

Chancellor's Weekend Memo

Happy New Year!

January 3-5, 2018

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COMING
SOON!



City Center
Wayne County Community College District

**WCCCD's
Health and Wellness City Center
is scheduled to open in the
Spring of 2019!**



For more information about our new Health and Wellness City Center
visit our website at www.wcccd.edu!



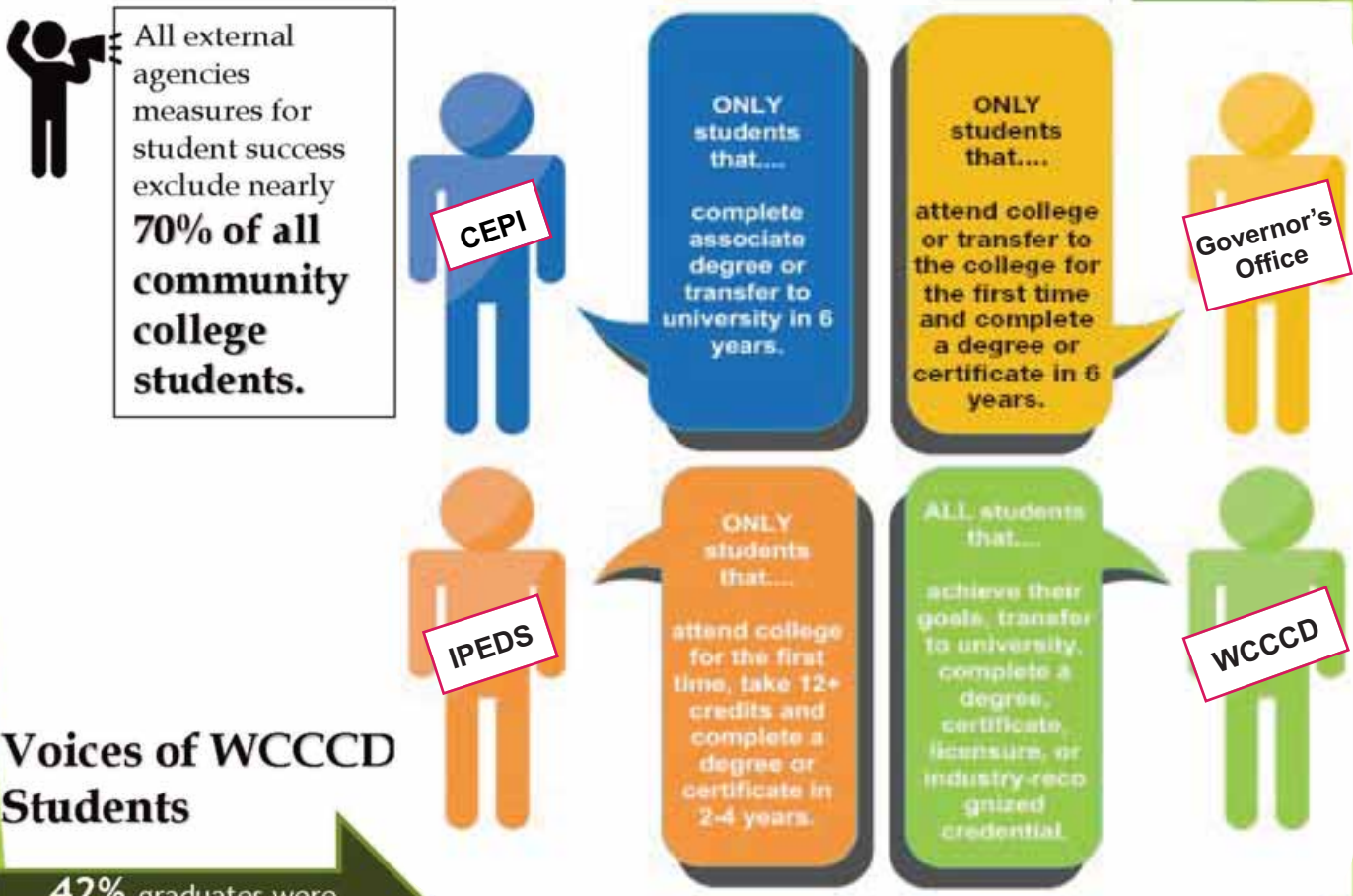
One Vision, One District, One College

Division of Institutional Effectiveness

How Do You Measure Student Success?

