

Student Success Newsletter

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Quality Enhancement Plan – Ethical Decision-Making

St. Philip's College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC). Part of this process is the QEP (Quality Enhancement Plan) to promote student success. Our QEP topics Ethical Decision-Making.

QEP Focus: Ethical decision-making is the ability to connect values and choices to actions and consequences.

QEP Goal: Students engage in specific measurable academic activities to enhance their ethical decision-making skills.

Ethical Decision Making Process:

- *Stop and think to determine the facts.
- *Identify the options.
- *Consider consequences for yourself and others.
- *Make an ethical choice and take appropriate action.



MESSAGE FROM OUR VICE-PRESIDENT:

Greetings SPC Tigers –

On behalf of the 14th President of St. Philip's College, Dr. Adena Williams Loston, the college administration, faculty, and staff congratulate all of our May 2018 graduates. Every commencement is a celebration of the hard work, dedication, and sacrifice shown by each of our students who have successfully completed their program of study. To our graduates, St. Philip's College wishes you the absolute best as you progress through your personal and professional journeys, and remember that SPC is always here to support you.

Dr. Mordecai Ian Brownlee
Vice President of Student Success
St. Philip's College

Student Success in the SLC – MLK Campus

For more information, contact Charleen Brammer at 210-486-2468 or 210-486-2275.

SLC 102 Point of Contact

Counseling Services	Rosalinda Rivas
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Spring 2018 Office Hours (Through May 27)

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday	8:00 am – 5:00 pm
Wednesday	8:00 am – 7:00 pm
Every first Saturday of the month	9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Summer 2018 Office Hours (May 28-July 29)

Monday – Thursday	8:00 am – 7:00 pm
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Important Dates

May 7-12	Final Exams (16-Wk, 14-Wk, Flex II) – See catalog for schedule
May 11	Commencement
May 12	End of Spring Semester
May 14	Classes begin (Maymester)
May 15	Census Date (Maymester)
May 28	Last day to Drop (Maymester), Memorial Day (Colleges are open)
May 28-31	Start 4-day Workweek (Colleges closed Friday, Saturday, Sunday)
May 31	Final Exams, End of Maymester Session





St. Philip's College AlamoCARES

For more information, contact Dr. Mordecai Brownlee, Vice President of Student Success at 210-486-2252.

St. Philip's College is committed to providing a supportive learning environment and to fostering, safe, healthy relationships among our students. In this effort, Alamo Colleges District initiated AlamoCARES, a prevention, education and support program regarding dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking. It is our sincere hope that AlamoCARES will empower you to make well-informed decisions about life issues that affect your college years and beyond.

Within the AlamoCARES site, you will find information on rights granted by **Title IX** and resources to help educate and assist you when dealing with harassment and sexual violence. Coming soon are events, training and opportunities to bring awareness when dealing with difficult issues and creating discussion opportunities with students. Visit us at <http://alamo.edu/spc/alamocares/> for more information.

The Alamo Colleges District encourage individuals to bring forward information/complaints about sexual harassment and sexual violence. **Retaliation** against any **individual who reports or participates** in the investigation of alleged violations is **strictly forbidden** and will be **enforced** by the College administration.

If you believe you have experienced **Sexual Misconduct** you may consider the following options:

- Contact **Campus Police** at 210-485-0099 (non-emergency) or 210-485-0911 (emergency)
- Seek **medical attention** at a hospital or with a physician
- **Report the incident** at www.alamo.edu/TitleIXCoordinator/ (call John Martin 210-486-2746)
- **Contact SPC Counseling Services** at 210-486-2333 (for confidential counseling and or referrals)
- Contact **parents, relatives or close friends** for support

H.1.1 Equal Education and Employment Opportunities (Policy) www.alamo.edu/district/policies/ AlamoCARES has additional **Title IX** information and resources at: www.alamo.edu/spc/AlamoCARES

ATTENTION STUDENTS! Required Haven Training

Haven is an online survey and course addressing critical life skills. Haven is our way of informing St. Philip's College students about **Title IX** standards, reporting violations and resources available. **All entering freshmen, former and transfer students are required to complete Part 1 of Haven: Understanding Sexual Assault, by April 1, 2018 (to avoid a registration hold being placed on their account).**

Haven Instructions:

1. Always sign in through ACES at <https://alamoaces.alamo.edu>.
2. Look for the AlamoCARES box on the Student tab and read the important message before accessing the course. Note: an alternative training is available; see your Vice President for Student Success for assistance.
3. Click on the link provided, and complete the confidential pre-survey at the start of the course. The Alamo Colleges District does not receive a copy of your responses.
4. The quiz at the end of the course is required to document your completion, but the score is not recorded and will not impact you in any way. Completion is documented on your student record.

You Have the Right to Feel Safe.

Academic and Career Advising Services (MLK Campus)


For more information, contact Christina Cortez at 210-486-2894.

