LAWRENCEVILLE | ALPHARETTA-NORTH FULTON Student Life News & Events February 19, 2021 Is Entrepreneurship For You? Public Speaking One-On-One Session **FEBRUARY 24 SPRING Gwinnett Tech's** Center for Career Experience Join us and explore some great Want to polish your professional speaking? entrepreneurship opportunities! Contact Rachel Mariano for a coaching Details below. session. Details below. Details Below. Details Below. W-F/FEB 17 - 26 - GOAL Coaching Session If you are participating in the GOAL competition and would like help with your speech, feel free to schedule a time with Rachel Mariano for a one-onone coaching session. For more information contact Rachel Mariano M/FEB 22 - Nursing Club Seminar on Hospital Residency Graduates from Gwinnett Technical College will speak on their experience at several area hospitals from application, residency and employment. The seminar will take place at 7:00 p.m. Click Here To Join Seminar For more information contact Lucy Mayers W/FEB 24 - Networking Network with people from our community as well as students from different programs at Piedmont Park while removing invasive plants. For more information contact Mariam Jaser W/FEB 24 - Is Entrepreneurship For You? **Gwinnett Tech's** Join us and explore some opportunities! Representatives from construction, automotive, real estate, small business and IT industries in our community will be on hand to share their knowledge and skills, and answer student questions. The event will take place from 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. via WebEx. Center for Career Experience Click Here To Register For Event For more information contact Launch Pointe T/FEB 26 - Green Sustainable Club Meeting Green Sustainable Club will meet to organize and plan the upcoming spring project. Meeting will be held at 3:00 p.m. via WebEx. Click Here To Join Meeting For more information contact Cathy Ensing T/MAR 2 - Georgia Occupational Award for TECHNICAL COLLEGE Leadership Nominated students will polish their professional interview skills and public speaking skills by participating in our GOAL competition. For more information contact Morgan Taylor-Burns TH / MAR 4 - SkillsUSA SkillsUSA virtual Opening Ceremony. SkillsUSA is a partnership of students, teachers and industry working together to ensure America has a skilled workforce. SkillsUSA can prepare you for success and give you the skills needed to be job-ready on Day One. Champions at Work For more information contact Chantelle Bailey **SPRING -** Readers Are Leaders Book Collection Let's help support our community by encouraging our future leaders to read. Please donate outgrown NEW & GENTLY USED **pre-school** books for children in head start programs! Student Life is looking for books for Readers small children ages 1-5 such as board books, alphabet books, numbers are Leaders books, animal books, rhyming books, etc. You may drop off your items in the drop box outside of the Student Life Center or the box located in the lobby of building 700. Please do not donate textbooks, encyclopedias, scribbled-in books, damaged books, or musty books. For more information contact Chantelle Bailey **SPRING -** Gwinnett Metro Toastmasters Come and join us to learn about Toastmasters. We help our members to improve their speaking and leadership skills, and how to apply them to the real world. Our meeting are held virtually on the second and fourth Thursday of each month, at 06:00 PM Eastern Time. For more information contact Mohammed Belal **VIDEO - Networking Tips** Networking Tips from Dr. Newton. Click Here To Watch! For more information contact Rachel Mariano **Future Dates** March 5 - Summer FASFA Filing Deadline March 30 - Professional Development Series: Organizing To Boost Productivity **ANNOUNCEMENTS! GA Pre-K Registration** GA Pre-K Registration is OPEN through March 12, 2021! Gwinnett Tech students, faculty and staff have priority enrollment (no lottery). GA Pre-K is free of charge to any child who lives in the state of GA and is 4 by 9/1/21. Visit building 800 or call 678-226-6510 for more information. Don't miss this opportunity for your child to attend a high quality GA Pre-K program. For more information contact Rebecca Olson **Partners Against Domestic Violence** February is Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month (TDVAM) and PADV is committed to keeping teens safe by raising awareness of the issue and working diligently to end this crime. This month engage with us by viewing and sharing our Facebook Live conversations, blog posts and social media content geared towards recognizing teen dating violence in our communities and what you can do to help end this crime. Below is a