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The Wayne County Community College District is among the top 5 community colleges in Michigan and nationally to award degrees and certificates to its students that come from diverse backgrounds. Many of these students would not attend any college without WCCCD providing accessible, affordable, and quality education options. The question remains for WCCCD and all community colleges, *how do you measure student success?*



Voices of WCCCD Students



WCCCD Graduate Awards



Division of Institutional Effectiveness

How Does WCCCD Measure Student Success?

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WCCCD provides measures of student success to external agencies such as IPEDS, CEPI, Governor's Dashboard, HLC, and the state of Michigan. Below are comparisons with other institutions that report to IPEDS as well as additional data points that demonstrate student success. *The Department of Education National Center for Education Statistics (IPEDS) is considered the official source for all community colleges completion data.*

IPEDS Overall Graduation and Transfer Rates Comparison

Peers	Graduates	Graduation Rates	Transfer Rates
Washtenaw CC	3,284	15%	30%
Oakland CC	3,196	10%	28%
Macomb CC	3,026	10%	26%
Lansing CC	2,971	15%	25%
WCCCD	2,202	10%	25%
*Henry Ford	1,625	6%	39%

National Research reports that community college students that complete 15 or more credits are more likely to earn degrees.

Approximately **20%** of WCCCD students complete 15 or more credits.

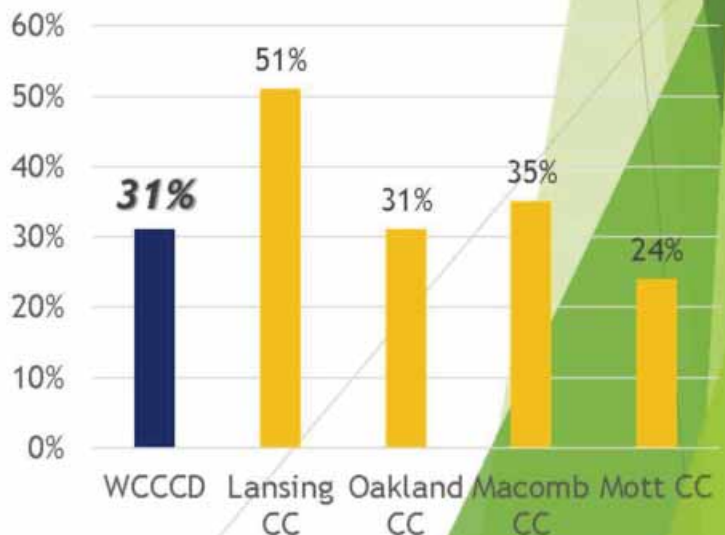
*Henry Ford College awards baccalaureate degrees as well as associate degrees and certificates.

Career & Technical Measures

WCCCD Career and Technical Licensure Pass Rates

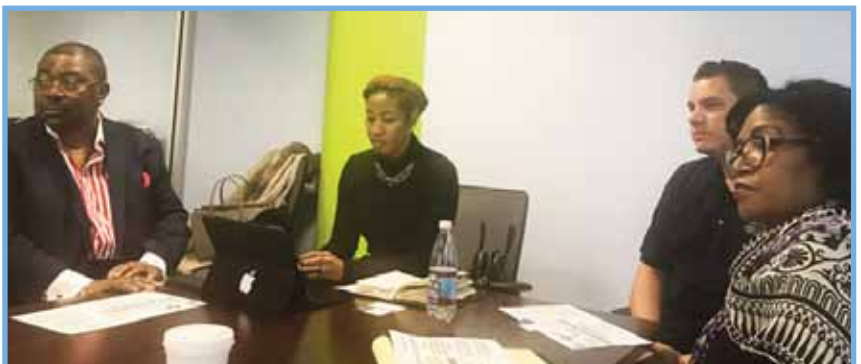


Top Percentage of STEM Graduates



Great News!