Event: New Student Orientation

Date/Time: Tuesday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
 Wednesday 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Location: Center for Learning Resources (CLR), Room 108

Summary: Check your student email as you will be receiving periodic email from your assigned Certified Academic Advisor with important information. You can register for Freshman Experience at <http://spcweb.alamo.edu/StudentSuccess/Registration.aspx>.

 ALAMO COLLEGES AlamoINSTITUTES An organization of six career pathways designed for students who have key interests, such as, but not limited to the following areas:	
Creative & Communication Arts Institute	<i>The Arts, Audio/Video Technology and Communications*</i>
Business & Entrepreneurship Institute	<i>Business Management & Administration, Finance, Hospitality & Tourism, and Marketing*</i>
Health & Biosciences Institute	<i>Health Sciences*</i>
Advanced Manufacturing & Logistics Institute	<i>Architecture, Construction, Manufacturing, Transportation, Distribution & Logistics*</i>
Public Service Institute	<i>Education, Training, Government, Public Administration, Human Services, Law, Public Safety, Correction and Security*</i>
Science & Technology Institute	<i>Agriculture, Food & National Resources, Information Technology, Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics*</i>

Banner ID and Photo ID Required!

Hours of Operation for Appointment-Based Academic Advising:

Spring Hours (Through May 27)
 Monday – Thursday, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Summer Hours (May 28 – July 29)
 Monday – Thursday, 8:00 am – 7:00 pm

www.alamo.edu/spc/academic-advising

Be Wise, Get Advised: Have you met with your Certified Academic Advisor? Contact your Advisor today. Below are the steps to identify who your advisor is:

1. Log into ACES
2. Click on the My Page tab (4th tab from the left)
3. Under Academic Profile (on the left) select the current term and press Go
4. Your advisor's name will appear under the "Advisors" title
5. Visit your advisor

Academic and Career Advising Services (continued)

For more information contact Christina Cortez at 210-486-2894.

Institute 1: Creative & Communication Arts

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Institute 5: Public Service

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Konnie Harper-Thompson kharper-thompson@alamo.edu

Institute 6: Science & Technology

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Deborah Woods dwoods54@alamo.edu
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Event: Commencement Career and Transfer Fair

Date/Time: May 4 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Location: Watson Fine Arts Center

Summary: The **Career Services team of St. Philip's College** will be hosting the Commencement Career and Transfer Fair. Employers and universities will be on hand to discuss job and transfer opportunities for students. *Light refreshments will be served.*

Students requiring more in-depth assistance with their resume are asked to schedule an appointment with their advisor at one of the following locations:

St. Philip's College, 1801 Martin Luther King Dr., 210-486-2008
Southwest Campus, 800 Quintana Rd., 210-486-7281

Alumni Affairs (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Dr. Sharon Crockett-Ray at 210-486-2887.

The Alumni and Friends Association is committed to bringing together alumni and friends from all walks of life. We are a rapidly expanding organization and are proud to carry forward the St. Philip's College legacy. If you are looking for a great way to stay in touch with SPC and the community, there is no better way than with a membership into the Alumni and Friends Association. For more information on membership visit <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/alumni-affairs/> or click [here](#).

Bae-B-Safe (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Tracy Watts at 210-486-2538.



BAE-B-SAFE works to support educational success and increase graduation rates by preventing unplanned pregnancies and preparing young people with life skills to protect their future. Empower and educate yourself about healthy sexual behaviors. Participate in one of our programs to earn gift cards! Visit us in the Center for Health Professionals (CHP) Building, Room 202A. (Must be 14-19 years of age to participate.)

Business Office (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Sophia Zavala at 210-486-2247.

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Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday	8:00 am – 5:00 pm
Wednesday	8:00 am – 7:00 pm
1 st Saturday of the Month	9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Summer Hours: (May 28 – July 29)

Monday - Thursday	8:00 am – 7:00 pm
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The Campus Business Office can answer billing questions related to the Summer Momentum Plan, or students may send email to dst-vbo2@alamo.edu.

Centers of Excellence for Math and Science (MLK Campus)

For more information contact Ruben Prieto at 210-486-7122.

The Centers of Excellence for Math and Science are seeking SPC students to assist with their summer community outreach programs. Our programs focus on expanding college and career awareness of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). SPC students that engage with us can receive a stipend for their time and effort. Call us or go to our website for more information and to download the application:

[http://www.alamo.edu/uploadedFiles/SPC/Academics/Departments/Center for Excellence in Science/Files/COE%20Student%20Award%20Application%20May%20202018.pdf](http://www.alamo.edu/uploadedFiles/SPC/Academics/Departments/Center%20for%20Excellence%20in%20Science/Files/COE%20Student%20Award%20Application%20May%20202018.pdf).

Someone who is homeless or who resides in a household where the housing and utility costs are greater than 50% of the household income could be described as housing insecure. **Are you experiencing housing insecurity? If so, you are not alone.**

Contact [Counseling Services](#), so we can share local resources with you.

