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The International Student Office:
Serving You

**Hours:** 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Friday
*Closed Saturday, Sunday and Holidays (including campus “Flex Days”). Summer hours may vary.*

**Location:** Building E, Lower Concourse Room E07L, LAC campus (nearest the corner of Harvey and Carson)

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**Mailing Address:** International Student Program
Long Beach City College
4901 E. Carson St., B9
Long Beach, CA   90808

The International Student Office staff at Long Beach City College helps international students with personal concerns and keeps them informed and in full compliance with the basic laws and procedures regulating them, established by the college, the DHS (Department of Homeland Security) and the community.

The Foreign Student Advisor (FSA) is the liaison between international students and college officials, instructors, staff, students and the surrounding community. The FSA will refer students to other college departments which are important to the student’s education and well-being.

The FSA will supply students with any necessary DHS forms and will assist students in completing the forms.

It is generally not necessary to make an appointment to see the FSA. However, some documents require paperwork that may take several days to prepare. In addition, the days close to registration are often very busy and students are encouraged to make appointments to see the FSA at those times to avoid long waits.

All discussions with the FSA are confidential. The FSA does not report the contents of advising appointments to DHS and will not report information of a private nature to other administrators or faculty on campus.
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Letters, signatures on your I-20 and other forms CANNOT BE COMPLETED IMMEDIATELY. We are able to help you with these items 2 to 5 days after you submit your request. Please plan ahead!
### How Can You Help Me?

You met many people during the Orientation program, and there were even more Long Beach City College employees that you did not meet. This list is a starting point to help you figure out whom to turn to with specific questions and problems.

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How Should I Behave?

We encounter cultural differences in many aspects of our daily life, including in how to behave in American offices. In some countries, office doors are always kept closed. You must knock before you enter. In other places, you must have an appointment before you can visit an office. Here at Long Beach City College, office procedures vary slightly from one office to the next, and on the surface, we seem to be very informal. However, there are expectations and there are certain rules of behavior that apply everywhere.

1. Always check with a receptionist before entering a staff member’s office. Sometimes the receptionist is a staff secretary; other times, the receptionist is a student assistant. These people are trained to help you with limited items. If they cannot help you, you can be sure that they will get you in to see someone at a higher level who can assist you.

2. Over time, you may come to know the International office staff and the International counselor very well. You may feel comfortable just walking in to our offices, because our doors are almost always open. However, this is considered rude. You should first check with the receptionist. If no receptionist is available to help you, you may walk into the office and ask for help only if the person you want to see is not talking on the telephone and is not talking to another person.

3. Sometimes, you will see that the person you want to speak with is on the phone. It may look like that person is on hold, and you may think it is OK to ask a quick question. Stop! It is not OK. The person may be listening to a message or to another person talking. It is rude to interrupt someone who is on the telephone.

4. Sometimes, you have a very short question that you need help with. The person you need to speak to is helping another student, and that meeting is taking a long time. You may want to interrupt for a minute just to ask your question, or to see when it might be OK to come back. Stop! It is not OK. It is rude to interrupt a meeting between a staff member and a student or another person. It is considered rude to do this even if your interruption is very brief. You must be patient and wait until the person you want to visit is free. You can always make an appointment with the receptionist to come back at another time.

5. Some students stand at the office door or next to a staff member’s desk, waiting for them to finish their meeting. This is very impolite. You need to wait in the reception area, in a chair, or away from the meeting in progress. Make sure that the receptionist knows you are waiting so that you can be helped next.

6. Must you make an appointment to see LBCC staff? It all depends! If you want to see Judy Oh, you must make an appointment with the counseling staff. She offers office
hours when you can see her without an appointment for a simple question. You must check her office door to see when she will hold her office hours. Even when she doesn’t have a student in her office, she has many projects that she must work on for the college and she may not be available to see you. ALWAYS check with the receptionist first.

In the International Student Office, you usually need an appointment to see Denise, but generally do not need an appointment to see Dolores. You MUST check with the receptionist before going in to see either of them.

*We hope these tips are helpful, and will make it easier for you to understand our office culture, and behave properly in it.*
Campus Security

It is the policy of the Long Beach Community College District to maintain a safe and secure environment for its students, staff, and visitors. Safety and security requires that everyone on campus be alert, aware, and responsible.

The Long Beach Police Department provides police services to the Long Beach Community College District through its City College Unit. The City College Unit is comprised of an assigned Lieutenant, four police officers, and 16 security officers that are assigned to both the Liberal Arts Campus and the Pacific Coast Campus.

Emergency Services -
911 or 9911 (from campus phones)
Contact the Police Department with any emergencies such as crimes in progress, medical aid, or any incident requiring immediate police / security response.

General Service -
(562) 938-4910 or (562) 435-6711
Contact the Police Department for questions or problems regarding security, lost and found items, thefts or other crimes. The LAC office is located north of the Library in Parking Lot C. Business hours are Monday through Friday, 8am to 5pm. After business hours call the General Service number or 911 (9911 for on-campus phones) for an emergency.