Wayne County Community College District's Regional Training Center was awarded \$250,000 to support workforce development skill trades talent development, training programs, and supportive services. This programming will be funded by the Detroit Regional Workforce Fund and United Way for Southeastern Michigan.





Making The Grade with Dual Enrollment



Anthony Arminiak and WCCCD Phi Theta Kappa dual enrollment students from Lincoln Park High School attended the Lincoln Park School Board meeting and were recognized by Terry Dangerfield, Superintendent and school board members.



The Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center along with Harper Woods School District and Chandler Park Academy celebrated the induction of several dual enrollment students into the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society.



A Cass Tech/Dual Enrollment alumni student spoke to current ninth grade class and shared their personal experience on the benefits of participating in the WCCCD Dual Enrollment Program.

Division of Student Services



District Command Center



Staff in the District Command Center worked diligently during the holiday break to convey important registration information to students.



“Yes We Can” Student Support



Student Services staff assisted students at the Northwest Campus during the “Yes We Can” District-wide initiative.

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Outreach

Considine Students



WCCCD’s Adult Education Instructor Mr. Joele at Considine Learning Center is considered a dedicated “Master Teacher.” During the holiday break he provided one-on-one tutoring to students to ensure their success on the upcoming Math and English proficiency testing.

Division of Student Services



The WCCCD Wildcats men's and women's team took on the Delta Community College Pioneers at the Northwest Activity Center. WCCCD family, faculty and students were rooting them on!

Men Lose 83-75 Women Win 70-80



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Health Science Center

Pharmacy Technology Program

Community in Crisis Conference

Pai Her and Pharmacy Technology students attended a community conference sponsored by Operation Rx of Macomb County, Preventing Abuse, Addiction and Overdose. Awareness and education on statistics, trends, outcomes, and opportunities for community members was provided.



Dental Informational Meeting

The Dental Department held an informational meeting to inform students about the program requirements in order to enter into the Dental Assisting and Dental Hygiene programs.





Division of Educational Affairs

Measuring Impact: District-wide Enrollment Review



During each enrollment season, both the campus administration and the District's executive divisional leadership team meet daily to monitor activities. The District team proposes strategies and campaigns to increase student enrollment, considers recommendations for schedule adjustments based on registration trends and monitors data on the progress of semester enrollment.



Dr. Patrick McNally and Denise Shannon met with representatives of the Detroit Promise scholarship to discuss strategies moving forward. WCCCD has participated with the scholarship since 2013.



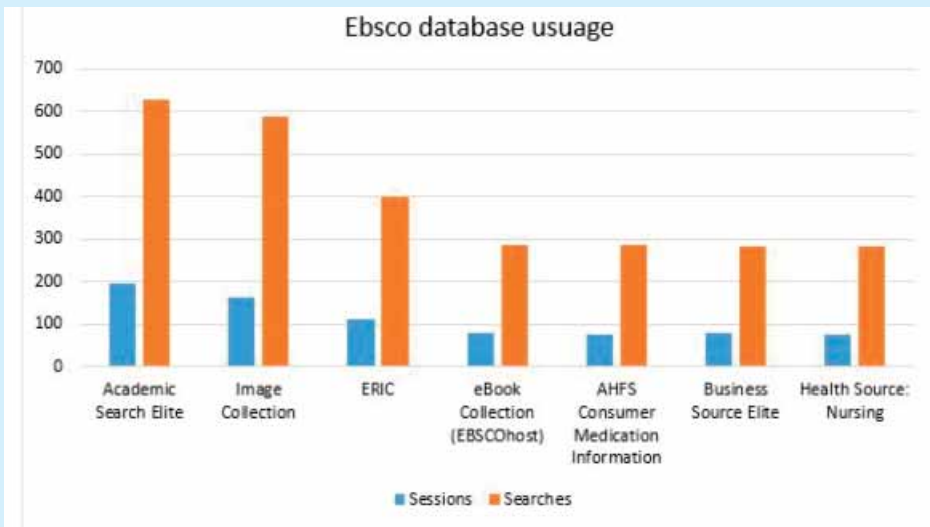
Division of Educational Affairs

Instructional Team Meeting



Staff from the Division of Educational Affairs started early planning in preparation for Spring 2018. High priority planning topics included Faculty Convocation, Call Center assistance, program review, course syllabi review, textbook requests, and Learning Resource Center services.