Come by or call for an appointment.

(210) 486-2333

MLK: Sutton Learning Ctr., Room 102

SWC: LIFEspace Ctr., Bldg. 1, Room A-135

Child Development Center (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Monica Guzman at 210-486-2501.

The Child Development Center (CDC), located at 2207 Wyoming Dr., provides excellent learning opportunities for every child. Payment assistance and subsidized rates are available for SPC students who qualify. For more information call us or visit www.alamo.edu/spc/cdc/.



Counseling Services (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Rosalinda Rivas at 210-486-2333.

Event: Personal Counseling – A Safe Space

Date/Time: **Spring Hours: (Through May 27)**

Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm
Wednesdays 8:00 am – 7:00 pm

Summer Hours: (May 28 – July 29)

Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 7:00 pm

Location: Sutton Learning Center (SLC), Suite 102

Summary: Students talk to Counselors about many different types of issues, like career concerns, anxiety, academic stress, relationships, stress associated with deportation/family legal status, coping with illness, procrastination, and more. Make an appointment with a Counselor at 210-486-2333 if you want to talk about strategies that can help you manage your stress, school and life activities. See important links on our website www.alamo.edu/spc/counseling-services/.

Counseling Services can help address problems that interfere with your academic growth in college. See a Counselor if you believe your substance use is affecting your academic success.

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800-273-8255

Deaf, hard of hearing TTY 800-799-4889

Veterans Crisis Line (send a text message to 838255, or call 800-273-8255)

**May is
Mental
Health
Month**

Let others know that there is hope and understanding. You can change the way the world sees mental health.

stigmafree

**Take the pledge
against stigma at**

www.nami.org

Disability Services (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Maria Botello at 210-486-2199.



- Event:** **Schedule your appointment.** To be eligible for disability-related services, students must have a disability as defined by the **Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA)** and **Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.**
- Date/Time:** **Spring Hours: (Through May 27)** **Summer Hours: (May 28 – July 29)**
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| Monday – Friday | 8:00 am – 5:00 pm | Monday – Thursday | 8:00 am – 7:00 pm |
| Wednesdays | 8:00 am – 7:00 pm | | |
- Location:** Sutton Learning Center (SLC), Suite 102
- Summary:** Disability Services ensures reasonable academic support to qualifying students with disabilities. We follow national best practices to ensure that our students have access to the latest information and technologies. Disability Services is a hub of activities, support, referrals and encouragement for our students with disabilities. For more information visit <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/disability-services/>.

Good Samaritan Veteran’s Outreach and Transition Center (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact William Moseley at 210-486-2506.

The GSVOTC, located at 202 Connelly St. (near the St. Philip’s College campus), provides free personalized services to active duty service members, veterans, their families and the community. This includes a variety of referral services, job training, financial counseling, health and wellness, legal services, business start-up, and academic advisement. We are available Monday-Friday from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm (through May 25). Our 4-day workweek (Monday-Thursday, 8:00 am - 7:00 pm) begins May 28 and ends July 29. We look forward to seeing you. For more information come by or visit <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/gsvotc/>.

Inclement Weather Closure

Dear Students,

St. Philip’s College may cancel classes from time to time due to inclement weather. Please be safe and take precaution. For the most up-to-date information on college closures, go to www.alamo.edu/spc or check social media channels.

International Student Services (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Sunny Hernandez at 210-486-2605.

- Event:** **International Student Services provides many resources for all visa holders.**
- Location:** Welcome Enrollment Center (WEC)
- Summary:** St. Philip’s College supports a variety of cultures and languages at our college. For more information visit <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/international/>.



Library Resources and Services (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Rita Castro at 210-486-2337.

Event: Spring Hours (Through May 13)

Date/Time: Monday – Thursday 7:00 am – 8:00 pm
Friday 7:00 am – 5:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Maymester Hours (May 14 – May 25)

Monday – Friday 7:00 am – 5:00 pm

Summer Hours (May 28 – July 29)

Monday – Thursday 7:00 am – 7:00 pm

Location: Center for Learning Resources (CLR)

Summary: The College has two physical libraries: one is located in the Center for Learning Resources (CLR) at the MLK campus, and the other is located at SWC in the Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Room C-123. Students can use the Ask-A-Librarian button on our website to call, email, text or chat with a librarian. If you would like in-depth research help, use the Individual Research Assistance Form under Library Services on our website to schedule an appointment. The online resources, including e-books, video, and credible, authoritative information sources, are always available through our online databases. For more information visit <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/library/>.



Military Support Services (Off-Campus Military Sites)

For more information, contact Betsy Hamilton at 210-486-7223.

