First Year Experience Center  
*For more information, contact First Year Experience @ 486-2170*

**Office Hours:**
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 8:00am – 5:00pm  
Wednesday: 8:00am – 7:00pm  
Friday: 8am – 5:00pm  
Saturday: 9:00am – 1:00pm (First Saturday of the month only)

**Location:** MLK – Norris Technical Building, room 100  
SWC - Bldg 1-B172

**Flex II Registration:**
Students between 0-30 earned credit hours must see an FYE Advisor for advising services.

**MyMAP Assistance:**
MLK - NTB 305  
SWC – Bldg. 1 –B172

Graduation Specialists  
*For more information, contact Christina Cortez @ 486-2894*

**January Office Hours:**
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 8:00am – 5:00pm  
Wednesday: 8:00am – 7:00pm  
Friday: 8am – 5:00pm  
Saturday: 9:00am – 1:00pm (First Saturday of the month only)

**Location:** MLK - Welcome Center SWC-Bldg. 1-B172

**Flex II Registration:**
Students with 30+ credits must be seen by a Graduation Specialist in the Welcome Center for advising services.

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**Spring 2013 Registration/Payment Schedule**

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ANY UNPAID TUITION AND FEE BALANCE MAY RESULT IN STUDENTS BEING DROPPED FROM ALL COURSES.

***Same Day Pay=Tuition Payment Due Same Day Registration Occurs***  
+Manual Purge, PoTs=Parts of Term; S16=16 Week Term; SFI=Flex I; SII=Start Two; SFII=Flex II
The First Year Experience Center offers special services and assistance to first year students between 0-30 credit hours. Our purpose is to retain participating students beyond their critical first year of college where the majority of drop outs occur. Through extensive one-on-one services, advising, and academic support, we help first-year students adjust to college life and acquire the skills needed to become academically successful.

**INDIVIDUAL SUCCESS PLAN**

Students with 0-30 credit hours earned are required to schedule an appointment with an FYE Advisor based on last name, to complete their Individual Success Plan. The purpose of this plan is to help students decide what classes to take for future semesters.

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Advising Session will include:

- Review registration status/holds/confirm or update major/confirm primary institution/confirm or update contact information
- SDEV course information – (explains why students have to take this course – if applicable)
- Individual Education Success Plan (ISP) for 0-30 hrs/Print ISP/Email ISP
- Printed degree plan
- Advising form for upcoming semester (Advising Form)
- Review academic progress. Provide student with resources and tools for success, if needed
- Provide student success newsletter (depending on availability & optional)
- Discuss 3-Peat Rule
- Discuss 6 Drop Rule
- Provide web registration dates and times for upcoming semester (if available)
- Provide deadlines for, REGISTRATION, PAYMENTS, DROPS, AND FINANCIAL AID

*A good plan is like a road map: it shows the final destination and usually the best way to get there.* – H. Stanley Judd

**LAPTOP LOAN PROGRAM**

The Laptop Loan Program provides students the opportunity to borrow a laptop for a semester. Laptops are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Laptops must be returned by the end of the semester in good condition or a possible fine will be assessed, and a registration hold will be placed on the student's record.

To be placed on the waiting list to borrow a laptop, you must meet the following criteria:

- Must be in your first year of college
- Must be First Year (FY) students if 2nd semester FY student, must have a minimum 2.5 GPA
- Must not have any holds on your students record
- Must be enrolled full-time (12 credit hours)
- Must be cleared by the Learning Resource Center and FYEC departments

**DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 6TH**
Tutoring Services and the Service-Learning Program

For more information, contact Kevin Schantz @ 486-2246.