Learning Resource Center Ebsco Database Technology



The LRCs provide access to many databases, the most popular being the Ebsco series. Here is the usage for December 2017. Databases can be accessed remotely as well as on campuses, using a library card.

Distance Learning



Distance Learning staff are working diligently with faculty to ensure that their course shells are available for the Virtual Learning and Web Enhanced courses for Spring 2018. A course shell is a space on Blackboard that is associated with a specific course and can be used to contain documents.



The School of Continuing Education and Workforce Development

America's Promise Grant: Advance Michigan Catalyst

Dr. John Ray, Terrance Campbell, and Ella Lynch gave a presentation at the Skilled Trade/Catalyst Grant Career Exploration event held at the Michigan Works Wayne Service Center. The goal was to market training opportunities offered through the America's Promise Catalyst Grant. This grant focuses on training individuals in the skilled trades, including advanced manufacturing, robotics/automation, and cybersecurity.



Building Partnerships

Melodie Bunkley and DaShonta Simpkins met with Vista Maria Vice President of Academic Development Programs, Todd Biederwolf, to discuss training opportunities for their student populations. Vista Maria's Mission is to deliver innovative care, support, treatment and education so that vulnerable youth heal, believe in their worth and build skills needed to succeed. We are excited to collaborate on the launch of the Office Support Specialist Certificate as a pilot training in Spring 2018.





Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center Computer Lab Upgrade



Staff from the Division of Information Technology (IT) and Chief Darrick Muhammad met with Infinite Technology to finalize the Video Management System/Camera installation project for the Downriver and Ted Scott campuses. The project is expected to be completed early next week. The initial assessment for the camera expansion project has been completed at the Northwest Campus.

Campus Support/Software Meeting

Information Technology Software Asset Management and Campus Support teams held a "Semester Readiness" meeting in preparation for Spring 2018. Technicians confirmed that classrooms, Learning Centers, and Learning Resource Centers have up-to-date technology resources for faculty, staff, and students.



Smart Technology Upgrade Project

Eastern Campus

- ✓ Smart projector installation is 100% complete
- ✓ Wiring is 50% complete

Northwest Campus

- ✓ Technical walkthrough complete
- ✓ Smart projector installation is 15% complete