The St. Philip's College, Military Support Services team is honored to serve our Active Duty Military, National Guard and Reserve students and their dependents. Our offices are located on the military installations listed below and at the Good Samaritan Veterans Outreach and Transition Center. We assist students with academic guidance, admission, ACES navigation, registration, military residency classification (Military Verification Forms) and initial advising. Additionally, we help students with questions and issues related to **Military Tuition Assistance (TA)** and the **Military Spouse Career Advancement Account (MyCAA)** scholarship program.



ALAMO COLLEGES DISTRICT
St. Philip's College

Military Support Services

RESERVED COURSES FOR: Military, Veterans & Dependents

Summer 2018:

St. Philip's College is proud to offer courses just for our Military and Veteran families, in addition to our offerings at JBSA –Fort Sam, Lackland and Randolph!

In the schedule, look for **Reserved-Mil/Vet/Dependents** in the right hand column!

RESERVED COURSES:

Summer (8 wks):	BIOL2401 / 12638 / Face to face BIOL2420 / 14053 / Face to face
Summer I (5 wks):	ARTS1301 / 14937 / Online MATH1314 / 14327 / Online PSYC2301 / 14433 / Online
Summer II (5 wks):	HUMA1301 / 10031 / Online PSYC2314 / 11019 / Online SPCH1311 / 14958 / Online

Interested?

Request registration through your St. Philip's College Advisor, or follow the link in the e-schedule and/or email your request to dst-military@alamo.edu. Please provide your student BANNER ID.

ALAMO.EDU/MILITARY

Questions? Email us at: DST-Military@alamo.edu

District Military Webpage: alamo.edu/military

JBSA- Ft. Sam Houston

2408 N. New Braunfels
Bldg. 2248, Room 207
Office (210) 486-2004
Fax (210) 486-9907
alamo.edu/fortsam

Classroom Location
Trailer#4011A
2427 Hood St.

JBSA -Lackland

1550 Wurtsmith St.
Bldg. 5725, Room 144
Office (210) 486-7224
Fax (210) 486-9878
alamo.edu/lackland

Classroom Location
Bldg. 5725
1550 Wurtsmith St.

JBSA- Randolph

301 B Street West,
Bldg. 208, Room 10
Office (210) 486-2901
Fax (210) 486-9877
alamo.edu/randolph

Classroom Location
Bldg. 208
301 B Street West

Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Maria Botello at 210-486-2199.



Students who have a cumulative (overall) GPA of 3.5 or higher and have completed at least 12 college hours are qualified! Graduate with honors by accepting membership! For more information, contact a Chapter advisor at <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/Phi-Theta-Kappa/> and visit the organization's website <http://www.ptk.org/Join.aspx>.

Records and Registration (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Tracy Shelton at 210-486-2292.

The Records and Registration staff is dedicated to your success as a student. Contact staff in Admissions or Records and Registration to answer questions about qualifying for the Summer Momentum Plan, cumulative hours, grades, GPA, etc. You can find some resources to help continue your journey here at SPC. Let us know how we can help by calling 210-486-2700, or visiting <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/records/>. The last day for Incomplete "I" Grades to be completed are as follows:

<u>Due Date</u>	<u>For all parts of the term</u>
September 10, 2018	Spring 2018
December 7, 2018	Maymester and Summer 2018

Strategies of Behavioral Intervention (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Maria Botello at 210-486-2199.

The **Strategies of Behavioral Intervention** (SOBI) mission is to promote student, faculty and staff success and campus safety. The SOBI protocol guides our college community to recognize, prevent and respond to incidents.

Student Conduct/Title IX (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact John Martin at 210-486-2746.

All entering freshmen, former and transfer students are now required to complete **Part 1 of Haven, Understanding Sexual Assault**. Registration holds have been placed on student accounts who still need this training.

Congrats, Spring 2018 Graduates!



St. Philip's College Graduation Cap Decorating Contest

In celebration of our 120th anniversary!



Judging Criteria:

SPC History & Tradition
Individuality
Creativity
Quality

Cap Decorating Contest Rules:

No lights or flashing lights
No audio or sounds
All decorations must be fixed to cap
No items blocking the wearer's sight

Student Financial Services (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact 210-21ALAMO.

ATTEND A SESSION! COMPLETE THE FAFSA/TASFA!

October 7, 2017 February 3, 2018
November 4, 2017 March 3, 2018
December 2, 2017 April 7, 2018
May 5, 2018

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

(Look for directional signs at each college for session location)

- Students must complete the Apply Texas Application before submitting a FAFSA.
- Students/parents must use their 2016 Income Tax.
- Guarantee Processing Date for Fall 2018 is May 1, 2018.

- Stop by our office to learn more about **Federal Work Study** positions and the application process. There may be an opening for you! For more Financial Aid news (priority dates, deadlines, resources and more), call our staff at 210-21ALAMO (210-212-5266) or visit: <http://www.alamo.edu/district/financial-aid/>.
- **Summer Momentum Plan** - For more information visit <http://www.alamo.edu/Free/>.

