

WCCCD and WSU Partner to Provide Transfer Pathways

We are proud to announce a new partnership with Wayne State University (WSU) which will offer transfer students a seamless path to their bachelor's degree. The new Transfer Pathways Agreement maximizes the credits students earn while completing an associate degree at WCCCD and transferring to WSU to complete a bachelor's degree, helping students limit their potential loss of credits and save both time and tuition dollars. The agreement goes into effect in the fall of 2023.



For more information, visit the college's website or use this URL: https://www.wcccd.edu/news/pdfs/Press_release/2023/TRANSFER.PATHWAYS.pdf

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Board of Trustees Executive Team Meeting March 10, 2023



















WCCCD Celebrates International Women's Day







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School of Continuing Education

Brown and Juaníta C. Ford Art Gallery Northwest Campus







Harold Allen: A Master Painter: Paintings and Collages Art Exhibition













Division of Workforce and Economic Development



Coming Soon! Real Estate Workshops

WCCCD is currently planning workshops in collaboration with Kenneth L. Scott, President of the Greater Detroit Realtist Association, to be held at the Northwest Campus.

These workshops will focus on housing rehabilitation, raising property values and propel collaboration of Michigan contractors with realtors and brokers.



Construction Trades Training Program

The Construction Trades Training Program has added Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) to its curriculum for a minimum of two days per week for each cohort. All future cohorts will be given an introduction to Stick Welding, and after completion will be eligible to learn MIG and TIG welding.





Division of Workforce and Economic Development







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WCCCD Continues its Partnership with the Rainbow Push Coalition

WCCCD and the Rainbow Push Coalition will collaborate to host a Young Kings and Queens Volleyball and Golf Program this spring.

The program will be held Saturdays starting April 14, 2023 at the Curtis L. Ivery Health and Wellness Education Center.



Division of Student Services



International Students

Staff review processes for international students registered for the Spring 2023 semester.

Veteran Affairs

Quite often, students graduating from high school express interest in joining the military. Once enrolled, they take advantage of the education benefits that come along with their military service. WCCCD's Office of Veteran Affairs is here to assist with the process.





Dual Enrollment Program

Members of the Division of Student Services met to review potential 2023 graduate applications.



Admissions and Records

Staff continue to review incoming transcripts for students transferring to WCCCD.

Division of Student Services





Federal Work-Study Program

Students participated in Federal Workstudy Orientations. They were informed of the necessary documents needed to complete their application, employment expectations, college policy and procedures, and dressing for success.



PHI THETA KAPPA HONOR SOCIETY



The Alpha Upsilon Zeta Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa Alpha Monthly Meeting

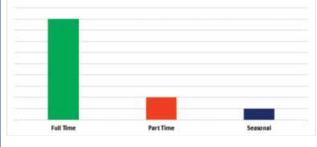


Phi Theta Kappa Orientation Downriver Campus



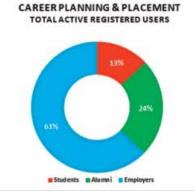
Career Planning and Placement Portal

CAREER PLANNING & PLACEMENT NUMBER OF JOBS POSTED BY JOB TYPE WEEKLY



This chart displays the number of jobs posted at WCCCD based on the job types.

This pie chart displays the number of students with completed and active registrations at WCCCD (students, alumni, employers).





Division of Student Services









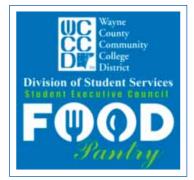


TRiO Student Support Services Spring 2023 Orientation

Students participated in the Spring 2023 Orientation. Topics of discussion included services available, meeting with university representatives, both in person and virtually, and a financial literacy workshop presented by Flagstar Bank.



TRiO Team Meeting



Division of Student Services

Healthy Options

Students were excited to see healthy options to select from, such as canned asparagus, spinach and tuna in water.



Thank You note given to a donor:

"On behalf of the Wayne County Community College District Student Executive Council, we would like to extend our sincere thank you for your generous donation of five boxes of non-perishable food items to the WCCCD Food Pantry. We assure you that the WCCCD student receiving the items in the Food Pantry will be very grateful and your support is greatly appreciated."









Students celebrate Dental Assisting Week!



First-year dental hygiene students Luan McNeal and Alisha Stallworth performed a presentation for Snow Preschool in Dearborn for Children's Dental Health Month.



Division of Educational Affairs





Culinary Arts Meeting

Staff from the Division of Educational Affairs met with the Culinary Arts and Hospitality development team. Discussion focused on the status of conference services and the pace of deploying noncredit and credit offerings.



University Partnerships

The Educational Affairs team met with staff from Wayne State University (WSU) to discuss reverse transfer opportunities for students. Reverse transfer would allow students to come to WCCCD and take classes needed at WSU.



Instructional Toolkits

Dr. Wanda Hudson and Diane Gonzales met with Jason Storm of Cengage to discuss the ongoing partnership.