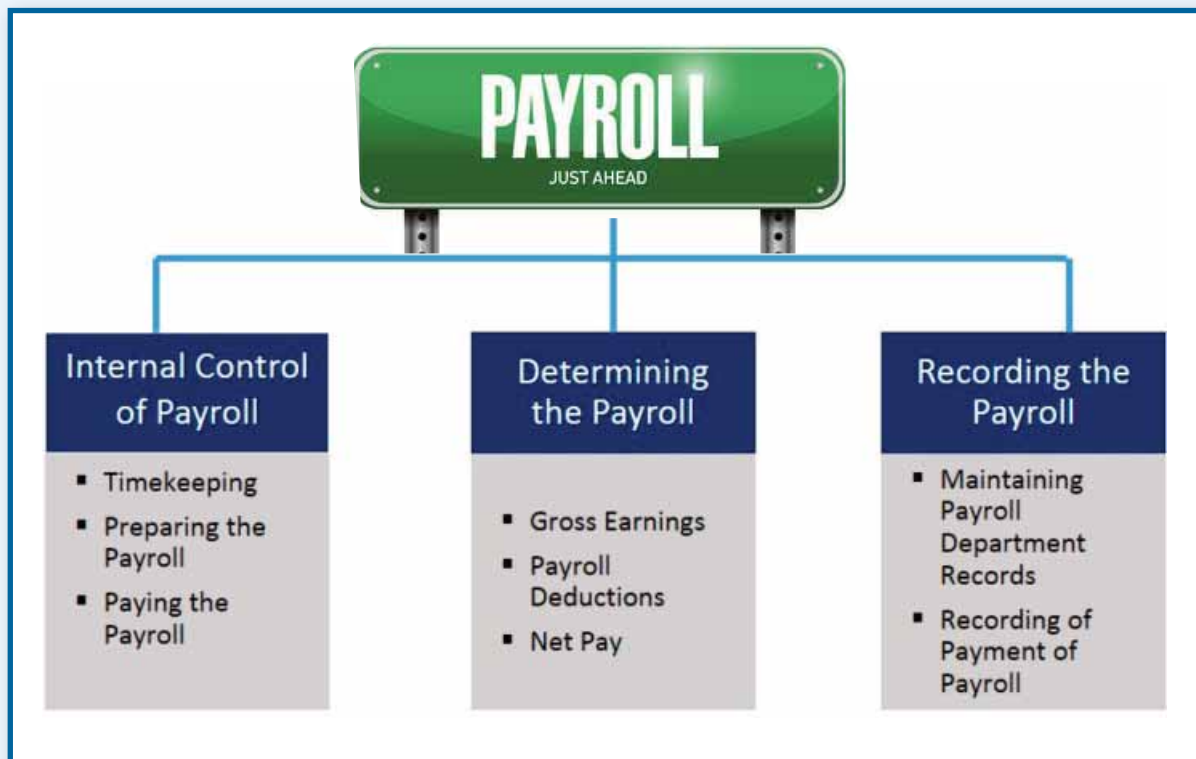




Division of Administration and Finance

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Internal Control Procedures in Payroll



The Payroll Department works diligently to adhere to internal controls when recording, preparing and distributing payroll. Having proper procedures in place protects the District by reducing the risk of fraud and eliminating errors.



District Police Authority Homeland Security Training

Members of the District Police Authority participated in a law enforcement and deterrence of terrorist acts training at the Eastern Campus conducted by the U. S. Department of Homeland Security.



Division of Administration and Finance

Deferred Maintenance



Downriver Campus
Restroom Renovation



Downtown Campus
Ceiling Tile Repairs



Downriver Campus
Student Learning
Furniture Installation

Division of Human Resources



Human Resource Year-end Compliance

The Division of Human Resources (HR) is currently reviewing all employee files to ensure that all faculty and staff possess the academic credentials, certifications, training, and experience to meet or exceed the requirements of the District, accrediting bodies, as well as, state and federal agencies. In order to maintain strict compliance on this, HR in collaboration with the Division of Educational Affairs and the Office of Accountability, is conducting a 2017 year-end file compliance review and audit which entails the following:

- ❖ File Tracking
- ❖ Official/updated transcripts
- ❖ Job descriptions
- ❖ Current personal information
- ❖ W-9 Form
- ❖ Certifications/re-certifications
- ❖ Licenses
- ❖ Web-time
- ❖ I-9 compliance



If your contact information has changed, don't forget to let us know!

Staff Pay Dates for First Quarter 2018

- January 12, 2018
- January 26, 2018
- February 9, 2018
- February 23, 2018
- March 9, 2018
- March 23, 2018