Summer Aid is available for SPC students enrolled in the summer term. The process begins with the student clicking on the summer application link from their ACES portal. Applications are processed in date order within 6 weeks from the date of submission. Students are required to cover registration expenses, including books, until eligibility is determined. ****Please note, you must be enrolled for financial aid to be awarded for the summer.***

WANNA EARN MORE HOURS & SPEND LESS CASH?

TAKE 18 GET 3 FREE



Complete a total of **18** hours in your fall and spring semesters combined, get **3** hours for your summer semester **free**. Even better, complete **24** hours, get **6** free.



Student Life (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Dr. Angela McPherson Williams at 210-486-2090.

Event: Spirit Day with Birthday Cake

Date/Time: May 2 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Location: Heritage Pavilion (or Turbon Student Center for inclement weather)

Summary: Wear your favorite St. Philip's shirt or wear our school colors (royal blue and white)!

Event: Power Up for Finals — Stress Relief

Date/Time: May 7-8 8:00 am – 12:00 pm

Location: Turbon Student Center (TSC), 1st Floor

Summary: Come relieve the stress of Finals Week with helpful tips and snacks to keep you going!

Event: SPC Welcomes New Tigers for the Maymester Session

Date/Time: Monday, May 14 8:00 am – 10:30 am

Location: Center for Learning Resources, Breezeway

Summary: Look for the Blue Tent! The Department of Student Life will assist in printing schedules, giving directions and maps, and a snack.

Student Life (continued)

For more information, contact Dr. Angela McPherson Williams at 210-486-2090.

Event: EMBODI Conference

Date/Time: May 5 7:45 am – 2:45 pm

Location: Heritage Pavilion, Campus Center (CC) and Watson Fine Arts Center (WFAC)

Summary: An official tri-centennial event sponsored by Delta Sigma Theta, Sorority, Inc., St. Philip's College, Northeast Lakeview, and Northwest Vista College. This conference anticipates hosting 300 male students from several middle schools, high schools and colleges. Conference highlights include free breakfast and an Expo of community agencies. A Panel of Distinguished Gentlemen and age-appropriate breakout sessions will follow. At the end of the day, all participants will give a manhood pledge.



Event: Summer 2018 Fresh X dates

Date/Time: Session 1: May 21 - 31 Session 2: June 4 - 14 Session 3: June 18 - 28
Session 4: July 9 - 19 Session 5: July 23 - August 2

Summary: Fresh X is an academic program designed to help students successfully transition into their first year at St. Philip's College. Meet our Student Panel. There will be a Question and Answer session with SPC Student Success staff, and an opportunity to win a \$1,000 scholarship at each session. For more information and to register please visit: <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/fresh-x/>

Tutoring Services and Service Learning (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Elizabeth Castillo at 210-486-2473.

Financial Literacy

Event: Free Online Financial Coaching

Date/Time: By appointment

Location: www.TG.org/FinancialCoaching

Summary: This free service in partnership with TG is designed to help you make smart financial decisions.

Tutoring Services

Event: General tutoring, a great place to study, a computer lab and free Book Loan program!

Date/Time: **Spring Hours (Through May 27)**

Summer Hours (May 28 – July 29)

Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 7:00 pm

Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 7:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Saturday 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Location: Norris Technical Building (NTB), Room 116

Summary: Tutoring in speech, history, business, accounting (I and II) and Spanish.

Event: Relax Fest

Date/Time: May 1 – 2

Location: Norris Technical Building (NTB), Room 117

Summary: Come beat the testing stress! We will have hands-on activities such as: making bath salts, making a terrarium, coloring, peaceful music and images, aromatherapy, yoga and stretching area. Come join us at any time between 10 and 2!

Veterans Affairs (MLK Campus)

For more information, contact Veronica Griego at 210-486-2540.

Veterans Affairs

Tony Gable

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Certified Academic Advisors:

Gloria (Maria) De Luna

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Alicia Stolte

astolte2@alamo.edu 210-486-2539

Event: VA Work Study Opportunity

Location: Welcome Enrollment Center (WEC), Room 205

Summary: If you receive GI Bill Educational Benefits and are certified at least $\frac{3}{4}$ time, you could be eligible to work for the Veterans Affairs office. The federal work study positions have flexible work schedules. To apply, call 210-486-2111, or visit <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/veterans-affairs/>.

Event: Military Spouse Appreciation Day (May 11) and Armed Forces Week (May 12)

Summary: Activities to honor and celebrate our military and veteran students and families run from May 1 to June 1 at MLK, SWC, GSVOTC, and JBSA Sites (FSH, LAFB, RAFB). Contact Veronica Griego at 210-486-2540 for more information.

Academic and Career Advising Services (SW Campus)

For more information, contact Gina Jasso at 210-486-7185.

Event: New Student Orientation

Date/Time: Monday 9:30 am – 12:30 pm

Location: Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Building 1, Room B172, Conference Room

Summary: Check your student email as you will be receiving periodic email from your assigned Certified Academic Advisor with important information. You can register for New Student Orientation at <http://spcweb.alamo.edu/StudentSuccess/Registration.aspx>.

