Warsaw Campus 52 Campus Drive Warsaw, VA (804) 333-6700



Glenns, VA (804) 758-6700

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Student Engagement Newsletter

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March 2023

Board games, card games, PlayStation and more!

Snacks and drinks provided

GAME NIGH

Sponsored by RCC Student Activities.

March 8

Warsaw Student Lounge

March 21

Glenns Student Lounge

4:30 pm to 6:30 pm

4:30 pm to 6:30 pm

For more information

email Studentactivities@rappahannock.edu

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Important Dates

<u>15 week</u>

Feb. 25 - Scholarship Application Closes

March 13-18- Spring Break/College Open/No Classes

March 27 - Last Day to Withdraw

March 31 - 2023 Spring Graduation Application Due

May 1 - Classes end

May 2-5, and 8 - Exams

<u>8-Week 1</u>

February 15 - Last day to withdraw

March 8 - Classes end

March 31 - 2023 Spring Graduation Application Due

<u>8-Week 2</u>

March 23 - Last day to add/last day to drop w/refund

March 31 - 2023 Spring Graduation Application Due

April 17 - Last say to withdraw

May 8 - Classes end

IDEAL Award Nominations

Nominations are open for the annual IDEAL award!

The annual IDEAL awards are for employees who exemplify the Colleges values of integrity, diversity, and inclusion, excellence, access, and learning for life through performance and service and who exceptional professional accomplishments, contributions, and activates support the mission of the College and the Virginia Community College system, promote a rigorous learning environment and demonstrate extortionary talent.

The award was created to honor outstanding college employees who exemplify the college values of integrity , Diversity, and Inclusion, Excellence, Access, Learning for Life (IDEAL). All employees, both faculty and staff, are eligible.

You can find more Information

https://www.rappahannock.edu/ awards-program

Please submit nominations by Friday, March 31.

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Glenns Campus 804-758-6726

Monday:	9:00am – 6:00pm
Tuesday:	9:00am – 6:00pm

 Wednesday:
 9:00am - 6:00pm

 Thursday:
 9:00am - 6:00pm

 Friday:
 9:00am - 12:00pm

Warsaw Campus 804-333-6794

 Monday:
 2:00pm - 6:00pm

 Tuesday:
 9:00am - 2:00pm

 Wednesday:
 2:00pm - 6:00pm

 Thursday:
 9:00am - 2:00pm

 Friday:
 Closed

Using Financial Aid in the Bookstore

** 15 Week, 8 Week 1 Spring 2023 sessions

Dates: JAN. 4th – FEB. 2nd Last Day for Refund Feb. 2nd

Computer Order Dates: ASAP and no later than Jan. 26th

** 8 Week-2 – Spring 2023 sessions

Dates: March 9th – March 20th Last Day for Refund March 20th No Computer Ordering

HOW TO ORDER BOOKS ONLINE

a. Go to https://www.rappahannockshop.com

- Fastest Delivery is direct home delivery.
- May have orders shipped to campus
 - <u>MUST</u> note the preferred campus location pick-up in the Customer Comment section of your online order.
 - NOTE: If preferred campus pick-up location is not listed in customer comment <u>ALL items</u> will be shipped to the Glenns Campus.

Once your order has been placed, please <u>allow 48 hours for processing *wait for confirmation that your order is ready for pickup before coming* to the campus.</u>

WARSAW STUDENTS - Please call before coming to pick-up package. 804-333-6794

<u>REFUNDS</u>:

ONLY AVAILABLE <u>through the last date to drop classes with a refund from the college</u>. Consult your packing slip that will be received with your order for more details about the return policy. **RE-FER WEB ORDER QUESTIONS TO:** Robin Charnick, Bookstore Manager 804-758-2099

NURSING STUDENTS: Place Web Orders for Kaplan when they are ready for purchasing. Instructors/Advisors will let you know when. Please make sure you are ordering the correct Kaplan.

Where to Place Order: rappahannockshop.com

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Job Opportunities



WE'RE HIRING!

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROFESSIONALS

Come join the BGCVP Team!