Developmental English

Members of the Educational Affairs Team met with the English faculty Rethink Taskforce to discuss developmental co-requisite models.



Division of Educational Affairs

Learning Resource Center Orientations

Students at the Downriver Campus were provided with a basic library tour, and hands-on procedures on how to access library online magazines, journal databases, and internet research tools.





Career and Technical Programs

Allan Cosma attended the MOSPA Board of Directors Meeting representing WCCCD through career and technical programs.



Career Education

Allan Cosma attended the Industry Credentials Office Hours Program sponsored through Strengthening MiWorkforce Pathways through the Michigan Community College Association.

Division of Educational Affairs





Virtual Reality Experience

Dr. Wanda Hudson and Professor Robert Balaicki presented a Virtual Reality experience at the Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus where students engaged in the technology.



Educational Affairs MiTransfer Network

The team is currently updating the MiTransfer Network career pathway and increasing the number of pathway options.

Save the Date

Silent Uno Tournament March 18, 2023

Curriculum Committee March 23, 2023

Virtual Reality Experience March 23, 2023

Virtual Advisory Committee Meeting March 24, 2023

Fall 2023 Faculty Selection Meeting April 14 and 17, 2023

> Nursing Pinning Ceremony May 5, 2023

Language Institute



Language Institute

Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus

To celebrate Women's History Month, the Language Institute hosted Coach Sara Saaidi from the University of Michigan Ann Arbor. She spoke about the importance of involvement and leadership, she mentioned how the Language Institute is a great way to start your leadership and involvement journey.













Professional Development

Celebrating

Women's History Month and Irish American Heritage Month



Celebrating UN International Women's Day

London Bell spoke on the theme of the UN International Women's Day being "Digital: Innovation and Technology for Gender Equality"



Halima Mohiuddin spoke on Women and Stereotyping

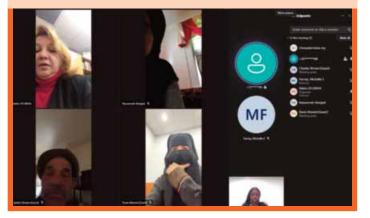


Bruce Ewen spoke on Pauli Murray



Cultural Book Club Meeting

We discussed the book *Black Indians* written by William Lauren Katz.







New Book for the Semester Becoming by Michelle Obama

Ceremonies and Rituals Committee Meeting

Phi Theta Kappa Induction Ceremony

April 28, 2023 6:00 p.m. Downriver Campus

Allied Health Pinning Ceremony

May 5, 2023 6:00 p.m. Northwest Campus

Commencement Ceremony

June 3, 2023 11:00 a.m. Ford Field





District Police Authority

MCOLES Swear In Ceremony

The District Police Authority conducted an MCOLES (Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards) swearing in ceremony for police officers, Billy Nixon, John Jenkins, Karen Smith, and Corporal Mumenur Rahman Jesan.







Wayne County Homeland Security – Local Emergency Planning Committee Meeting

Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education (MIPSE) hosted the Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) meeting presented by Wayne County Homeland Security.



Elite Technical Services Group -Water Rescue Operations



William D. Ford Career Technical Center Fire Students



Lifeline Ambulance- Coaching Emergency Vehicle Operations (CEVO) Training





Division of Information Technology

Data Closet Re-engineering Project

Curtis L. Ivery District Office

As the initiative to upgrade data closets District-wide continues, the Division of Information Technology (IT) and selected vendors have completed the initial assessment and began cleanup work in each network closet at the Curtis L. Ivery District Office.



Campus Technical Support

This week, campus technicians met to discuss District-wide IT initiatives, VDI upgrades, staff computer upgrades and more.









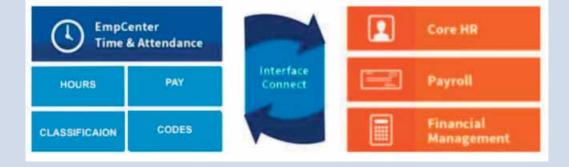
Division of Human Resources

Employee Leave Balance Compliance Review

The Division of Human Resources (HR) is reviewing time off requests for staff. This process ensures proper reconciliation of requested leave time as well as appropriate approvals. Leave time must be signed by the employee and approved by the campus president/vice chancellor. The Attendance Summary Report is used as a final checklist to review Web-Time entries prior to the report by being submitted to the Office of the Chancellor. The Leave Audit consists of reviewing the following attendance summary to assure compliance.

- Vacation Request
- Sick Leave
- Personal Time
- Appropriate Signatures
- · Campus or Division Submitting





PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Support of Learning and Development

Drs. CharMaine Hines and Fidelis D'Cunha met to discuss the District-wide professional development planning efforts in support of a comprehensive community of learning and development.