Do you need a job this semester? Visit [Career Services Online](#) and start your free job search. Once registered, you can log in daily to view postings and apply for jobs. For more information contact Career Services at 210-486-7281, or visit the Career Services Online employment center at <https://www.myinterfase.com/stphilips/Account/LogOn?ReturnUrl=%2fstphilips%2fstudent%2f>.

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Southwest Campus, 800 Quintana Rd., 210-486-7281

Business Office (SW Campus)

For more information, contact Claudia Hernandez at 210-486-7002.

Spring/Summer Hours of Operation:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Wednesday 8:30 am – 3:30 pm

Closed Fridays and weekends ---



For additional services visit <http://www.alamo.edu/district/virtual-business-office/>. The Campus Business Office can also answer billing questions related to the [Summer Momentum Plan](#), or students may send email to dst-ybo2@alamo.edu.



SPC's Automotive Technology program is a finalist for the Texas Higher Education Coordination Board (THECB) 2017 Star Award.

Centers of Excellence for Math and Science (SW Campus)

For more information contact Ruben Prieto at 210-486-7122.

The Centers of Excellence for Math and Science are seeking SPC students to assist with their spring and summer community outreach programs. Our programs focus on expanding college and career awareness of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). Students that engage with us can receive a stipend for their time and effort. Call us, or refer to our website for more information and to **download the application**:

<http://www.alamo.edu/uploadedFiles/SPC/Academics/Departments/Center for Excellence in Science/Files/COE%20Student%20Award%20Application%20May%202018.pdf>

Counseling Services (SW Campus)

For more information, contact Rosalinda Rivas at 210-486-2333.

Event: Personal Counseling – A Safe Space

Date/Time: **Spring Hours: (Through May 27)**

Monday and Wednesday

8:00 am – 5:00 pm (or 10:00 am – 7:00 pm)

Summer Hours: (May 28 – July 29)

Monday and Wednesday (May 27 - July 29)

8:00 am – 7:00 pm

Location: Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Building 1, Room A-135

Summary: Students talk to counselors about many different types of issues, like career concerns, anxiety, academic stress, relationships, stress associated with deportation/family legal status, coping with illness, procrastination, and more. Make an appointment with a Counselor at 210-486-2333 if you want to talk about strategies that can help you manage your stress, school and life activities. See important links on our website www.alamo.edu/spc/counseling-services/. Let us know how we can help!

St. Philip's College is committed to providing a supportive leaning environment and to fostering safe, healthy relationships among our students. For more information visit

www.alamo.edu/spc/counseling-services/.

A household that lacks enough money to consistently access adequate food can be described as food insecure. These families may be experiencing hunger or struggling to avoid it. Are you experiencing hunger?

Contact [Counseling Services](#), so we can share local resources with you.

Come by or call for an appointment.

(210) 486-2333

MLK: Sutton Learning Ctr., Room 102

SWC: LIFEspace Ctr., Bldg. 1, Room A-135

Disability Services (SW Campus)

For more information, contact Maria Botello at 210-486-2199.

- Event:** **Schedule your appointment.** To be eligible for disability-related services, students must have a disability as defined by the **Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA)** and **Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.**
- Date/Time:** **Spring Hours: (Through May 27)** **Summer Hours: (May 28 – July 29)**
Tuesday and Thursday, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Tuesday and Thursday, 8:00 am – 7:00 pm
- Location:** Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Building 1, Room A-135
- Summary:** Disability Services ensures reasonable academic support to qualifying students with disabilities. We follow national best practices to ensure that our students have access to the latest information and technologies. Disability Services is a hub of activities, support, referrals and encouragement for our students with disabilities. For more information visit <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/disability-services/>.

Library Resources and Services (SW Campus)

For more information, contact Rita Castro at 210-486-2337.

- Event:** **Spring Hours: (Through May 13)**
- Date/Time:** Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 7:00 pm
Friday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Maymester Hours: (May 14 - 27)

Closed

Summer Hours (May 28 – July 29)

Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 7:00 pm

- Location:** Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Building 1, C-123

Summary: Students can use the Ask-A-Librarian button on our website to call, email, text or chat with a Librarian. If you would like in-depth research help, use the Individual Research Assistance Form under Library Services to schedule an appointment with a Librarian! The online resources, including e-books, video, and credible, authoritative information sources, are available through our online databases. For more information visit <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/library/>.



Student Life (SW Campus)

For more information, contact Dr. Angela McPherson Williams at 210-486-2090.

- Event:** **Spirit Day with Birthday Cake**
- Date/Time:** May 2 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
- Location:** Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Building 1, Crossroads
- Summary:** Wear your favorite St. Philip's shirt or wear our school colors (royal blue and white)!

