



Welcome to the fall semester!

"The meaning of life is to find your gift. The purpose of life is to give it away." Picasso

This fall marks our 5th anniversary as an official campus and my appreciation goes out to each and every one of you for all you've given to our students and our community! Our growth to over 3,000 students has been a team effort, going all the way back to the launch of community college services in 2003 through to the present. Now, we are a robust campus! I was struck with how far we've come as I was watching all of the activity as students moved between our classroom buildings.

Of course, it's what transpires inside our classrooms that is the real reason we're here. Education is our primary responsibility. Faculty engage, challenge, encourage, correct, inspire and support our students every day as everyone works towards the common goal of educating and training York's 21st century workforce. It's an awesome responsibility and you do it with energy and enthusiasm. Thanks!

Each year we urge our students to get involved and try new things, but we are well advised to do the same. The professional development activities offered by HR and faculty CITE sessions are valuable and career enhancing. Wellness activities are a great way to get in shape, promote good health and stay connected to our coworkers. Our semester schedule of Lunch & Learn lectures are worthwhile and inspirational. Everyone who heard Severin Fayerman, a holocaust survivor, speak last year was profoundly impacted. Organize, support and participate in what that we have to offer this semester.

A wonderful richness has developed at HACC York and it will continue to flourish in the coming years!

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York Campus CITE Opportunity

Office of Disability Services Q & A
Lori Shoemaker, Disabilities Services Coordinator
12:30-1:30 PM Leader 135

Lori Shoemaker, Disability Services Coordinator, will tell you everything you need to know to work with students with all types of disabilities. Come learn what the Office of Disability Services can do for you-not just your students! If you have ever wondered: What do the laws mean for me as an instructor? What are HACC's Policies and Procedures for working with disabled students? A student just gave me a blue sheet... now what? Or any other questions regarding Disability Services... this workshop is for you. Please come with questions or "what if" scenarios.

Register at: <http://www.hacc.edu/FacultyandStaffDevelopment/index.cfm>

WELCOME BACK FROM THE LEARNING CENTER!

Welcome back, everyone! Just a quick reminder that there is FREE tutoring available to all HACC students through our Learning and Writing Centers. Both centers are staffed with professional (mostly faculty) and peer tutors.

The Learning Center, in Leader 103, offers tutoring in all levels of math, accounting, biology, chemistry, A&P, CIS, and dosage calculations. If you have specific questions regarding the Learning Center and our FREE WORKSHOPS, contact Dan Houloose, dshouloo@hacc.edu. The Writing Center, in Cytec 108, offers tutoring in all levels of English (ESL, reading, and writing), as well as psychology, sociology, speech, and Spanish. Most of our writing tutors will help with writing assignments in any discipline. Contact Rocky Allinger at cralling@hacc.edu for specifics.

Also, if you have or know of any students who would make great tutors, please send them to us to fill out an application. And if there is anything you would like us to do or do better, don't hesitate to stop by Leader 103 and talk to Cathy Rosenkrans, Director of the Office for Academic Success at the York Campus, or email her at cwrosenk@hacc.edu.

And if you have a student who needs to take a make-up exam for your class, fill out a Test Request Form (located on our website at <http://hacc.edu/York/York-Test-Center.cfm>, in the faculty bays, or in the Test Center, Leader 103) and return it and your test to the Test Center. Please contact Randa Moulden (rlmoulde@hacc.edu) if you need to email a test or if you have any questions or concerns.

Have a great semester!

COLLEGE WIDE WELLNESS PROGRAM KICKS OFF AT THE YORK CAMPUS



Yoga demonstration by Barb Schmid (not in photo), Michele Wherley (left), Sara Shaw (center), and David Satterlee, right.

HACC Academy Welcomes Students To New Automotive and Health Care Labs

HACC Academy Automotive Instructor, Chad Fadely, has spent the summer coordinating renovations in the Goodling building for a fully functioning automotive lab (Room 124). This year, HACC Academy introduces a cutting edge training facility for students that includes four vehicle lifts, an air compressor, and a new scan tool for vehicle diagnostics. A new wide access door was also installed in the lab for vehicles to enter/exit the building. Chad's motto is: *"Success doesn't come to you ... you go to it."* He plans to instill this principle as students from Central, Dallastown, Red Lion, and West York high schools join him to "jumpstart" their careers beginning 9/10/12.



Cindy Donell, HACC York's Director of Nursing Programs, also spent a good part of her summer overseeing the installation of a state-of-the-art Health Care lab in the Goodling building (Room 122). HACC Academy Nurse Aide students will utilize the lab as part of their training experience which culminates in the National Nurse Aide Assessment Program (NNAAP) Competency Exam. Recently, a representative from the PA Dept. of Education inspected the lab without recommendation. Cindy Donell shares: *"She was wowed when she saw what the area looked like and the transformation that occurred to make it into the professional teaching area that exists now ... she made a comment about the commitment that it shows HACC has to improving the lives of our students through education."* HACC Academy Nurse Aide training begins 9/10/12 with students representing Central, Dallastown, Red Lion, West York and York Suburban high schools.