complete TDVAM Facebook Live schedule. Click on each title and select "going" on Facebook to add each Live event to your Facebook calendar! Feb. 25 at 6:00 p.m. **Building Consent Culture Into Digital Dating** To Go Culinary Lunch / Dinner Program Culinary Arts is delighted to have begun our Spring Semester To Go Culinary Lunch/Dinner Program! Pre-Order a hot lunch or dinner to go. Menu changes every two weeks. Orders are due by 5:00 p.m. every Monday. Pick-up is every Thursday from 12:00 - 12:40 p.m. Items can be picked up in the hall of building 700 or via the drive-thru located behind building 700 at shipping and receiving. We only accept cash or check. Pay at the time of pick-up. Click here to place your order. For more information contact Lisa Masi **Learning Success Center** Did you know GTC has tutors on campus? Come visit the Learning Success Center to find out more information! If you are in need of a math tutor, you can request an appointment by clicking here. If you are in need of a English tutor, you can request an appointment by clicking here. Receiving Scam Emails or Phone Calls? Scammer Incidents of students receiving spam phone calls or emails should be reported. Click here to report if you receive a suspicious phone call or email. **Gwinnett Cares Resources List** www.GwinnettCares.org is a great resource for students who live in Gwinnett County. The website links to resources for food, housing, childcare, employment etc. They also have a Facebook page with lots of good Gwinnett Cares information for drive-thru food banks, free COVID testing, job fairs, organizations looking for volunteers For more information click here. meeting was very produc-tive and has brought major changes on Earth. We will visit several places of strate-gic interest and will discuss onseible collaborations na-Federal Work Study Positions Available Are you looking to earn some extra cash? Are you looking for a convenient job on campus? **NEW OPPORTUNITIES** Are you enrolled in at least six credit hours of **NOW AVAILABLE** classes? Have you completed your 2019-2020 financial aid file? Check out the federal workglobal warm-prism issues r things will Click here to view postings. SHARE Military Initiative: Virtual Program SHARE Military Initiative at Shepherd Center in Atlanta is launching a virtual program for post-9/11 veterans and service members with mild to moderate brain injuries and co-occurring behavioral and/or psychological symptoms. Requirements for admission: •Must be a Georgia resident •Must have access to a personal computer/tablet and internet Must have symptoms of traumatic brain injury or concussion •May have co-occurring diagnosis of behavioral health issues, such as anxiety, depression and/or posttraumatic stress Shepherd Center is a recognized TRICARE/Mission Act provider. The virtual program includes: •Comprehensive program featuring daily, individual sessions tailored to the client's needs •Group sessions with other veterans and service members •Virtual visits with a neurologist, physical therapist, occupational therapist, speech therapist, recreational therapist, nurse, case manager, clinical social worker, psychologist, vocational specialist, peer support specialist and transition support specialist For more information, please contact SHARE Admissions: 404-603-4314 For more information click here. **Share Your Gwinnett Tech Stories** Every Gwinnett Tech student has a unique story about their college experience. We would love to hear yours and why you chose Gwinnett Tech. Please take a moment to reflect and share your Gwinnett Tech Story of how our college is preparing you for a great career, the most impactful courses and instructors, and your plans upon graduation. Your story may be shared on our website and social media platforms to recognize your commitment, hard work, and promising future as a Gwinnett Tech graduate! We look forward to sharing your For more information story! Follow us @GwinnettTech #GTCProud contact Chuck McKinnon Click here to share your GTC story. New Internships Available Ready to find your next job opportunity? Let Launch **Gwinnett Tech's** Pointe help guide the way! Launch Pointe, the Clyde L. Strickland Center for Career Experience, is laserfocused on providing work-based learning and career development. Working with both large and small local, regional and global business employers, Launch Pointe provides students opportunities to participate in internships, apprenticeships and entrepreneurship experiences designed to augment classroom activity and foster educational, occupational and personal Center for Career Experience Currently there are internships and apprenticeships available with Marketing Operations Internship, Intern Sales Representative, Summer HR Internship, Fleet For more information Mechanic Intern 1A, Medical Office Internship, HVAC Service Tech Trainee, HR/Payroll and Accounting contact Launch Pointe Specialist, In House Hardware Technician Internship, and Online Learning Intern. Create your account on CareerLink: 1. Go to GwinnettTech.edu/CareerLink 2. Your username is your Gwinnett Tech email address (@Student.GwinnettTech.edu) 3. Create your password. 