- Event:** **Power Up for Finals – Stress Relief**
- Date/Time:** May 7 - 8 8:00 am – 12:00 pm
- Location:** Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Building 1, Crossroads
- Summary:** Come relieve the stress of Finals Week with helpful tips and snacks to keep you going!

Connect with St. Philip's College!



- Explore your Passions
- Involvement on the Go
- Campus Calendar
- Customized Communication
- Co-Curricular Transcript

Want to know what is going on at SPC? Want to get involved? Get Synced via OrgSync today.

Log into OrgSync
<https://orgsync.com/login/alamo-colleges>

Tutoring Services & Service Learning (SW Campus)

For more information, contact Elizabeth Castillo at 210-486-2473.

Tutoring Services

With Brainfuse students experience online tutoring that is simple, fast and always available. Students connect to live educators from any computer that has Internet access, with no special software installation or equipment required. Students work one-on-one, in real-time with a tutor, communicating using a virtual whiteboard technology. **To access Brainfuse, Canvas**



Course: Open your course in Canvas and click on the Brainfuse Online Tutoring Link on the left-hand side.

Event: General tutoring, a great place to study, a computer lab and free Book Loan program!

Date/Time: Tuesday and Thursday 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, and 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Location: Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Building 1, Room C-150

Summary: Tutoring in accounting, business, computer literacy, history, Spanish and speech.

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Do you want to give feedback to SPC? Did you have a great experience with a service offered at the college or something you want to address? You can now do that with our "Feed the Tiger" form. This form is available to all that would like to express their experience at SPC and rate how we are doing. Please feel free to share your thoughts with us. We want to make sure you are heard and that we address any concerns you might encounter.

Click on the orange "Feed the Tiger" button at <http://spcweb.alamo.edu/feedback/index.html>.

U.S. Department of Education

For more information contact Curtis Johnson at 1-800-USA-LEARN

There are opportunities with the Peace Corps and SPIGA (Office of Strategic Partnerships & Intergovernmental Affairs)! The Peace Corps is offering unpaid internships in their Department of External Affairs. For more information contact curtin.johnson@arkansasbaptist.edu or visit www.peacecorps.gov.

Application deadlines:

Fall 2018 Apply by July 15, 2018
Spring 2019 Apply by November 15, 2018



Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA)

For more information, contact Carmen de Luna Jones at 210-485-0280.

To locate resources on immigrant rights to advocate for yourself and protect your community, visit <http://www.alamo.edu/district/daca/>. View an important immigrant's training video, "Know Your Rights & Family Preparedness". The video can also be viewed in Spanish.

What should I do if I believe an enforcement action has taken place that is inconsistent with this guidance?

DHS has explained that there are a number of locations where an individual may lodge a complaint with DHS about a particular immigration enforcement action that may have taken place in violation of these or other policies. You may find information about these locations, and information about how to file a complaint, on the DHS website at <https://www.dhs.gov/>, the CBP website at <https://www.cbp.gov/>, or ICE website at <https://www.ice.gov/>.

You may contact ICE Enforcement and Removal Operations (ERO) through the Detention Reporting and Information Line at 888-351-4024 or through the ERO information email address at ERO.INFO@ice.dhs.gov, also available at <https://www.ice.gov/webform/ero-contact-form>. The Civil Liberties Division of the ICE Office of Diversity and Civil Rights may be contacted at 202-732-0092 or ICE.Civil.Liberties@ice.dhs.gov.

You may contact the CBP Information Center to file a complaint or compliment via phone at 877-227-5511, or submit an email through the website at <https://help.cbp.gov>.

Where should I report discrimination if I believe it is taking place in my school?

Anyone with information about discrimination occurring in schools, including discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin (which may include citizenship or immigration status), may file a complaint by contacting the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights via www.ed.gov/ocr, ocr@ed.gov, 800-421-3481 or TDD: 800-877-8339 (for language assistance contact 800-USA-LEARN (800-872-5327)) or by contacting the U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Educational Opportunities Section via www.justice.gov/crt/edo, education@usdoj.gov, 877-292-3804, or TTY: 800-514-0383.

Will enforcement actions ever occur at sensitive locations?

DHS has explained that immigration enforcement actions may occur at sensitive locations in limited circumstances, but should generally be avoided. DHS officers and agents from U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) or U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) may conduct an enforcement action at a sensitive location only with prior approval from an appropriate supervisory DHS official, or if the enforcement action involves exigent circumstances related to national security, terrorism, or public safety, or where there is imminent risk of destruction of evidence material to an ongoing criminal case.

