## **Student Success Newsletter**

St. Philip's College, 1801 Martin Luther King Dr., San Antonio, TX 78203 & St. Philip's College - Southwest Campus, 800 Quintana Rd., San Antonio, TX 78211

## **Important Upcoming Dates**

- · January 3rd: College returns from Winter Break
- · January 7th: All-College Meeting
- January 13th: Tiger Nation Family Day
- January 16th: MLK National Day of Service & March
- January 17th: Spring semester starts

#### **Hours of Operation for January 2023**

 Mon-Thu
 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM

 Fri
 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

 Sat
 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

 Sat 1/7/23
 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

## Don't Miss a Deadline or Due Date This Semester!

It can be confusing trying to keep track of the payment and registration deadlines for all the different terms in the Spring semester!



Visit **here** to stay on top of all of them!



## **SPC Tiger Press**

Did you know there is a space online that gives important updates and events for SPC students and employees on a weekly basis?

Click <u>HERE</u> to review the weekly updates at SPC!

# Come Welcome New Students to the Tiger Nation!

Join us Friday, January 13, 2023 from 9:00am-2:00pm at the MLK Campus' Bowden Alumni Center (SLC 3rd Floor) as we introduce students and their families to everything they need to know about being a part of our Tiger Nation Family!

Refer students <u>here</u> for full details and to RSVP! Call 210-486-2282 for questions.

#### **Message from our Vice President:**

#### **Greeting SPC Tiger Family**

Happy New Year! My name is Wesley Wells and I am the new Vice President for Student Success. As we start a new journey together this semester I am excited to welcome you back home.

As your VPSS I am committed to being a student-centered leader, empowering both students and staff to reach goals to advance their lives and the lives of those around them.

I firmly believe there is opportunity in every moment, if you choose to seek the vision and act on it. The only thing restricting change is to not change.

I look forward to engaging with you at the MLK and SW campus communities in the coming weeks to continue the amazing work that St Philip's College is known for and adding new innovations to expand our commitment to diversity, opportunity and access.

Have a great start to the Spring 2023 Semester!

Wesley Wells Vice President for Student Success St. Philip's College

## Join SPC during the MLK March!

When: 01/16/23 @ 10:00am | Signup: Here





## **New Semester Tips & Tricks!**

Starting a new semester can be intimidating, especially if it is your first semester here! Below are some resources to help make this a successful semester:

- Academic Advising: get direction during degree completion.
- Business Office: questions about your bill.
- Financial Aid: fund your education.
- Office of First Year Experience:
- Title IX (AlamoCARES)
- Tutoring Centers



## **Student Employment & Experiential Learning Opportunities**



You do not have to wait until your graduation semester to start gaining experience in your intended field. In fact, making those connections early can lead to higher success rates during and after college! See below for opportunities through SPC and ACCD to start gaining that experience TODAY!

- Alamo on the Job: internship placement related to career choice.
- CIMA-LSAMP: STEM research opportunities
- Handshake: connect with employers, jobs, and internships targeted at you!
- Federal Work-Study Program: work on campus w/ flexible scheduling!
- Office of Workplace Learning: off-campus internships for work-study students.
- <u>Parker-Dewey Micro-Internships</u>: quick, paid, and helps with career exploration.
- <u>Project SURE:</u> STEM research and experiential learning opportunities.
- Student Engagement Grants: paid to assist different projects around campus.

## **Engage On Campus With AlamoEXPERIENCE**

Ask any faculty and staff their suggestions to have a successful semester, and one of the pieces of advice will always be "get involved on campus". <u>AlamoEXPERIENCE</u> is your portal to engage on campus and connect with:

- Campus Events
- Student Organizations
- Student Leadership Programs
- Experience Transcript
- Experiential Learning

Be sure to work with Student Life and/or Career Readiness & Experiential Learning Services to learn how to add to your Experience Transcript and use it as a tool to gain employment and scholarship opportunities.



## **Helpful Links & Campus Resources**



Click the Tiger or visit SLC 102 for your **All Access Pass** to SPC, which explains all the different departments and services available to students as well as their contact info and location on campus!

Grab & Go MLK - SLC, 102 Food Pantry SWC - ITC, D-143 San Antonio Food Bank Case Assistance Services offered in SLC 101. Reach out to (210)486-2824 or sjones@safoodbank.org for schedule of services.

Phil's Den (Clothes Closet) MLK - SLC, 110



Complete a financial wellness checkup and search through hand-picked scholarships to help pay for college! Contact erehome@alamo.edu or visit SLC 102 for more details.