Looking for fun yet impactful work? Looking to make a difference? Look no further! Boys & Girls Clubs of the Virginia Peninsula is looking for hard working and professional individuals to work in our Clubs.

If this sounds like you, email your resume to BGCVP Director of Staff Development, Chanda Bowie at <u>cbowie@bagclub.com</u> today.



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF THE VIRGINIA PENINSULA \$15 /hr Part-Time

Tuition Assistance Available!

FUN & DYNAMIC Work

Several Locations Available

> Must be 21 Years of Age

BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF THE VIRGINIA PENINSULA

11825 Rock Landing Drive, Chesapeake Building Newport News, VA 23606

(757) 223- 7204 cbowie@bagclub.com www.bagclub.com

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Study Buddies is here!

What is Study Buddies?

Navigate's online tool to help you connect with classmates and study partners!

Register for Study Buddies:

- Download the free Navigate app in the App Store or Google Play by searching "Navigate Student."
- Open the Navigate Student app, select Rappahannock Community College, enter your myRCC credentials.
- Follow the directions to complete set up. Scroll down to "Explore" and select "Study Buddies."

Your classes will be listed. Each class shows how many students are already in a study group. You will either join an existing group or start one.

If you need help connecting with Study Buddies, email studenthelpdesk@rappahannock.edu.

MAKE IT A GREAT SEMESTER! Students who study in groups learn 2.5 times more than those who study alone!



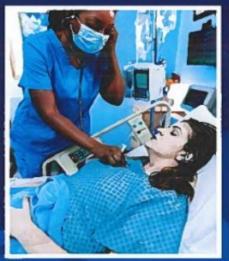
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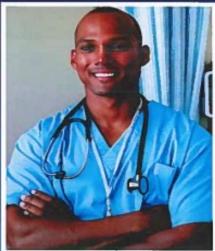


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Are you looking for a job where you can put your nursing skills to use?

Plan to attend RCC's Nursing Career Fair







March 22 1 pm to 5 pm Warsaw campus March 23 1 pm to 5 pm Glenns campus

For more information, contact Tyhesha Smith, 804-333-6734, or email tsmith@rappahannock.edu



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Put your passion to work!

INTERNSHIP

- \$18.25/Hour
- 10-Week Program
- Full-Time & In-Person
- One-on-One Mentorship
- All Majors Welcome (Yep, even ones that don't scream science.)
- You've got what VDH needs to help protect and promote the health of Virginians this summer.



Apply today!

Scan code or go online: vdh.virginia.gov/internships



VDH celebrates diversity as a proud EOE/Disabled/Veterans/LGBTQ employer.

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The Affordable Connectivity Program

Provides eligible households with a discount on broadband service and connected devices. Anyone receiving a Federal Pell Grant during the current award year qualifies. Call 877-384-2575

https://www.fcc.gov/acp

The Benefit provides:

- ⇒ Up to \$30/month discount for internet service
- ⇒ Up to \$75/month discount for households on qualifying tribal lands
- ⇒ A one-time discount of up to \$100 for a laptop, desktop computer, or tablet purchased through a participating provider.



RCC is providing an additional \$250 grant per semester to students whose households are participating in the FCC's Affordable Connectivity Program.

(https://www.affordableconnectivity.gov/)

The grant will be applied to a student's account. RCC anticipates funds to be available for spring and fall 2023 or until budget is exhausted.

To receive the grant, complete the following survey by March 27, 2023 and upload a copy of a recent cable bill for a student's primary residence that indicates participation (credit reflected) in the ACP program.



Scan for survey or log onto https://forms.gle/z9ntbDCtYLH8nXPz9





Provides shelter and services

The haven is committed to preventing and eliminating all types of domestic violence and sexual violence. Support is available in the following counties: <u>Westmoreland, Richmond, Essex,</u> <u>Lancaster, and Northumberland</u>

For more information visit <u>https://www.havenshelter.org</u>

24/7 Confidential Hotline: 1-800-22HAVEN(4236)

Do you have health insurance? If not, the Gloucester Mathews Care Clinic is here for you. GMCC provides integrated health care for uninsured and Medicaid patients at little to NO cost. That means our doctors and nurses, pharmacy, dental clinic, and mental health care providers are all under one roof. Please give us a call at (804)210-1368 or visit gmcareclinic.com/patients to learn more about how to become a patient at GMCC.



