

LCC CE/DC Newsletter



*“The People’s College”
Becoming The Premier Rural Community College in America*

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A message from the LCC Concurrent Enrollment/Dual Credit (CE/DC) Office

Luna Community College CE/DC Office mailed out CE/DC Summer 2010 through Summer 2010 manuals to LCC staff and district designees on March 18. The manuals provide general LCC information, CE/DC calendars and timelines; COMPASS assessment information and matrix; CE/DC registration documentation; CE/DC add/drop and complete withdrawal forms; Title V LCC/Blackboard account sheet; transcript request form and LCC mid-term and final grade information as LCC is no longer completing grade mail out to students.

This is a valuable resource for all parties regarding meeting timelines for within the CE/DC. If you have any questions regarding the concurrent enrollment/dual credit or the manuals, please feel free to call me, Patricia Romero, at (505) 454-5377 or 1-800-588-7232 ext. 1075 or Janice Encinias at (505) 454-5374 or 1-800-588-7232 ext. 1076.

CE/DC STUDENT TESTIMONIAL

My experience with the concurrent enrollment program at LCC was by far the most enjoyable and beneficial to my education. I gained a great understanding and knowledge of what is needed to be a successful college student. Patricia and all the staff involved with this program made sure that I was always on the right path and were always available to me. All high school students should take advantage of what is being offered at LCC and the amazing staff.

Victoria Olguin
2008 Robertson High School Graduate
LCC Major: Alternative and Sustainable Energy

IMPORTANT LCC DATES FOR APRIL 2010

HOLIDAY- EASTER.....	Friday, April 2, 2010 to April 5, 2010
SUMMER 2010 SESSION Early Registration.....	Monday, April 19, 2010 through Friday, May 28, 2010
LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW FOR SPRING 2010...	Friday, April 23, 2010

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Student Academic Advancement Institute

Summer 2010

The mission of the LCC Student Academic Advancement Institute (SAAI) is to help high school students achieve academic success and to support their educational goals. The program recruits high motivated high school juniors and seniors who can matriculate to Luna Community College. Along with college course enrollment (refer to web-site for course listing), students also participate in academic advancement seminars. The seminars provide academic support for student success.

Seminar Schedule

Week 1 – “How to Succeed in College”

Week 2 – “Increase Motivation”

Week 3 – “Leadership in City Government”

Week 4 – “Increase Self-Esteem”

Week 5 – “Develop More Confidence”

Week 6 – “Money and Finances”

Week 7 – “Managing Stress”

Who is eligible?

High School students who are classified as a Junior or Senior for the 2010-2011 academic school year.

How do I apply?

The **first step** in applying for the SAAI Program is to fill out an application at the LCC Dual-Credit Office located within the Technologies Building in Room TE-144.

The **second step** is to complete the LCC COMPASS Assessment with the LCC ACCESS Center in the Student Services Building if COMPASS has not yet been completed or student has not taken the ACT.

The **third step** is to bring in a copy of your LCC COMPASS Assessment or recent copy of ACT scores and meet with LCC Dual-Credit staff to complete career cluster survey and advisement.

Each student who is accepted in the SAAI Program will receive an Educational Care Package (ECP) that includes:

- Book Fee Waiver
 - \$150 Stipend
 - Each student will be assigned to a College Success Mentor.

Summer extracurricular activities will also be available for students participating in the SAAI Program.

**Prerequisites may apply (505) 454-5377 or 1-800-588-7232 X1075*

Please refer to the LCC web-site for a complete listing of Summer Courses



2010 Student Academic Advancement Institute
Summer Program Application

Program Dates: June 1, 2010 through July 23, 2010

Classes Begin: Tuesday, June 1, 2010

Name: _____ SS#: _____
Address: _____ Home Phone: _____
City/State: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Zip: _____ Parent's/Guardian's Name: _____
High School: _____ Parent's Work Phone: _____
Current grade level for 2010-2011 Academic Year: _____ 11 _____ 12

Cumulative G.P.A.: _____

1. Have you attended LCC before? Yes _____ No _____
2. Have you completed the LCC COMPASS Assessment? Yes _____ No _____
3. Have you completed the ACT Exam? Yes _____ No _____

**If yes, please arrange to have a copy of your scores sent to the LCC Dual-Credit Office or attach a copy to this application.*

Disclaimer: By my signature below, I understand that my scores will be used; however, my personal information will remain confidential. The scores will be used for research and planning purposes to enhance the alignment of COMPASS assessment and LCC course curriculum.

Student Signature: _____ ***Date:*** _____

Parent Signature: _____ ***Date:*** _____

For LCC Official Use ***CE/DC Office (505) 454-5377 or (505) 454-5374 Fax: (505) 454-5377***

Date Application Received: _____

COMPASS Assessment Date: _____

COMPASS/ACT Scores: Mathematics: _____

Must Register for Course: _____

Writing: _____

Must Register for Course: _____

Reading: _____

Must Register for Course: _____



First Annual V-Martinez Short Story Competition

Writers of short stories (fiction) are encouraged to enter the 2010 *First Annual V-Martinez Short Story Competition*. The purpose of the competition is to promote, encourage and support the talent of short story writers at Luna Community College.

Prize and Publication

The first-place winner will receive \$150 cash prize and publication of winning story in **The Luna Light**. The second-place winner will receive \$50 cash prize and publication of winning story in **The Luna Light**. The third and fourth place winners will receive honorable mentions in **The Luna Light**.

Eligibility Requirements

Short stories must be original unpublished fiction, typed and double-spaced, and may not exceed 3,000 words in length.

There are no theme restrictions.

Who may submit?

The competition is open only to Luna Community College Students whose fiction has not appeared in any publications.

Submission Requirements

Submissions must be sent to Dr. Vidal Martinez. Writers can submit no more than two entries.

The author's name should not appear on the short story. Stories will be judged anonymously by a panel of judges. Each story must be accompanied by a separate cover sheet with the writer's name, mailing address, phone number, title of story, and the word count. Short stories will not be returned.

Deadline for Entry

Friday, April 16, 2010. Entries after April 16th will not be accepted.

Announcement of Winners and Honorable Mentions

Winners and honorable mentions will be announced during the month of May, 2010. For more information, please contact Dr. Vidal Martinez at 505-454-5378



New Mexico
Workforce Connection



7th Annual Regional Transition Fair

In collaboration with

Luna Community College's Transfer/Career Fair

Tuesday, April 20, 2010
Rough Rider Grill
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Meet with.....

College Representatives Employers Armed Services
Service Providers Outreach Programs
Entrepreneurs

Take part in this great opportunity and enjoy
Free Hotdogs, door prizes, activities, snacks, and music



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