Evening Safety Escorts
Escorts are available to students at both LAC and PCC. Students should call the City College Unit through the General Service number to arrange for an escort to meet them on campus.

Parking and Traffic Regulation

Campus Parking Citation Information
(562) 938-4534 or (562) 938-4713

Long Beach Parking Citation Information
(562) 570-6822

These rules are enforced to ensure the rights of permit holders, as well as to provide for the safety of people and property:

1. Parking permits are **required at all times** in LAC and PCC parking lots. Parking permits are purchased each semester during registration. After registration, permits may be purchased from the Cashier's Office at either campus. For students who do not wish to purchase a semester parking permit, one-day parking permits are available at both campuses. Parking permit machines at LAC are
located on the west side of parking lot 'J', on Lew Davis, and lot 'E'. The PCC Machine is located on the south side of parking lot 3. Meter Parking is available in Lot F, G, H, and on Lew Davis at LAC. Meters are available Lot 2 at PCC. There are also 30 minute visitor parking zones along the north curb of Carson Street for LAC.

2. Semester parking permits must be attached to the rear view mirror so that it is visible from the front of the vehicle. One-day parking permits must be placed in plain view on the vehicle dashboard with the permit facing upward. Students who are having difficulty displaying a permit should go to the College Police Trailer for assistance. Students driving a convertible-type vehicle can obtain a special convertible permit from the LAC College Police trailer, in lot 'C.' This special convertible permit can only be obtained after the purchase of a semester parking permit.

3. Student permits and daily permits do not authorize parking in staff or other reserved parking spaces except where posted otherwise.

4. Parking is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

5. All vehicles must be parked between the lines of a designated parking space only. Backing into parking stalls is not permitted.

6. A permit does not guarantee a parking space in the parking lot of choice. You are advised to allow ample time to find parking. At LAC, there is additional parking in the Veterans Stadium parking lot.

7. Citations are issued by the Long Beach Police Department to automobiles, motorcycle, and mopeds that do not display a properly placed, current parking permit. Students parked in staff or other specially designated areas will also be cited.

8. Students may not double park nor circle the parking lots to wait for a parking space.

9. No adjustments will be made for parking citations at the Long Beach Police Department - College Unit. Individuals wishing to contest citations must do so by following your instructions on your citation or by calling (562) 570-6822.

10. Motorcycles and mopeds are to be parked only in areas specifically posted for their use. Operators must purchase a current semester parking permit and keep it in their possession. Motorcycles and mopeds may not be driven on campus or parked on sidewalks. Violators will be cited.

11. Students, staff, or faculty with state-issued disabled placards are to park in the marked handicapped spaces. If a handicap space is not available, parking is allowed in any other student or staff space. Disabled permits are not valid in carpool or other reserved spaces.

Regulations pertaining to parking can vary from lot to lot. It is the responsibility of the driver to read the parking regulations that are posted at the entrance of each parking lot.
Frequently Asked Questions

I don’t have anywhere to live, or I have to move right away. Who can help me? The International Student Office has apartment listings and may have host families, although host families are usually in short supply.

Do I need a parking permit? Where can I buy one? You DO need a parking permit to park on campus at all times. With your permit, you will only be allowed to park in spaces that are not marked “Faculty”, “Carpool” or “Handicapped”. Pay for your permit when you register for classes, or purchase a day permit from one of the dispensers in the parking lots around campus. When you register, you will be asked if you want “parking”. If you register in person, you will be given your permit in the registration room. If you register on-line or by telephone, your permit will be mailed to you.

How do I get my picture/student i.d. (Identification Card)? After you pay for your registration, take your receipt to the E building (Student Center). Just inside the main door, to the right, is a counter. Present your receipt and ask for your i.d. Your picture will be taken on the spot, so make sure you look good!

How do I get my books? Take your registration receipt to the bookstore. You may want to take an experienced student with you, or ask a bookstore employee for help. Go to the section which has books for your subject. Cards hanging on the shelf will indicate the class and the section number which uses each book. Be sure to check your section number! Sometimes, instructors for the same class but different sections will choose different books.

Now, you can avoid the long bookstore lines by ordering your books on the internet. Sign on to www.lbcc.bkstre.com and follow the instructions.

How do I add a class before the first day of the semester? First, check your schedule book to see if the last day to register for classes has passed. Next, log on to PeopleSoft, or contact the class professor to see if the class is still open. If it is, you can add the class on-line, or go to walk-in registration (which may be either downstairs in the E building, or in the Admissions Office in the A building). Fill in the add slip and add your class.

What if the class I want has a wait list or is closed?
You still may have a chance to get in to the class. Go to the class on the first day. (The time and location of each class is listed in your schedule book.) Get there a few minutes early. Before class begins, tell the instructor you would like to add the class. Usually, the instructor will wait until the break or the end of the class, and then will decide if there are spaces for more students. If he or she decides to add you, you will be given a “permission number”. You can use this number to add the class on-line.