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What is TimelyCare?

Access to 24/7 mental health support for all VCCS students.

Who can use TimelyCare?

Any enrolled VCCS student can use TimelyCare.

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What can I be treated for?

Our counselors can treat/discuss a wide range of common conditions, and after talking to you, will decide on the best course of treatment.

Some common presenting issues are: stress and anxiety, relationships, and depression.

How much does a visit cost?

There is no cost to enrolled VCCS students.

I already have insurance and a primary provider, how does TimelyCare benefit me?

With TimelyCare, you will have free, 24/7 access to counselors from anywhere in the United States, so you'll never have to spend time or money looking for resources when you're away from home or campus.

Can I get a prescription?

Yes, if the provider deems it clinically appropriate.



Visit timelycare.com/vccs for additional information.

What services are available?

TalkNow visits (24/7 mental health support) and Scheduled Counseling visits (3 per year, starting January 3, 2022) are available at no cost.

How do I log in?

Go to **timelycare.com/vccs** and follow the prompts.

*Mobile users will be directed to download the TimelyCare app.

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2023-2024 Virginia Space Grant Consortium **Community College STEM Scholarships**

The Virginia Space Grant Consortium (VSGC) is a coalition of five Virginia colleges and universities, NASA, state educational agencies and other institutions representing diverse STEM education and research. VSGC offers a wide range of student opportunities including fellowships, scholarships, internships, research experiences, and student flight projects.

Scholarships

The Virginia Space Grant Consortium (VSGC) offers \$2,000 scholarships to community college students majoring in STEM disciplines (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math).

How to apply

For more information, and to complete the online application for 2023-2024 please contact Joyce Kuberek at: jkuberek@odu.edu or visit: https:// vsqc.odu.edu/ communitycollegescholarships/

Eligibility

- U.S. citizen
- · Enrolled full-time during the award period
- in a Virginia Community College Have completed at least one semester of coursework (minimum 9 credit hours) at
- the time of application • Must be majoring in a STEM program
- · Grade point average of at least 3.0
- · Must be graduating in May of 2024 or later

Allied Health Science majors are not eligible for this scholarship

Deadline

March 10, 2023





Virginia Space Grant Consortium • 600 Butler Farm Road, Suite 2253 Hampton, Virginia 23666 · vsgc.odu.edu · Phone: 757.766.5210

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Students! Are you Interested in joining clubs at RCC?

If so please fill out the link below to show any interest

<u>OR</u>

If you have your own idea of what you would like to have at RCC.

https://docs.google.com/forms/ d/19UiZXOn1UsjVwyyKYPIdaQl0_qBkqCPmIZ-24VIN5M/edit?usp=drivesdk





Do you like writing and editing?

Want to add to your resume? RCC is looking for volunteer editors to help run a student academic journal. On campus students and online students are welcome!

Duties could potentially include:

- Contacting student writers and working with them to edit their submissions
- Designing the journal layout
- Promoting the journal for submissions

If you are interested, please contact: Professor Amber Dinquel <u>adinquel@rappahannock.edu</u>

We are aiming for a late Spring 2023 release for our first edition

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Thrive Virginia will be providing supplemental meals during spring, summer, winter, and Thanksgiving breaks. You may know persons who may benefit with additional access to food for their families. **Please share the following link to those who may benefit from this service:**

https://customervoice.microsoft.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx? id=ef_1vww33EKB3eDKYN1ufLsNfyhf53FMiKqPo5sIgdRUNUVJSU9VWFI3NVJTUVVGNEtMVVdTT01DWC4

SQUALL'S STALL

NOW OPEN

RCC Food Pantry

WARSAW & GLENNS CAMPUSES

Open to RCC students, faculty and employees.

Fresh, frozen, non-perishable food items and personal hygiene items are available.



To schedule a food pantry request, email foodpantry@rappahannock.edu or scan code.

