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Mercedes Wiles is a senior majoring in Elementary Education. She has been awarded a LASAP scholarship for the last two years. Last year she was awarded a one-time LASAP scholarship in the amount of \$250.



This year she was awarded a one-time LASAP scholarship in the amount of \$275. Please join the SSS staff in congratulating Mercedes on her wonderful accomplishment.

Upcoming Events



Lunch with your SSS advisor at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, November 16th at Iberville.



Movie Night will be held Thurs., December 1st at 5:00 p.m. in the SSS computer Lab.



Graduation is Friday, Dec. 16th at 10 a.m. & 3 p.m. Time is determined according to graduate's major.

Are you looking for an elective(s) to take in the spring? Look no further, SSS is offering three classes that can be used as electives. Contact us at ssstrio@nsula.edu if you would like to be permitted into one of our courses.

ACSK 1020 – Critical Thinking & Analytical Skills (1 Credit Hour)
CRN: 20011

Instructor: Ms. Danielle

Offered: T 11:00-11:50

Course Description:

Course is designed to help encourage students to become critical thinkers. Topics include, but are not limited to, how to ask questions, how to produce many ideas, basing judgments on evidence, acknowledging complexity of information, and intellectual independence.

IDS 2000 – Service Learning (2 Credit Hours)
CRN: 20482

Instructor: Mrs. Jamie

Prereq: Sophomore Standing

Offered: MW 2:00-2:50

Course Description:

Service Learning experiences within and outside the University setting. Current issues, values, and opportunities essential for relating service, volunteerism and leadership to academic study.

OR 1030 – Educational & Vocational Guidance (1 Credit Hour)

CRN: 20913

Instructor: Mrs. Terri

Offered: MW 10:00-10:50

Course Description:

Assessment of individual abilities and interests; opportunities and requirements of major occupations. Adds one semester hour to requirements for a degree.

Monday, November 7th

- Graduate Students
- Seniors (90+ Hours)
- Authorized ADA Students with Permit
- Honor Students with a 3.5 Cumulative GPA & 12 or More Hours
- Active Military, Veterans, and ROTC Cadets
- All Student Athletes

Tuesday, November 8th

- Juniors (60-89 Hours)

Wednesday, November 9th

- Sophomores (30-59 Hours)

Thursday, November 10th

- Freshmen (0-29 Hours)
- Non-traditional Students with Fewer than 30 Hours (Adults Aged 25 and Over)

Make sure you register when your registration period opens because classes will fill quickly.



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The Daily GPA-Boosting Checklist

WAKE UP EARLY AND MAKE A PLAN

Waking up early and making a plan will help you feel more prepared for the day ahead which will then lead to more effective classes, studying, and better test grades.

RECITE NOTES OUT LOUD

Studies show that reciting your notes out loud helps you to retain more information. Who am I to argue with science right? So next time you study, try reciting your notes out loud.

STUDY IN ADVANCE

Whether it's the hardest test of the year, finals, or whatever, this technique never fails. My favorite thing about studying in advance is that it helps me to become familiar with the notes so that I can avoid late night cramming when the test comes.

BE PRODUCTIVE WHEN STUDYING

Make sure that you are paying attention to what you are reading. Try to keep your phone out of sight and out of mind. Turning your phone on do not disturb mode will really help with this.

READ NOTES BEFORE BED

Studies show that the brain takes the most recent memories and stores them in long-term memory while you sleep. If reading all of your notes before bed is too big of a task, go over the last lecture notes in each class every night.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving Break is Monday, November 21 – Friday, November 25. When you return from break on November 28th that will be your last week of classes. Final exams will begin December 6-12. If you need assistance with preparing for final exams, please do not hesitate contacting an SSS tutor or a tutor in the Academic Success Center in Watson Library. SSS is located in room 243 of Kyser Hall and the contact number is 318-357-5901. The Academic Success Center is located in room 108 of Watson Library and the contact number is 318-357-6616.