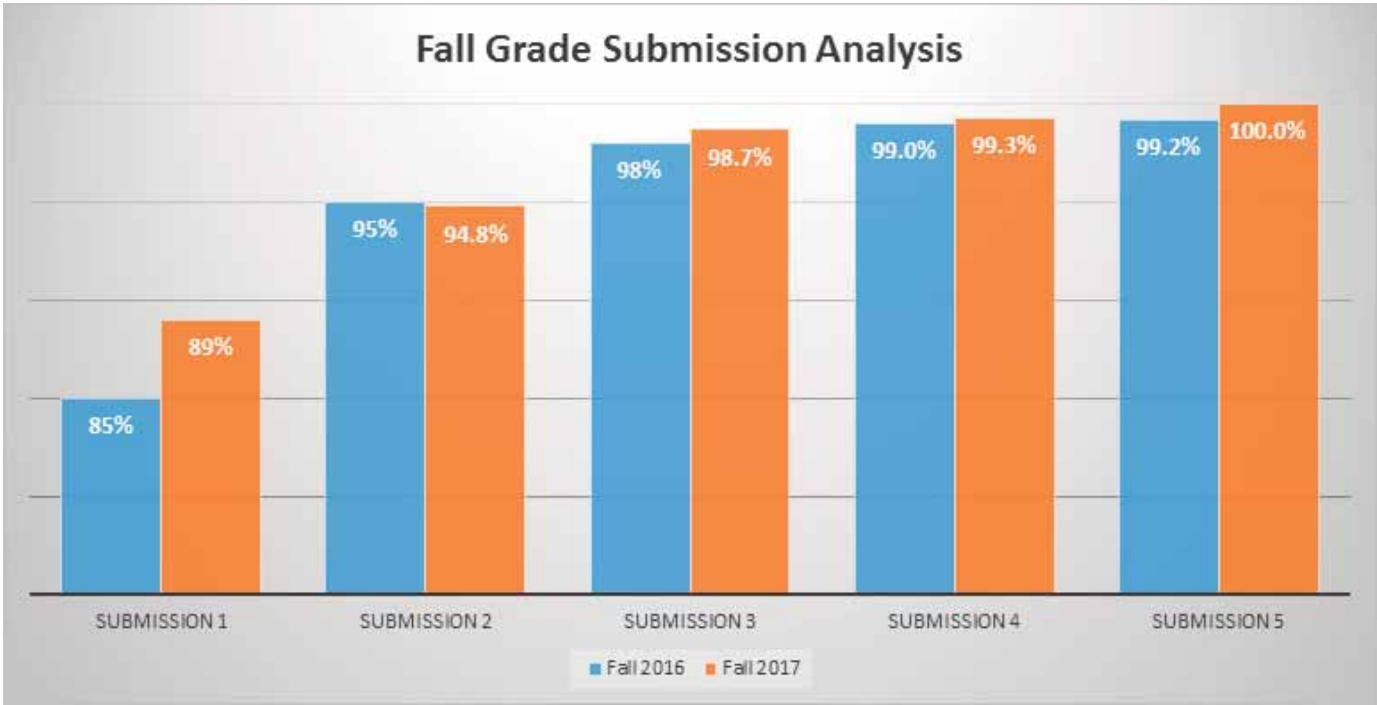


Office of Accountability and Transparency

Continuous Quality Improvement

Fall 2016 – 2017 Grade Submission Trend Analysis

Detailed below is the grade submission report analysis for Fall 2016 and Fall 2017. The Office of Accountability and Transparency has been closely monitoring the grade submission data to evaluate trends and grade compliance.





Website Fast Facts

The WCCCD website had 55,132 page views for the week of December 27, 2017 to January 2, 2018!

- Returning Visitors – 58.6%
- New Visitors – 41.4%
- Average Session – 3:42 Minutes



Phishing attacks often use fake URLs to make you think that you are on a different site than the one you are on. URLs, such as “http://subdomain.domain.com/folder/page.html”, are comprised of specific parts: the protocol (“http://”), the domain (“subdomain.domain.com”), directories (“/folder/”) and finally a page (“page.html”). The domain is the part of the URL that you must pay attention to and it is only the part after the “http://” and before the first forward slash (“/”). “http://www.bank.com” is a domain on “bank.com,” but “http://wwwbank.com” and “http://www.bank.co/m” are both entirely different domains. Many organizations are moving to a secure domain structure. HTTPS: indicates that the URL is using proper encryption to protect users and the organization. Try to always use HTTPS if possible.

<https://inspiredelearning.com/resource/security-awareness-tip-day/>



Edward Clemente



WCCCD's fourth podcast is now available on the District's website at <http://www.wcccd.edu/Video/videos.html>.



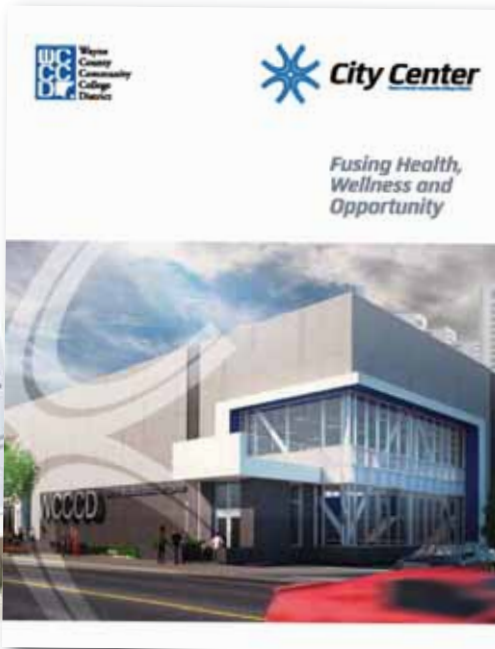
Information Technology Institute

Continuing to Recruit for Spring 2018!