4. Click SUBMIT. Once your account is approved, you will receive an email.\* 5. Click EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING on left of home page. 6. Complete application and submit resume. \*Students that have already created an account can now access CareerLink on your Dashboard. Launch Pointe can assist you with your resumé and prepare you for your interviews. Click here to view CareerLink You Need A Budget You Need A Budget is an award-winning software and **Gain Total Control** a proven method—that works. What really makes You **Of Your Money** Need A Budget different is that the app can teach you how to manage your money and get ahead—for good. FREE 34-DAY TRIAL! What if your bills rolled in and instead of piling up, you just paid them? No sweat. What if you didn't even realize it was payday because you had money in the bank and weren't desperate for that check to arrive? Forget everything you think you know about budgeting and prepare to experience total control. Try You Need a Budget for FREE for 34 days! Click here to visit our website. **Navigate Recovery** Ш RECOVERY Your recovery doesn't have to take a back seat to the Coronavirus. Our certified recovery coaches are ready to take your call to help through these tough times. Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. Call 678-743-1808 enter extension 101 when you hear For more information the voice prompt. visit our website. All Recovery meetings are Monday thru Saturday at the following times: Noon Meeting Link 7:30 p.m. Meeting Link **Advisement Available** Need assistance with Admissions, Financial Aid, or Academic Advisement? Enrollment Advisors are here to help! Download the Qless app to schedule a phone, virtual, or on-campus appointment with an advisor. You can also visit the One Stop webpage for valuable, updated resources including Enrollment FAQs, Registration How-To Videos, and Live Chat. Click here to visit One Stop. **Virtual Information Sessions** The Recruitment Department is offering nine virtual information sessions each week. These information sessions are a great way to learn more about college programs, admission requirements, student services, and financial aid. Information sessions are offered for both campus. Attendees of these sessions will be provided with an application fee waiver code. Joins us virtually and learn about the great opportunities offered at Gwinnett Tech. For more information click here. **Recruitment Virtual Office Hours** Student recruiters are standing by to answer your questions. Virtual office hours are held weekly through WebEx, so students and prospective students have the opportunity to speak with a recruiter in real-time. Stop in and ask questions anytime throughout the virtual office hours. Monday-Friday 10am-4pm Click here for more information. **Gwinnett Tech STEM Center** Visit the STEM Center @ GTC The STEM Center has moved online! If you are in a Life Science class, look for a blackboard announcement with a link to the STEM Center. When you click it, you will be able to talk with a tutor through a microphone or a chat session. Science Technology Math Engineering No appointment necessary! Our new hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 3-8pm, Tuesdays 12-8pm, and Fridays 12-3pm. For more information contact Marisa Wong-Sam **Financial Literacy** Gwinnett Technical College has teamed up with Edamerica, formerly Higher Education Solutions (HES), to help explain the student loan repayment process so you understand all of your options. If you have trouble making your payments, they will offer helpful alternatives so you won't fall behind. You can also learn Money Basics with articles about understanding your paycheck, checking and savings accounts, understanding your credit score. For more information click here. Not All Healthcare Professionals Wear Scrubs! Don't want to handle blood and guts? Looking for a healthcare career alternative? Want to help patients, but prefer to work behind the information management technology (HIMT). **HEALTH INFORMATION PROFESSIONALS** physicians, patients, and providers. If you're Leading the way to quality data For more information contact Kim Smith Mosaic Georgia