Assessment Test Preparation (Accuplacer)

- **Monday** February 4 6:00pm – 9:00pm  Bldg. 3 - MDIC 217 (SWC)
- **Wednesday** February 6 9:00am – 12:00pm  Bowden 101 (MLK)
- **Monday** February 11 3:00pm – 6:00pm  Bldg. 3 - MDIC 217 (SWC)
- **Tuesday** February 12 6:00pm – 9:00pm  Bowden 101 (MLK)
- **Wednesday** February 13 9:00am – 12:00pm  Bowden 101 (MLK)
- **Wednesday** February 21 9:00am – 12:00pm  Bowden 101 (MLK)
- **Monday** February 25 6:00pm – 9:00pm  Bldg. 3 - MDIC 217 (SWC)
- **Monday** February 28 3:00pm – 6:00pm  Bowden 101 (MLK)
- **Wednesday** February 27 9:00am – 12:00pm  Bowden 101 (MLK)

Accuplacer Boot Camp (Math)

- February 4 - 7 3:00pm – 6:00pm  Bowden 101 (MLK)
- February 4 - 7 6:00pm – 9:00pm  Bldg. 3 - MDIC 217 (SWC)

Academic Coaching (Study Skills Workshops)

- Time Management  **Monday** February 25 9:00pm – 9:30pm  NTB 401
- Time Management  **Monday** February 25 12:00pm – 12:30pm  NTB 401
- Time Management  **Tuesday** February 26 2:00pm – 2:30pm  NTB 401
- Time Management  **Wednesday** February 27 11:00am – 11:30pm  NTB 401
- Time Management  **Wednesday** February 27 1:00pm – 1:30pm  NTB 401
- Time Management  **Thursday** February 28 10:00am – 1:30pm  NTB 401

(Sessions at the Southwest Campus will be held in conjunction with classroom visits and will be individually scheduled with SWC faculty members.)

Tutoring Services Open House

Date:  **Monday, February 11, 2013**
Time:  10:00am – 2:00pm and 5:00pm – 7:00pm
Location:  The Tutoring and Technology Center (NTB 116)

Service-Learning Information Sessions

- **Monday** February 10 9:00am – 10:00am  NTB 401
- **Tuesday** February 11 12:00pm – 1:00pm  NTB 401
- **Tuesday** February 11 2:00pm – 3:00pm  NTB 401
- **Wednesday** February 12 10:00am – 11:00pm  NTB 401
- **Monday** February 18 11:00pm – 12:00pm  NTB 401
- **Tuesday** February 19 12:00pm – 1:00pm  NTB 401
- **Wednesday** February 20 1:00am – 2:00pm  NTB 401
Graduation Specialists
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ADVISING DAYS
February 27th and 28th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Welcome Center – MLK Campus
February 27th from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. – SW Campus
February 28th from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Building 1, Crossroads - SW Campus

Students who have 31 hours or more are encouraged to visit their advisor to assist with holds, verifying their major, ensuring their primary campus, and other valuable resources.

Extramural Sports Events
For more information, contact John Martin @ 486-2241.

- Feb. 6th. At 6:00 p.m. – Women’s Basketball (NVC at SPC). MLK Campus - Health and Fitness Center
- Feb. 6th. At 6:00 p.m. – Men’s Basketball (NVC at SPC). MLK Campus – Health and Fitness Center
- Feb. 7th. At 7:00 p.m. – Women’s Volleyball Game (NVC at SPC). MLK Campus – Health and Fitness Center
- Feb. 13. At 6:00 p.m. – Women’s Basketball Game (SPC at PAC). Palo Alto College
- Feb. 13th. At 8:00 p.m. – Men’s Basketball Game (SPC at PAC). Palo Alto College
- Feb. 14th. At 7:00 p.m. – Women’s Volleyball Game (SPC at PAC). Palo Alto College
- Feb. 18th. At 8:00 p.m. – Men’s Basketball Game (SPC at Schreiner University). Schreiner University
- Feb. 20th. At 6:00 p.m. – Women’s Basketball Game (SPC at SWT JC). Southwest Texas Junior College
- Feb. 20th. At 8:00 p.m. – Men’s Basketball Game (SPC at SWT JC). Southwest Texas Junior College
- Feb. 21st. At 7:00 p.m. – Women’s Volleyball Game (Trinity University at SPC). MLK Campus – Health and Fitness Center
- Feb. 27th. At 6:00 p.m. – Women’s Basketball Game (University of the Incarnate Word at SPC). MLK Campus – Health and Fitness Center
- Feb. 27th. At 8:00 p.m. – Men’s Basketball Game (University of the Incarnate Word at SPC). MLK Campus – Health and Fitness Center
- Feb. 28th. At 7:00 p.m. – Women’s Volleyball Game (University of the Incarnate Word at SPC). MLK Campus – Health and Fitness Center

