



LAWRENCEVILLE | ALPHARETTA-NORTH FULTON

# Student Life News & Events

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## Free Tickets!



### THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

GTC Night at Aurora Theatre  
Showing: [Hunchback of Notre Dame](#) / 8 p.m.

Get your 2 free vouchers now  
with your current Student ID!

MON - TH from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
LAW / Student Life Center  
ANF / Lobby

## Coming Soon!



### EVERYTHING IS FREE!

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

ANF / Sept. 5, Lobby  
LAW / Sept. 7, Building 100

Music, Food, and Giveaways!  
A great way to find out about student clubs.  
You won't want to miss it!

## M / AUG 14 - Classes Begin

Welcome to Fall Semester at Gwinnett Tech!

## M / AUG 14 - Ambassador Applications are Available!

Student Life is now accepting applications to become a GTC Student Ambassador. We will be accepting applications until 5 p.m. on August 31st. Email [Morgan Taylor-Burns](#) to inquire/apply. Ambassadors serve as the face of GTC, assist with school wide events, take part in outreach projects, and may get to partake in various VIP opportunities.

## T / AUG 15 - Free Snow Cones!

Welcome back GTC students! Lambda Nu will be making thirst quenching snow cones for you from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. behind building 100 on the Lawrenceville campus. Come cool off with us as we prepare to get back in gear for the college year. Come get them while they last! For more information contact [Kim Strong](#).

### W / AUG 16 - Lambda Nu Cool Treats

Come cool off with Lambda Nu us as we prepare to get back in gear for the college year. We will be making thirst quenching snow cones for you from 12 p.m. - 3 p.m. in front of building 100 on the Lawrenceville campus. Come get them while they last! For more information contact [Kim Strong](#).

### TH / AUG 17 - GTC's Open Green Market

Every Thursday, GTC will have an Open Green Market selling fresh vegetables, herbs and cut flowers! These are the freshest picked vegetables and fruits straight from our very own GTC Learn-in-Farm. Just look for the tent in the courtyard area between building 600 and 100 from 12 p.m. - 2 p.m. Cash/check preferred. All proceed are used to sustain our farm for continued student experience.

### TH / AUG 17 - GTC Students' Toastmasters International

Gwinnett Technical College Students' Toastmasters International Club meeting and welcome back bash will happen in room 104, building 200 at 6:00 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Everyone is welcome to attend! For more information about Toastmasters feel free to contact [Thaddeus Nifong](#).

### M / AUG 21 - Come Enjoy the Eclipse - LAW

Come enjoy the eclipse with Student Life in the Student Center from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. We will live stream it, have glasses and provide a complimentary snack. We'll watch history before our own eyes! We hope to see you then! Contact [Chantelle Bailey](#) for more information.

### M / AUG 21 - Come Enjoy the Eclipse - ANF

Swing by the lobby at the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. to pick up glasses and a free snack for the viewing of the solar eclipse! You will not want to miss this rare and spectacular occasion. We'll watch history before our own eyes! We hope to see you then! Contact [Chantelle Bailey](#) for more information. .

### T / AUG 22 - College Survival 101 Workshop

Start the school year off right! Attend a college resource workshop. The Student Affairs Office and Academic Affairs Office is hosting a College Survival 101 workshop from 1 p.m. - 2 p.m. at the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus in room A-110. Students will be introduced to campus resources on the ANF campus; along with connecting with GTC staff. Light refreshments and door prizes will be provided! Register [here](#) or at Guest Services at our Alpharetta-North Fulton campus.

### TH / AUG 24 - GTC Night at Aurora Theatre

Student Life is sponsoring GTC Night at the Aurora Theatre. [Hunchback of Notre Dame](#) is an epic musical that traces the journey of Quasimodo, a deformed bell ringer in a cold, cathedral tower as he discovers his inner strength. Vouchers are available with a current Student ID Monday - Thursday between 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Just stop by the Student Life Center located in building 100 at the Lawrenceville campus or the front desk in the lobby of the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus. The 2 FREE vouchers are only valid for the August 24th show. Free sodas and door prizes are included! Please arrive at 7:30 p.m. to redeem your vouchers for tickets; the play starts at 8 p.m.

## Future Dates

September 5 - ANF Welcome Event  
September 6 - Student Success Workshops  
September 7 - LAW Welcome Event



## HEALTHY TIP

Plants That Purify The Air

In 1989, NASA discovered that houseplants can absorb harmful toxins from the air, especially in enclosed spaces with little air flow. Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) are emitted as gases from ingredients found in many synthetic products in your home. These include cleaners, aerosol sprays, paints, vinyl floors, markers, and adhesives just to name a few. Plants are a great cheap, easy, and green tool that can help you get rid of these pollutants and purify your home. *1mhealthtips.com* list 8 different plants that can help protect you from air pollution and beautify for your home/office:

1. Bamboo Palm
2. Boston Fern
3. English Ivy
4. Garden Mum
5. Golden Pothos
6. Peace Lily
7. Rubber Plant
8. Snake Plant

[To read the full article click here.](#)

If there is a topic you would like to know about or a tip that you'd like to share with us, please email [Morgan Taylor-Burns](#) with your suggestions!

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS!



