Back On Campus!

After: 532 Days
(1 Year, 5 Months, 14 Days)

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Important Announcements, Events, News & More!
Want to place an announcement or something you wish to share next month?
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Back On Campus
17 Long Months...

After One year, five months, and fourteen days (but who's counting), Northwestern has reopened it’s doors to all students after the campus was closed to the public on that faithful day of March 12, 2020 due to the Covid-19 Coronavirus Pandemic. We are glad to be back!

“It’s a joy to see the campus come alive after so many months of remote learning. The Library is buzzing with activity as we begin the new semester. The fresh start has been good for everyone.”

-James Patterson
Director of Library Services
NCCC is the #1
the Highest Ranked Community College in CT for the 6th Year in a Row!

“Six years in a row is certainly something to be proud of. The people of Northwest Connecticut have always known how great a value we are, as an economic development engine of this region, but it is always good to get confirmation from the outside. I am also pleased that Connecticut Community College System has been ranked collectively as number 6 nationally. Credit, as always, goes to you all, who work so hard every day to improve our students’ lives and success. Congratulations everyone. Be very proud of what you all do every day!”

-Dr. Michael Rooke,
President of Northwestern Connecticut Community College

U-PASS @ NORTHWESTERN
Get your U-Pass at the Library,
in the student activities office (GW110),
or the Cashiers Office (GW 2nd Floor)

Who is eligible?
The U-Pass is available to both full- and part-time credit undergraduate students taking at least one class per semester on campus at the participating colleges and universities. All students taking on-ground or online may obtain a pass. Senior Citizens and High School Partnership students are not eligible.

For how long is the pass effective?

For more information: https://www.nwcc.edu/upass/
Library Services

NCCC library is now open for students, faculty and staff! Masks are required

New to the NCCC Library?
To learn about library services, please check our homepage - https://www.nwcc.edu/library/.

In addition, visit the library for:
- Student ID cards
- Research and reference assistance
- Computer lab Group study rooms including Think Tank
- Phone charging station
- Self-service scanning, printing

Library Hours:
Monday - Wednesday 8:30 am - 8:00 pm
Thursday & Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

We continue to support you virtually through the following services in addition to our on-ground services!

September Library Display Case
featuring Library Services - what NCCC Library can offer you
Come and take a look!
Student Emergency Fund

We are Here to Help!

The Northwestern Student Emergency Fund (NSEF) was established to provide a source of funds for current and enrolled NCCC students who encounter unexpected emergency expenses, which fall within the parameters of eligibility. Students should contact Dr. Ruth Gonzalez, Director of Student Development prior to applying for funds.

Founder's Hall Gallery

Featuring Work By: Sarah Patterson

The Founder's Gallery will be open to the campus community (Faculty, Staff, and Students)! Watch for upcoming details on Exhibits and Virtual conversations with the artists.

September 13th: Second Nature - One Hundred Days of Drawing and Writing by Sarah Kim Patterson
Federal Work Study
Looking for a campus job?

The Office of Financial Aid at Northwestern Connecticut Community College offers student employment opportunities for students qualifying for the federal work-study program. Eligible students may work up to 20 hours per week on campus, at an hourly rate of $13.

Who qualifies?

- Students with financial need (typically those who receive a Pell grant)
- Students registered for a minimum of six credits and are in good academic standing

To apply for an on-campus student employment position, please fill out an application via https://www.nwcc.edu/financial-aid/student-employment/. If eligible, you will be contacted by a staff member in the office of financial aid. For further questions, please email NW-finaid@nwcc.edu.

Students of Color Alliance
JOIN US!

Purpose: This group is about creating a space where we can share and learn about current realities, historical events, racism, barriers and the accomplishments of People of Color, especially in education. We welcome students of any background who want to grow their perception, engage in meaningful conversations, and create an awareness on campus by holding cultural events/activities.

Day/Time of Meetings: TBA
Contact: ksmith2@nwcc.edu
Vaccination Status Self Attestation

All students must complete this online form

The Board of Regents voted in June 2021 to require all students who participate in on-campus activities this fall to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. That means if you plan on attending class or extracurricular activities in-person, you must first get vaccinated.

The vaccines that are currently authorized in the United States are safe, highly effective, and critical to resuming normal operations at our campuses this fall.

Peer2Peer

A peer mentoring program offered to 1st year students

NCCC’s peer mentoring program, Peer2Peer, partners you with a peer mentor to help you adjust to college life. Peer mentors are students just like you! They are either second or third year students, or are alumni of Northwestern who have continued on in their college education. All peer mentors have completed training and are excited to help you Be Successful! Together you’ll navigate your first year at Northwestern.

Deadline to apply is September 17th, 2021

For more information contact Susan Dichter sdichter@nwcc.edu, Jessie DePonte jdeponte@nwcc.edu or Jane O’Grady jogrady@nwcc.edu.
Outdoor Adventure Club
Join Us!

The NCCC 2021-2022 Outdoor Adventure Club is forming. If you are interested in socializing with other students outside in the fresh air while hiking, rock climbing, snowshoeing, skiing, rafting, zip lining, or even carving pumpkins, then this club is for you! The activities and schedule are determined by the club members. All members choose to participate individually at the level they feel comfortable and are supported in their goals and efforts!

If you are interested in joining, or for more information, please email the faculty advisor, Melissa Bettigole, mbettigole@nwcc.edu.

NCCC Student Senate
Join Us!

Join the Student Senate!
- Meets every Tuesday at 12 noon in GW110
- Helps organize campus-wide events
- Sponsors clubs and activities
- Determines use of the Student Activity Fund
- Voice of the Student Body

Interested? Contact Andrew Wetmore, Director of Student Activities at 860-738-6344 or awetmore@nwcc.edu

Senator’s Receive a $250.00 Semester Stipend!