Important Dates for EC12

- **August 4:** Last day of LCC Summer Semester
- **August 19–20:** Book Distribution 10:00 AM—2:00 PM (MB 118)
- **August 20:** TEC Fall Orientation 2:00 PM in MB 202/203
- **August 21:** Book Distribution 4:00—6:00 PM (MB 118)
- **August 22:** First day of TEC and LCC Fall Semester
- **September 2–Labor Day:** LCC and TEC Closed

Announcements

Orientation: TEC Student Fall Orientation will start at 2:00 PM on Tuesday, August 21 in MB 202/203. All EC 12 (Cohort 2) students are expected to attend.

Book distribution is available August 19 and 20 from 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. and August 21 from 4:00—6:00 p.m. In MB 118. Bring your Star Card and Textbook Search results for each of your Fall CRNs.

Breakfast and Lunch will again be available for the Fall.

We hope to offer study tables again in the Fall as an additional support for students. Look for information to come.

TEC has new additions! Read the “Welcome” section to learn more.

Remember to check your LCC email often for updates!

Advice

Mentoring is still a part of the service we provide at TEC. Students should schedule a mentor meeting immediately upon their return to campus.

Students must discuss their situation with a mentor prior to withdrawing from any course. Please abide by this expectation so that we may best serve you and ensure that you accomplish your goals.
Welcome

Mr. Steve Reed
Support Coordinator for K-12 Programs

Mr. Steve Reed recently joined Lansing Community College as the Support Coordinator for K-12 Programs. He will be assisting the directors of The Early College and the High School Diploma Completion Initiative by providing leadership in data reporting activities, program evaluation and improvement, Summer Bridge, Work-Based Learning, event planning, and student support services. Steve earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in theology from Baptist Bible College, a Bachelors of Science degree in history and education from Missouri State University, and a Master in Education from Spring Arbor University. Steve has several years of experience as a financial aid counselor, elementary and secondary teacher, and a private school principal.

Steve is married with three children, two grandchildren, and a cocker-pooh named “Big.” His hobbies include listening to and playing music, running, biking, and camping. Please join us in welcoming Mr. Reed, we are fortunate to have him as part of our team.

Dr. Stephen Rosales
Director of The Early College

We are also pleased to announce the arrival of and to invite you to welcome Dr. Stephen Rosales to The Early College as its new Director. Dr. Rosales was born and raised in Brownsville, Texas. He attended Texas A & M University in College Station where he received a Bachelor of Arts in History with a minor in Mathematics. He began his teaching career in 1991 at Simón Rivera High School teaching U.S. History, Algebra I, Geometry and Pre-Calculus. He received his Master of Education in Educational Administration from the University of Texas at Brownsville. In 2005, he received his doctorate from the University of Houston in Curriculum and Instruction. Dr. Rosales has fifteen years of public school experience and seven years in Higher Education as an administrator.

Much of Dr. Rosales’ work has been in promoting a college going culture in the school districts of Cameron and Willacy County as well as finding ways to remove barriers that prevent Latino students from receiving a post-secondary credential.

Most recently, the program he directed, the Mathematics and Science Academy, was nationally recognized by Excelencia in Education as a program that provides academic opportunities for Latino students.

Class of 2015

The handbook reads, “Students are recoded and graduate from high school in their 13th year.” Please understand that the three-year commitment to The Early College at Lansing Community College requires that a student not be graduated by their home district until they have fulfilled all requirements of TEC including completion of the Michigan Merit Curriculum; the requisite 30 or more transferable college credits (MACRAO), advanced certificate approved by TEC Director, or an associate degree; and two work-based learning sessions (most every student has completed the first; many have completed the second—an internship). Once those requirements are all met, TEC contacts a student’s sending school district and informs them of the students status. The school district can then graduate the student.

Please contact us with any questions.
Changes

The Learning Commons, formerly Tutoring Services, is located in Arts & Sciences 108. The Learning Commons is available by telephone, 517-483-1206, or at tutoring@lcc.edu. The ARC is now part of The Learning Commons, too. The MAC will no longer exist as a separate entity and will also become part of The Learning Commons.

Ms. Lori Kindsvatter has left TEC after a year of outstanding service to our students and LCC. We are fortunate to have had her as a part of our team and wish her luck with her new ventures in northern Michigan. Students who were mentored by Ms. Kindsvatter will be reassigned and contacted by the TEC staff member responsible for mentoring those students.

Construction

Construction has begun on Capitol Ave. Please be aware of this when planning parking and drop-offs. This Lansing Board of Water and Light project should be completed in October.

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If you know any students entering their junior year of high school, there are a limited number of seats available for the 2013-2014 school year.

Please encourage them to apply or contact us if they are interested.

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