Updates from Michigan Technological University

Staff participated in a Zoom session in which Michigan Tech admissions team members work specifically with transfer students. Information provided included:

- · New majors
- Michigan Tech and the Michigan Transfer Agreement
- Scheduling classes
- Housing
- Upcoming transfer events for students

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- Consider starting summer semester Mechanical Engineering and Demical Engineering

Connect with the Michigan Tech academic advisor





Building Partnerships in the Community

Muna Khoury, Kim Smouter, Rachel Kidd, and Keith Freier from Michigan State University, presented to the Westland Innovative Academy on educational opportunities at WCCCD.







WCCCD staff and community members enjoyed Hustle class with special guest Janice Winfrey, Detroit City Clerk.





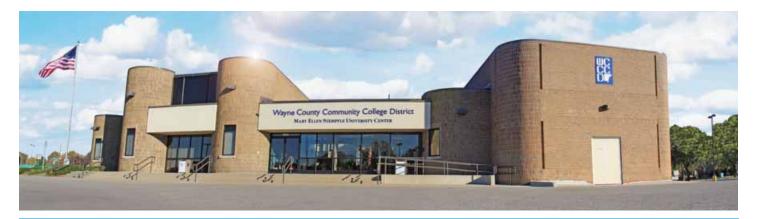
Congratulations!

Health and Wellness Education Center member Elton Washington received the "Biggest Wildcat Fan" award for attending more Wildcats home basketball games than any other member!



Did you know?

According to recent data, our members use the Health and Wellness Education Center TWICE AS OFTEN as members at other fitness centers across the country.



Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center



Fall 2023 Academic Schedule Rollover Review Meeting



Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus



Campus Executive Team Meeting



Detroit District Advisory Council

The Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus hosted the Neighborhood Advisory Council meeting.





Understanding the Intersectionality of Diversity, Disability, and Financial Empowerment

Participants listened to community leaders discuss the intersectionality of diversity and disability and how they can work together to find solutions to barriers of financial stability.



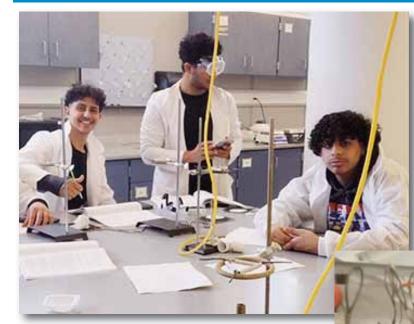
Lunch and Learn – Streets, Highways, and By-Ways

Participants learned the directional purpose behind some local streets, how to travel them and how they relate to our interstate highway system.

Eastern Campus







Introduction to Chemistry Students

Students on the Move!

Students from the Facility Maintenance class toured the Union Carpenters and Millwrights Skilled Training Center in Detroit.





Taylor West Middle School Band Concert

The Heinz C. Prechter Educational and Performing Arts Center hosted students from Taylor West Middle School as they performed a concert for parents and staff.



Taylor West Middle School Choir Concert

Students from Taylor West Middle School also performed their Festival Concert.

Downriver Campus

Southern Wayne Conference Quiz Bowl



The Southern Wayne Conference Quiz Bowl weekly competition continued this week. This high school sanctioned competition of academic teams from Southern Wayne Conference compete in jeopardy-style matches.



The Guidance Center

The Downriver Campus hosted The Guidance Center Head Start Reflective Supervision training.



Wayne RESA Classroom Management Institute

The Downriver Campus also hosted Wayne RESA's Classroom Management Institute.



Wayne RESA New Teacher Academy

Wayne RESA held its New Teacher Academy at the Downriver Campus. This workshop provided a professional development experience to enhance professional growth.

Northwest Campus

Michigan State Police Summit





Parliamentarians Executive Meeting



Meeting to discuss Northwest Campus Processes



Kansas State University Summer Institute Preparation Meeting

Ted Scott Campus



Partnership Opportunities

Staff met with representatives from Westland's Friendship Senior Center to discuss community partnership opportunities.



Wayne RESA

Wayne RESA held its leadership team professional development workshop at the Ted Scott Campus.

Continuing Education

The Steels and Stilettos Gun Safety Class was held at the Ted Scott Campus.





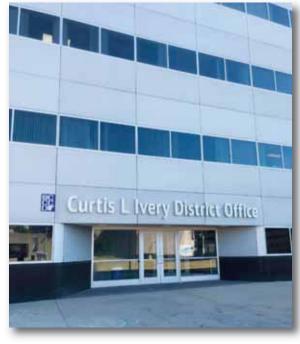
Chancellor's Weekend Memo



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Mission

WCCCD's mission is to empower individuals, businesses, and communities to achieve their higher education and career advancement goals through excellent, accessible, culturally diverse, and globally competitive programs and services.

Vision Statement

WCCCD will be known as a premier community college and innovator in the areas of high quality academic and career education, talent development in support of regional economic growth, diversity and inclusion, and technological advancement.

WCCCD's Values Statements:

- Supporting excellence in teaching and learning
- Honoring diversity
- Serving the common good
- Being accountable
- Operating with integrity