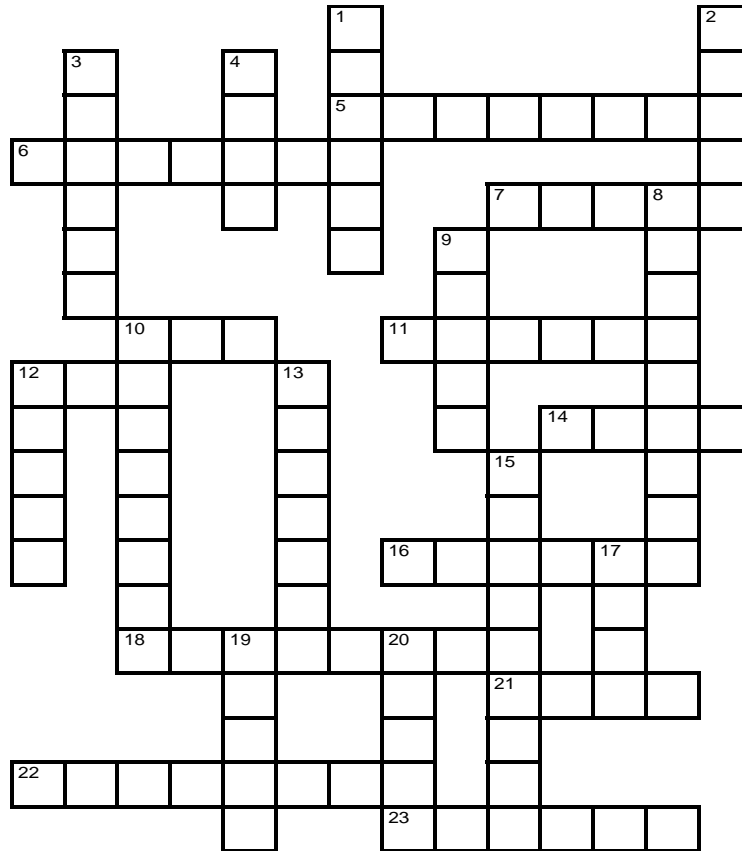
20 Study Tips for Final Exam Week

1. Create your own study guide.
2. Ask questions.
3. Attend the review session.
4. Start early.
5. Organize a group study session.
6. Study things not on the study guide.
7. Take breaks.
8. Stay well-rested.
9. Create a study schedule – and follow it.
10. Prioritize your study time.
11. Study for the style of exam.
12. Meet with your professor.
13. Quiz yourself.
14. Reorganize your notes.
15. Pace yourself.
16. Teach classmates.
17. Revolve your focus.
18. Color code it.
19. Visualize.
20. Make it fun.

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Happy Thanksgiving



Across

- 5 The month of Thanksgiving.
- 6 A large orange vegetable.
- 7 Have a _____ of pumpkin pie for desert.
- 10 _____ the table before dinner.
- 11 A festival with bands, people wearing costumes, and floats marching down the street.
- 12 Families _____ together on Thanksgiving.
- 14 A yellow vegetable that was grown by Native Americans.
- 16 A long journey over the ocean.
- 18 Another way to say for thankful.
- 21 A place where things are baked.
- 22 The people on board the Mayflower.
- 23 A large bird eaten on Thanksgiving.

Down

- 1 The evening meal.
- 2 Use a knife to _____ a turkey.
- 3 An odd shaped vegetable that resembles a pumpkin.
- 4 _____ a pie in the oven.
- 8 Americans _____ Thanksgiving in the Autumn.
- 9 _____ a turkey in the oven.
- 10 Something cooked inside the turkey and served at dinner.
- 12 A sauce that is poured over the turkey.
- 13 Gather the crops.
- 15 The ship that pilgrims came to America on.
- 17 _____ thanks for the food we eat.
- 19 The nut of an oak tree.
- 20 A large dinner celebration.

Thanksgiving Scramble

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