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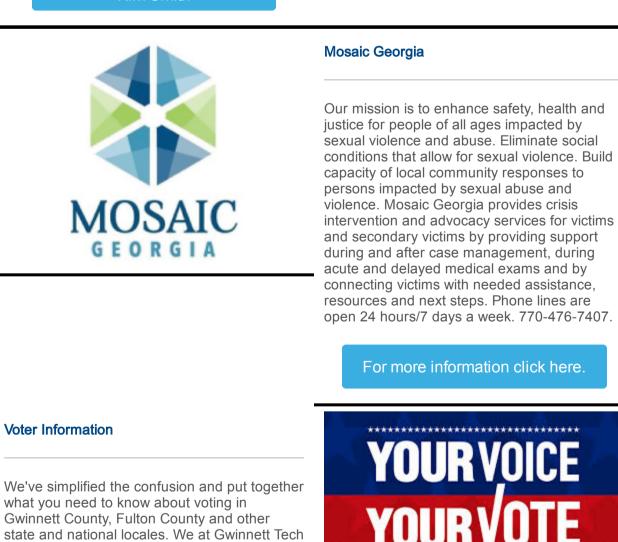
**CRISIS TEXT LINE** 

Georgia Crisis and Access Line

If you are completing your program either this semester or next, please submit a graduation application now! Even if you are completing a certificate embedded in your larger program, you may graduate from that certificate, so that you can list that accomplishment on your resume! Directions on how to apply for

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appropriate forms.



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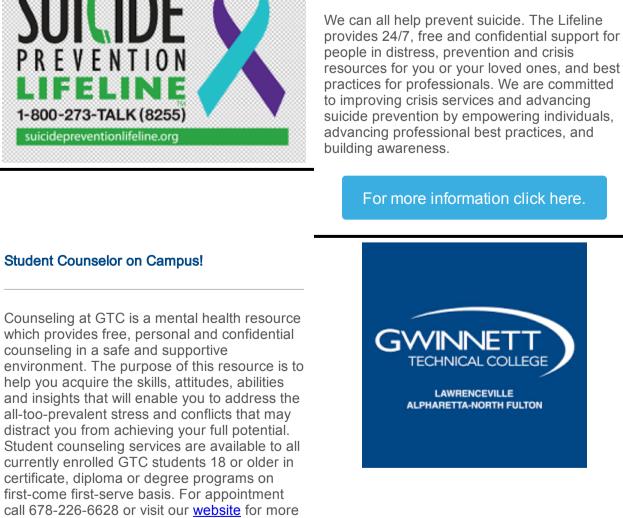
Gwinnett Tech partners with Nelnet Business Solutions to let you pay tuition and fees over time, making college more affordable. Payment Plan Benefits include easy online enrollment, flexible payment options and no interest. Learn more about the tuition payment plan and enroll

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Text HOME to 741741 from anywhere in the USA, anytime, about any type of crisis. A live, trained Crisis Counselor receives the text and

responds quickly. The volunteer Crisis Counselor will help you move from a hot moment to a cool moment. Children and Teens are especially welcome. The service is free, confidential, and available 24/7. Please note that we are not a replacement for counseling or long-term medical treatment. Our goal is to

help you move from an emotional

overwhelming place to a sense of calm, at which point you feel ready to continue on your

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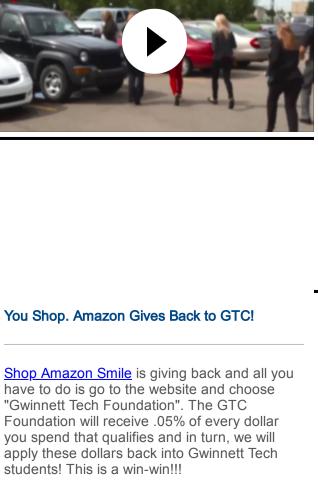
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**Georgia Cares** Georgia Cares is the single, statewide coordinating non-profit agency connecting services and treatment care for child victims of sexual exploitation and trafficking. Georgia Cares serves any and all youth who have been victimized in the state of Georgia. Our mission cares is to ensure that child sex trafficking victims receive quality care and services in the state of Georgia. For more information click here. Georgia Crisis & Access Line Georgia Crisis and Access Line



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. For more information click here.

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