Center**

Athens Family Practice is a medical clinic available to all Concord University students. Conveniently located just off campus, Concord alumna Dr. Jessica Aliff and her staff are ready to meet students' needs. This is not a drop-in clinic, so appointments must be scheduled in advance. Students must bring their insurance card and student ID. If your student finds that he/she cannot make a scheduled appointment, please avoid a "no show." It takes a possible appointment time away from someone else. For more details regarding physicians and the clinic, click HERE.



# **Technology Help Desk and Support**

**The IT Help Desk is** Concord **University's single** point of contact **for all technology-related issues for students, faculty, and staff.** If a student encounters a problem with anything from accessing email to using Blackboard or Banner, the IT Help Desk is here to offer the technology support needed. We encourage you to look through our <u>Frequently Asked Questions</u> when a problem arises. If you are encountering an issue that isn't covered in the FAQ, then please contact the IT Help Desk either by phone, <u>email</u>, or in person.

Hours of Operation: Monday-Thursday, 7:30am-8pm; Friday 7:30am-4pm

Phone Number: (304) 384-5291 Email: <a href="mailto:cuhelpdesk@concord.edu">cuhelpdesk@concord.edu</a>



## **Parent Information**

## **Sign Up for CU Parents Club Text Messages**

CU Parents, now you can sign up to receive CU Parents Club text messages. These short texts will include important Concord University deadlines, reminders, and events. To join, visit www.remind.com/join/cuparents or text the message "@cuparents" to (304) 241-2045.

#### **International Student Services**

Concord University is home to more than 100 international students representing more than 30 countries. The Host Family Program provides an opportunity for American families to learn about other countries and cultures by having an international student stay in their home during university breaks. In turn, the international student benefits by being able to practice English conversation and learn about American culture first hand in the comfortable, friendly environment of an American home. If you would like more information, please email Nancy Ellison at <a href="mailto:nellison@concord.edu">nellison@concord.edu</a>.

# **Important Numbers**

Main Phone	800-344-6679
Academic Success Center	304-384-6074
Admissions	888-384-5249 or 304-384-5248
Athens Family Practice	304-384-7325
Beckley Center	304-384-5614
Business Office	304-384-5234
Career Services	304-384-5325
Cashier	304-384-5972 or 304-384-5212
Counseling Center	304-384-5290
Disability Services	304-384-6086
Financial Aid	304-384-6069
Housing	304-384-5231
Police	304-384-5357
Registrar	304-384-5236
Student Affairs	304-384-5256
Student Support Services	304-384-6088
Technology Help Desk	304-384-5291
Title IX	304-384-6035