For more information about these civil rights protections, please see the U.S. Department of Education (ED) and U.S. Department of Justice joint Dear Colleague letter <http://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/letters/colleague-201405.pdf>





FACT SHEET FOR FAMILIES AND SCHOOL STAFF: LIMITATIONS ON DHS IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS AT SENSITIVE LOCATIONS

All children have a right to a free public education, regardless of their actual or perceived immigration or citizenship status or that of their parents.¹ Education leaders, teachers, students, and families, have asked questions about guidance that was released by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) that limits immigration enforcement actions from occurring at schools and other “sensitive locations.” This DHS guidance is at: <https://www.cbp.gov/border-security/sensitive-locations-faqs>. To respond to those questions, the U.S. Department of Education has worked with DHS to prepare this fact sheet, intended to help parents, families, educators, and other school staff understand the DHS guidance.

In general, DHS has explained that immigration enforcement actions may not occur at or in “sensitive locations.”

These locations include:



Schools, such as known and licensed daycares, pre-schools and other early learning programs; primary schools; secondary schools; post-secondary schools up to and including colleges and universities; as well as scholastic or education-related activities or events.



School bus stops that are marked and/or known to the officer, during periods when children are present at the stop.



Medical treatment and health care facilities, such as hospitals, doctors' offices, accredited health clinics, and emergent or urgent care facilities.



Places of worship, such as churches, synagogues, mosques, and temples.



Religious or civil ceremonies or observances, such as funerals and weddings.



During public demonstrations, such as a march, rally, or parade.

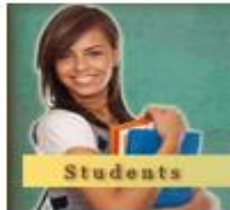


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Need Assistance Applying for State Aid?

Texas Application for State Financial Aid (TASFA)



Call the Community Education & Training Centers near
you to schedule an appointment at:

Brackenridge (Eastside) Center

532 N. Center
San Antonio, TX 78202
(210) 485-0280



Harlandale (Southside) Center

901 March Avenue
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 989-5999



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Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth: Residential, Teaching and Administrative Opportunities (Summer 2018)

For more information contact Mirande Bissell at 410-735-4275:

Hello! I am the Assistant Program Manager for Summer Programs at Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth, and I am writing to share some information with students at St. Philip's College about summer employment opportunities at Johns Hopkins University's Center for Talented Youth (CTY). Please see the attached flier and links below for more details.

We are seeking applicants to join our 2018 summer staff as teaching assistants, RAs, instructors, and administrators in [our program for academically talented students](#). As a CTY instructor or TA, you would develop a vibrant class for highly able children and teens. As an administrator (such as a senior RA or academic dean, for instance), you would develop skills in coaching and leading colleagues in a fast-paced setting under the aegis of Johns Hopkins.

We have a number of sites around the nation, including in California, Connecticut, Washington, New York, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, Maryland, and Virginia. We also have two sites in Hong Kong. We are excited to open our new location at Yale this summer.

CTY offers challenging academic programs that attract young learners from around the world. Each student takes just one class for three weeks -- with a total of about 100 contact hours in the course over that period. The classes are intense and -- we hope -- deeply intellectually and personally rewarding. [We offer classes across the disciplines](#), including Astrophysics; Special Relativity; Organic Chemistry; Game Theory; Micro- and Macroeconomics; Law and Politics; Playing God: The Ethics of Human Subject Research; and Fiction and Poetry -- to name just a few. Nearly 10,000 students take a CTY summer course each year. Our staff includes upwards of 2000 adults (across more than twenty locations).

Join our team for three to seven weeks. Dates may vary by location:

- Sites open for administrators: June 18
- Session 1: June 21 - July 14
- Session 2: July 14 - August 4
- Sites close: August 5

I am happy to serve as a point of contact, and I encourage anyone interested to visit our summer employment website at <http://cty.jhu.edu/jobs/summer/> for more details (and to apply online). I can be reached at mirande.bissell@jhu.edu.

Mirande Bissell
cty.jhu.edu



Bright Young Minds, Brilliant Opportunities

The Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth (CTY) offers challenging academic programs that attract young learners from around the world. Share your knowledge with tomorrow's scientists, scholars, and global leaders at CTY.

CTY summer staff members

- Earn competitive salaries
- Build their networks
- Develop professional skills
- Share their passions with amazing kids
- Travel the country or the world
- Save money! Room and board are provided at residential sites.

We have summer sites at colleges and schools on the east and west coasts and in Hong Kong. Join our team for three to six weeks.

Core program dates for 2018*

- Session 1: June 21 - July 14
- Session 2: July 14 - August 4

*Dates vary by site and by position.



Summer Employment with CTY

College students and recent graduates are often well-qualified for the following positions.

Resident Assistants are strong leaders, keep kids safe and bring the fun. They establish the community of respect and inclusion that CTY students love.

Teaching Assistants are tutors and teachers with knowledge to share. They work alongside expert instructors to support and supervise students.

Residential Program Assistants are master organizers, savvy shoppers, and safe drivers. With flexibility and resourcefulness, they keep the site office running smoothly.

Health Assistants are cool under pressure and attentive to detail. They work with a nurse to provide first aid and comfort when kids are sick or injured.

Other positions are available. Learn more about us and apply online.

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