African American Male Initiative
For more information, contact John Martin @ 486-2241.

- Feb. 6th. 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. – African American Male Reception. MLK Campus – Morgan Gallery
  This event will welcome our African American Male students to campus, as well as provide helpful information to students and the valuable opportunity for networking.
- Feb. 23rd. 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. – Youth Leadership Conference. Watson Fine Arts Center, Heritage Room, Cafeteria and eight classrooms
  The Saving Our Sons Youth Mentoring Program, sponsored by the African American Men on the Move, will celebrate its’ one year anniversary in January. The Youth Leadership Conference is an expansion of that effort and will highlight the program.
Student Life
For more information, contact Dr. Elizabeth Rockstroh @ 486-2090.

- **February 5th, 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Black History Month Opening Ceremony Artists Reception. MLK Campus – Heritage Room**
  The Opening Ceremony and Reception will kick off the month-long Black History month celebrations and events.

- **February 7th, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Film Showing – Remember the Titans. MLK Campus – Heritage Room.**
  The popular film “Remember the Titans” will be shown in preparation for the President’s Lecture Series speaker Herman Boone on February 12th.

- **February 7th, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Film Showing – Remember the Titans. SW Campus – Cafetorium.**
  The popular film “Remember the Titans” will be shown in preparation for the President’s Lecture Series speaker Herman Boone on February 12th.

- **February 12th, 11:00 a.m. President’s Lecture Series – Herman Boone. MLK Campus – Watson Fine Arts Center**
  Summary: As part of the President’s Lecture Series, Coach Herman Boone will present on respect, teamwork, and community involvement.

- **February 28th, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. 115th Anniversary Celebration. MLK Campus – Heritage Pavilion and Crossroads on the SW Campus**
  Cake and drinks will be served as we celebrate the 115th anniversary of the founding of St. Philip’s College.
  Information on the history of St. Philip’s College will be provided.

**SPIRIT FRIDAYS**

Every Friday at St. Philip’s is Spirit Friday!

Wear your favorite St. Philip’s shirt, or wear the school colors – blue and white. Then stop by the Heritage Pavilion on the MLK Campus or the Crossroads on the SW Campus for FREE refreshments from 11:00am-1:00pm. Prizes will be given out each week to the student showing the most school spirit. Every Friday we will also give out a fun fact about the college. Stop by to show your school support! All students, faculty, and staff welcome!

Student Organizations
For more information, contact John Martin @ 486-2241.

- **Feb. 1st, 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. – Student Senate Meeting. MLK Campus – Pennant Room**
  Representatives from each student organization will come together to discuss upcoming events and issues facing students.

- **Feb. 21st, 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. – Student Senate Meeting. SWC Campus – Room TBD**
  Representatives from each student organization will come together to discuss upcoming events and issues facing students.

- **Feb. 21st, 3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. – Rodeo Fundraiser. SWC Campus – Cafetorium**
  This rodeo-themed event will include a mechanical bull, various food sales and fundraisers by student organizations, and a chili cook-off.
Health Centers

For more information, contact Janet Feathers @ 486-2225.

- **Feb. 1st. All Day – National Wear Red Day. MLK/SW Campus**
  The Heart Truth—a national awareness campaign for women about heart disease—created and introduced the Red Dress as the national symbol for women and heart disease awareness in 2002 to deliver an urgent wakeup call to American women. Support women’s heart health by wearing red!