Include:

· Name, phone#, ID# (if applicable)

- · Number of persons in your household (adults and children)
- Known food allergies
- · Preferred campus (Warsaw or Glenns)

NO PERSONAL INFORMATION IS RETAINED



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If you need food assistance, please visit one of the pantries listed below.

Pantry	Service Area	Address	Number	Distribution
Tappahannock 7th Day Adventist	ESSEX	1683 Tappahannock Blvd. Tappahannock, VA	443-5085	Wednesdays 12-3PM
Holy Tabernacle of God	LANCASTER	2445 Merry Point Rd. Lancaster, VA	462-0056	3rd Tuesday 1-3PM
Upper Lancaster Community Food Pantry	LANCASTER	8484 Mary Ball Rd. Lancaster, VA	462-5908	2nd Thursday 2-6PM
White Stone Baptist	LANCASTER	549 Chesapeake Dr. White Stone, VA	435-1413	Tuesdays 1-3PM (only one visit per month)
Kilmarnock Baptist	LANCASTER & NORTHUMBERLAND	65 E. Church St. Kilmarnock, VA	435-1703	3rd Wednesday 1-4PM
White Stone Church of the Nazarene	LANCASTER & NORTHUMBERLAND	57 Whisk Dr., White Stone, VA	435-9886	2nd Saturday 8-10AM
Wicomico United Methodist	LANCASTER & NORTHUMBERLAND	5060 Jessie DuPont Memorial Hwy. Wicomico Church, VA	436-4252	3rd Wednesday 3-5PM
Clarksbury United Methodist	MIDDLESEX	15924 Gen. Puller Hwy, Deltaville, VA	776-6060	1st Saturday 9-11AM
Hands Across Middlesex	MIDDLESEX	7485 Gen. Puller Hwy, Locust Hill, VA	758-2044	2nd Tuesday 10AM-4PM 3rd Saturday 9AM-12PM 4th Tuesday 10AM-7PM
Union Shiloh Baptist	MIDDLESEX	Rt. 17, Jamaica, VA	758-4865	1st Tuesday 8:30-10:30AM
Gleamers and Blenders	NORTHUMBERLAND	16097 Nbland Hwy. Burgess, VA	761-7783	2nd, 3rd & 4 th Thursday 10AM-12PM
Melrose United Methodist	NORTHUMBERLAND	1317 Lewisetta Rd. Lottsburg, VA	529-6344	3rd Saturday 9-11AM
Callao Rescue Squad	NORTHUMBERLAND	1348 Northumberland Hwy. Callao, VA	529-6630	4th Sunday 2-4PM
Bethany Baptist	RICHMOND WESTMORELAND NORTHUMBERLAND	16256 Richmond Rd. Callao, VA	529-6890	3rd Friday 9-11AM
Farnham Baptist	RICHMOND & UPPER LANCASTER	4632 Farnham Creek Rd., Farnham VA	394-9630	2nd Tuesday 1-3PM
Emmanuel Christian Fellowship	RICHMOND & WESTMORELAND	440 Emmanuel Church Rd. Warsaw, VA	313-2022	4th Saturday 9:30-11:30 AM
Warsaw United Methodist	RICHMOND & WESTMORELAND	287 Main St. Warsaw, VA	333-3220	The Friday after the 1st Thursday 8AM-12PM
Colonial Beach Baptist	WESTMORELAND	10 Garfield Avenue	224-7555	Every Thursday 10AM- 12PM
Ebenezer Church	WESTMORELAND	144 Ebenezer Church Rd. Oldhams, VA	472-4642	3rd Saturday 9-11AM
Little Zion Baptist Food Pantry	WESTMORELAND	7748 Leedstown Rd. Oak Grove, VA	224-0418	3rd Saturday 9-10:30AM
Oak Grove Baptist Church	WESTMORELAND	8096 Leedstown Rd. Colonial Beach, VA	224-9695	1st Sunday 1-3PM
St. James Episcopal	WESTMORELAND	15870 King's Hwy. Montross, VA	493-8285	2nd Saturday 9-12PM
St. Mary's Episcopal	WESTMORELAND	203 Dennison St. Colonial Beach, VA	224-7186	2nd & 4th Monday 10AM- 12PM