The Information Technology Institute set up a table displaying information on CIS programs offered throughout the District. Staff was on hand to answer questions and assist in recruitment efforts.



New Publications Available on our Website!
Check them out at www.wcccd.edu!





The Heinz C. Prechter Educational and Performing Arts Center hosted the Taylor School District Band and Choir Holiday Concerts.



MULTI-CAMPUS DISTRICT

Downriver Campus

Wayne County Sheriff's Department Graduation Ceremony

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The Downriver Campus hosted the Wayne County Sheriff Correction Officers Graduation Ceremony.





MULTI-CAMPUS DISTRICT

Downtown Campus

Registration Continues!

Students continue to register for Spring 2018 classes at the Downtown Campus.





MULTI-CAMPUS DISTRICT

Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center



Community Outreach

Denis Karic represented the District at the Grosse Pointe Health Alliance strategic planning session. Members were guided through the process of making community health goals and objectives for the next three-five years.

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Student Beautifies Campus

WCCCD student Crystal Williamson showcased her work by creating a window art display at the Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center for the holiday season.





MULTI-CAMPUS DISTRICT

Northwest Campus

Early Childhood Education

Dr. Charmaine Johnson, Early Childhood Education Instructor and her students attended a Kiddynamics workshop. Participants were introduced to basic personal finance and economic concepts, such as scarcity, choice, goods, services, saving, spending, and banks. Students explored these concepts through popular children's literature to reinforce reading fluency.



Clinical Student Learning

Elizabeth Schaifer, Psychiatric Clinical Nursing Instructor and her students went on a field trip to the Holocaust Memorial Museum. Participants participated in a guided tour through various stations that contained history and exhibitions of the Jewish holocaust experience.





MULTI-CAMPUS DISTRICT

Ted Scott Campus

The Personal Touch

Staff from the Ted Scott Campus worked with students to assist them in registering for Spring 2018 classes.



Partnership Opportunities

Mike Dotson and Cecile Taylor met with Patty Braden, Library Director of the Romulus Public Library, to review resources available to WCCCD students. They also discussed plans for upcoming continuing education workshops.

NEW PROGRAM BANNERS AT THE CAMPUSES!



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Thank you from The Development Office of Scholarships & Giving

For Your Continued Support of our Students.

Your contributions go directly to student scholarships.
Learn more about opportunities to give and other philanthropic programs
as we kick-off our 2018 giving season. Visit us at www.wcccd.edu.





Intercultural Conversations

This week's conversation focused on the celebration of Christmas and the true meaning of giving. The participants brought various gifts for the Solanus Casey Center in Detroit. Ed Conlin from the Center shared on his ministry to the homeless and those challenged by various addictions.



January 2018 Schedule



January 12, 2018

12:30 - 1:30 pm – District Office Building
Pelham Room 5th Floor

January 19, 2018

12:30 - 1:30 pm – District Office Building
Pelham Room 5th Floor

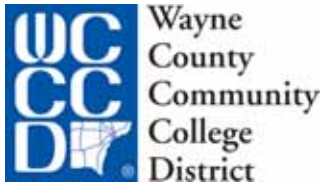
January 24, 2018

9:00 -10:00 am Ted Scott Campus

January 26, 2018

12:30 pm -1:30pm – District Office Building
Pelham Room 5th Floor

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Mission

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

Vision Statement

Wayne County Community College District will be recognized as an institution that has achieved national and international recognition for enduring excellence as a comprehensive multi-campus community college district. WCCCD will focus on continuous self-evaluation and improvement; preparation of a highly skilled workforce in support of the Wayne County economy; student academic and career success, and leadership in strengthening the open door philosophy of educational opportunity.

SEVEN LOCATIONS • ONE COLLEGE DISTRICT



DOWNRIVER CAMPUS



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