- **February 5th. 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. San Antonio Fighting Back – Project HOPE. SW Campus – Bldg. 1 Student Center**
  San Antonio’s Fighting Back – Project HOPE will be on campus to provide free HIV testing, counseling services, presentations, and referral resources to students.

- **February 7th. 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. National Black HIV Testing Day – MLK – Turbon Student Center**
  San Antonio’s Fighting Back – Project HOPE will be on campus to provide free HIV testing, counseling services, presentations, and referral resources to students.

- **February 11th. 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Blood Drive. SW Campus - Bldg. 1 Parking Lot**
  Blood Drive on campus.

- **February 19th. 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Blood Drive. MLK Campus – Circular driveway between WFAC and ASB**
  Blood Drive on campus.

- **February 27th. 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Wellness Wednesday – Mini Heart Fair. SW Campus Bldg. 1 - Crossroads**
  Mini Heart Fair will include blood pressure testing, weight check-in, dietary information, and other health handouts and information.

- **February 28th. 11:30 – 1:30 p.m. Red Dress Luncheon. MLK Campus – Artemisia’s Café.**
  This annual event promotes heart health for women.

Career and Transfer Services

For more information, contact Yolanda Crooms @ 486-2518.

- **February 20th. Spring 2012 College Transfer Fair. SW Campus- Industrial Technology Center (ITC), Building 1.**
  The College Transfer Fair is a major event for our campus, hosting over 15 different college and university representatives. Our students are given a glance of numerous institutions and their programs within one venue.

- **University Visits. Month of February.**
  Various universities from the surrounding areas will be located at MLK and SW campuses to visit and advise students in regards to the transfer process. Please visit our website for more information.
  (SW Campus visits are pending)

- Texas A&M-SA (Recruiter)  Feb 4  9:00-4:00pm  Center (Cafeteria)
- Texas State University (BASS)  Feb 5  1-4:00pm  NTB 307
- Texas A&M-SA (Advisor)  Feb 6  9-4:00pm  Science Building Foyer
- Devry University  Feb 8  9-12noon  Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- St. Mary’s University (Evening)  Feb 11  4-6:00pm  Science Building Foyer
- Texas State University (BASS)  Feb 12  1-4:00pm  NTB 307
- St. Mary’s University (Day)  Feb 12  9-12:30pm  Campus Center (Cafeteria)
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- University Visits. Month of February. - Continued
  Various universities from the surrounding areas and with the state will be located at MLK and SW campuses to visit and advise students in regards to the transfer process. Please visit our website for more information. (SW Campus visits are pending)

- Texas State University (BASS) Feb 12 1-4:00pm NTB 307
- St. Mary’s University (Day) Feb 12 9-12:30pm Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- UTSA Feb 12 1-4:00pm Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- Texas A&M-SA (Recruiter) Feb 13 9:00-4:00pm Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- Texas A&M-SA (Advisor) Feb 13 9:00-4:00pm NTB 307
- Wayland Baptist University Feb 14 10-12noon Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- Texas A&M-SA (Recruiter) Feb 18 9:00-4:00pm Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- Devry University Feb 18 9am-12noon Welcome Center Foyer
- Texas State University (BASS) Feb 19 1-4:00pm NTB 307
- UIW (ADCaP) Feb 19 3:30-5:00pm Welcome Center Foyer
- Texas Tech University Feb 19 11-2:00pm Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- Texas A&M-SA (Advisor) Feb 20 9-4:00pm Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- Grand Canyon University Feb 20 11-1:00pm Science Building Foyer
- Texas State University (BASS) Feb 26 1-4:00pm NTB 307
- UIW Feb 26 9-12noon Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- OLLU Feb 27 10-2:00pm Welcome Center Foyer
- Texas A&M-SA (Advisor) Feb 27 9-4:00pm NTB 307
- Devry University Feb 28 9-12noon Campus Center (Cafeteria)
- Texas A&M-SA(Get Informed) Feb 28 9-4:00pm Heritage Room