### Use Your Financial Aid Funds Now!

Swing by the Gwinnett Tech Bookstore (Lawrenceville - Bldg. 100 or Alpharetta-North Fulton) between August 7th through the 19th and learn about how you can use your financial aid to purchase school supplies. You can use your financial aid funds on the following: textbooks, supplies, apparel & gifts, and technology. Some restrictions apply.

### GTC Bookstore Announcement

Textbooks are now arranged by author in the GTC Bookstore. Shop by author, search A to Z! Save time by downloading your Author shopping list to your phone or [visit here.](#)



Textbooks are arranged by author in the bookstore.

### Free OB Ultrasounds



Free OB ultrasounds are offered to GTC students. The Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program is seeking volunteers for OB ultrasounds preferably 18-32 weeks. Volunteers need to be prepared to stay for one hour and are scanned by GTC DMS students under direct credentialed faculty supervision. Volunteers receive FREE keepsake 3D images as well as the opportunity to see their baby in 4D. For more information or to schedule an appointment, please email [OB Sonography](#) or call 470-448-1211.

### Assured Hospice Care Seeks Volunteers

Assured Hospice Care offers volunteers the opportunity to care for others and meet real companionship needs at a critical time in the lives of others. This happens in the homes of our patients or at assisted living facilities. Volunteers have the unique opportunity of giving the gift of time. The assistance and support this provides for a person in need is immeasurable. Volunteers will visit with



patients and their family to provide companionship, visit with a patient to provide the caregiver/family member a chance to go to the grocery store or run errands, and assist with administrative and clerical task. We provide the training and visits are scheduled around your daily schedule and routines. You may volunteer a day a week, a few hours a week, or few hours a month. For more information call 770-387-9578 or contact [Chelsea Lawrence](#)

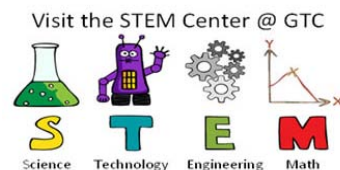


### Georgia Cares

Georgia Cares is the single, statewide coordinating non-profit agency connecting services and treatment care for child victims of sexual exploitation and trafficking. Georgia Cares serves any and all youth who have been victimized in the state of Georgia. Our mission is to ensure that child sex trafficking victims receive quality care and services in the state of Georgia. For more information [visit our website](#).

### Gwinnett Tech STEM Center

The STEM Center is a peer tutoring center in building 900, room 1.109 for students taking Life Sciences classes or anyone trying to get in a healthcare program. The STEM center is open Monday - Thursday from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. and Friday from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Be sure to join us every Thursday evening at 6 p.m. and every Friday morning at 10 a.m. for an A&P I Q&A. Need help with Chemistry? Ms. Francois is available to help Tuesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. For more information please [Casey Best](#)



### Quality Childcare Available on Campus

Do you have young children? Do you know of someone who is looking for a high quality child care center for their child? The Hudgens Early Education Center is the best place for all children! Please come in for a visit today (building 800)! Or call for more information 678-226-6510. Enrolling children 6 weeks to 5 years. Open daily from 7:00 a.m. to 6:15 p.m. Enrollment is open to the community! Childcare tuition assistance is available for full time GTC students and we accepts CAPS.

### Run, Hide, Fight

As a part of Gwinnett Tech's preparedness objective, we want to provide everyone with a safe and healthy learning environment. With the increase of incidents on college campuses, schools and public places, it is increasingly important to have a plan for how to respond in an active shooter situation. Students and employees can help prevent and prepare for potential active shooter situations by viewing the "Run, Hide, Fight - Surviving an Active Shooter Event" video. The video will assist you in planning for your personal safety. [watch video](#).



### Collecting Aluminum Can Tabs

The Future Cardiovascular Technologist Club and the Association for Radiologic Technologist are collecting can tabs. One gallon of tabs equals a one night stay in the Ronald McDonald House for a family. Together, we've already collected eight gallons, but we can do more! Help us by bringing your aluminum can tabs to building 100 near Chick-Fil-A, building 100 near the bookstore in the cafeteria area, building 900 lobby, building 200 - room 121, 245, 133 or the student lounge and the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus student lounge. Thank you for your support!

You Shop. Amazon Gives Back to GTC!

[Shop Amazon Smile](#) is giving back and all you have to do is go to the website and choose "Gwinnett Tech Foundation". The GTC Foundation will receive .05% of every dollar you spend that qualifies and in turn, we will apply these dollars back into Gwinnett Tech students! This is a win-win!!! If you have further questions, please contact [Darcie Johnson](#).



Did you know? GTC Has a No Interest Tuition Payment Plan!

Gwinnett Tech partners with [Nelnet Business Solutions](#) to let you pay tuition and fees over time, making college more affordable. Payment Plan Benefits include easy online enrollment, flexible payment options and no interest. [Learn more](#) about the tuition payment plan and enroll today!

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Feel Stressed? You are not Alone!

Going to school can be tough. Life can be tough. Student Life has paid for all of our students to get four free counseling sessions through the Cameron & Associates Life Balance Program. Yes - it's FREE! Just call 404-845-3727 or visit them on the [web](#) and they will give you three counselors close to you to pick from. You are worth the investment!



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