

Dates and Deadlines

University and Career Tech Programs

- Sept 17 - last day to apply to graduate with a Bachelor's degree in Fall 2004
- Sept 20 - last day to add/drop a course before tuition is calculated
- Sept 21 - tuition calculated; students billed for enrolled courses

Career and Academic Prep Programs (CAAP)

- Sept 10 - last day to add a daytime course without permission of instructor
- Sept 17 - last day to add an evening course without permission of instructor

Welcome to Cowichan Campus

Fall 2004 term is now officially underway! The staff at Cowichan Campus will do everything possible to make your experience here a positive one. Producing this newsletter every two weeks is one way that we try to keep you informed about all the different things that go on here. You will find details about registration information, financial aid dates and deadlines, activities, workshops, and more. Be sure to read each new issue and keep current with events at Cowichan Campus. If you have info to share, drop it off at Student Services.

Weeks of Welcome

The first two weeks of classes are always busy with students getting used to a new schedule, new groups of people, getting text books, securing funding, getting student cards, adding and dropping courses! In order to make things a bit easier, we have put together a lot of information in one place and organized some activities for those first two weeks. Here they are:

- ✓ **Welcome Table:** Handouts, agenda books, schedules of events. Pay attention to the blue Student Information card, as it has a wealth of good information on it.
- ✓ **Welcome Team:** Look for those lovely, lively, lime green tee-shirts and get the help you need from your friendly Student Services team.
- ✓ **Scavenger Hunt:** Learn where-to-go-for-what! Just read the blue Student Information card and fill in the answers on the pink Scavenger Hunt form. Drop your completed form in the box in the Learning Centre (Room 131) Winners drawn on Sept 17 at 12:30 in the Learning Centre.

- ✓ **Student Cards:** Go to Student Services with your registration form and Audrey or June will create a card for you. If you already have a student card, it will be updated automatically - no need to update.
- ✓ **Learning Skills Workshops:** Lots to choose from! No excuses! Look at the schedule on the back of this page for dates, times, and topics.
- ✓ **Class Visits:** Student Services team members will visit as many classrooms as possible to introduce themselves and the many services they offer to students.
- ✓ **Bookstore Late Closure:** On Tuesday, September 14, the bookstore will extend its hours until 7 p.m.
- ✓ **Textbook Buyback:** Cash for textbooks! See the rep outside the Bookstore on Friday, Sept 3 or Tuesday, Sept 7, from 9 am to 3 pm.
- ✓ **Library Orientation:** Just pop into to the library and ask for an orientation and one of the helpful staff will show you around and introduce you the on-line catalogue.
- ✓ **Student Union BBQ:** Drop by for a freshly-grilled hamburger compliments of your Students' Union on Thursday, Sept 16 from 11 am-2 pm. Barbecues will be set up in the field behind the campus.



Student Services

Lots of things go on at Student Services: educational advising; career, educational, and personal counseling; financial aid; program assessments; disability services; First Nations services; and learning skills. If you are not sure...just ask! June or Audrey will be happy to answer your questions or direct you to the right place.

Financial Aid

Be sure to watch for upcoming bursaries, scholarships and awards - it could mean money to help pay your educational costs!! Application forms are available from Student Services or in the display cases outside the Student Services office.

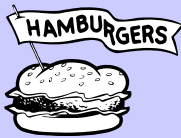
The Tuition Bursary application is available NOW! This bursary is generally awarded to students who demonstrate financial shortfalls. Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (C grade average) and have a current student loan. **Tuition Bursary deadline: October 31**



Learning Skills Workshop Schedule

Come to a workshop and pick up free school supplies!

Time	Wednesday September 8	Thursday September 9	Friday September 10
10:00 am	Active Learning	Making Notes	Learn to Learn (10 am -12 pm)
10:30 am	Time Management	Memory Aids	
11:00 am	Organization Skills	Time Management	
11:30 am	How to be a Good Student	Organization	
1:00 pm	Reading Texts	Active Learning	Learn to Learn (12 - 1:30 pm)
1:30 pm	Writing Tips	Writing Essays	
2:00 pm	How to Form a Study Group	Punctuation Tips	

Time	Monday Sept 13	Tuesday Sept 14	Wednesday Sept 15	Thursday Sept 16	Friday Sept 17
10:00 am	Active Learning	Organization	Concept Maps	Reading Texts	☐
10:30 am	Reading Texts	Time Management	How to Form a Study Group	Memory Aids	☐
11:00 am	Writing Tips	Memory Aids	Memory Aids	Free! Free! Free!	☐
11:30 am	Punctuation	Reading Texts	Exam Prep	Student Union BBQ 11 -2 in Cafeteria 	☐
12:30 pm	Learning Skills: Tips & Tactics	☐	How to be a Good Student		Scavenger Hunt Draw
1:00 pm	How to Form a Study Group	Active Learning	How to Form a Study Group		Learn to Learn (1:00 - 2:00 pm)
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