**How do I drop a class?**
If dropping the class will cause you to fall below 12 units, you need to see the academic counselor, Judy Oh, *before* you drop the class. Her office is in the A building, room A155. If Judy is not available, see Denise Kinsella in the ISO. You will need a certificate to allow you to take fewer than 12 units while still keeping your F-1 status.

Next, fill out an add/drop slip. These are available in the Admissions Office or in building E during walk-in registration times. Complete the slip and submit it to the person at registration. (Admissions or Building E.) You may also drop a class by following the appropriate links in PeopleSoft (OLE On-line Registration).

**Be sure to check the various drop dates in your schedule book. If you drop or swap classes AFTER the last refund date, you WILL NOT get a refund!**

**What if I’m still confused?**
Sometimes it’s hard to figure out new procedures from written instructions. If you aren’t sure how to do something, come to the International Student Office. We’ll be happy to help you!

**Where can I work?**
If you are a full-time student in the regular college program and this is your first or second semester, you are only allowed to work on-campus, at LBCC. There is no central job listing at LBCC. The best way to find out about an opening is to visit the offices on campus and ask if they’re looking for anyone. I recommend writing your information (name, phone number, skills) on an index card to leave at offices where you are interested in working so they can call you if a job becomes available in the future.

At the beginning of the semester, offices *sometimes* call the International Student Office to inform us of openings. We write the information on the small white board opposite the main desk as you come into the ISO.

For more information about work, including tips for finding a job on campus, a list of offices which have hired International students in the past, and information about working off campus in the future, check the Work Opportunities and Taxes Section in the orientation handbook.
Campus Clubs

Through the Associated Student Body, students at Long Beach City College who want to join others with similar interests, ideas and needs have discovered that the active club program can bring great rewards. From special interest to social-service and from cultural to academic, the diverse club system at LBCC can provide enriching opportunities for members.

Among the benefits that students gain from joining a club are:

- Support
- Friendship
- Leadership opportunities
- Community involvement
- Scholarship potential
- Working with college faculty, staff and administrators

To help students discover the variety of clubs, the Office of Student Affairs schedules a Join-A-Club Day each fall and spring semester at both the Liberal Arts Campus and the Pacific Coast Campus. The mid-day events include booths, food, entertainment, games, brochures, information and most importantly, the chance to talk to current members about how you could benefit from the club, and how the club can be better with you as a member.

For students who recognize a need for a new club or wish to revive a former club, the Office of Student Affairs offers guidance, information and referrals. Staff members and faculty are willing to help students form any new club, and can put students in touch with potential sponsors, resources, information and other students with similar goals.

To form a club, students should follow these simple guidelines:

1. Obtain signatures from 15 students with [College Services Cards](#)
2. Gain the sponsorship of a faculty or staff member
3. Draft a constitution, using models provided

The list of present, former and future clubs is endless, with only a small group of students with similar ideas needed to form a new club. Current and recently active clubs include:
Club List

Descriptions of Clubs

A Voice 4 Life

The mission of "A Voice 4 Life" is to return dignity and worth to human life from conception to natural death. We are here to be a positive support and provide local resources for those in crisis pregnancy. Our desire is to communicate, educate and network in defense of life.

AKNA

The Ladies of AKNA is a social service organization that promotes sisterhood through helping our school and community. AKNA prides itself in having a diverse membership with different ideas and values working together. AKNA stresses friendship, leadership and social development.

Alpha Gamma Sigma

Alpha Gamma Sigma (AGS) is the scholastic honor society of Long Beach City College. The club is involved with school and community service projects, as well as fund raising events. AGS sponsors social events for its members and an awards banquet at the end of each semester. By becoming a member of AGS, you are helping the community and having fun in a friendly atmosphere.

American Criminal Justice Association

American Criminal Justice Association (ACJA) is a community service organization consisting primarily of people who are interested in careers in the criminal justice field, such as law enforcement officers, lawyers or judges. The Sigma Pi chapter of ACJA is the only local charter that has a pledging process which includes learning the organization’s history and the law enforcement Code of Ethics.

Anthropology Student Assoc.

The Anthropology Student Assoc. welcomes all students interested in the study of present and past cultures and peoples. Club activities range from helping the homeless, education on natural headings and implementing ways to protect our environment. Many educational trips are planned throughout each semester. Such as trips to local museums, attending intertribal pow-wows and participating in an archeological research project in Baja, California.

Association of Future Fire Fighters

The goals of the Association of Future Fire Fighters (AFFF) are aimed to benefit, promote and to further educate students interested in the fire service profession. AFFF benefits Long Beach City College and surrounding communities through the volunteer service of its membership. This club is involved with school, social community service projects and fund raising events.

Aztlan

The order of Aztlan, the newest member of our Men’s Social Service Clubs, was founded in 1991. Founded in the fall of 1991, Aztlan has established itself as a club which is committed to service, academics, and intramural competition. Loyalty and brotherhood are paramount to the Order of Aztlan.

Bible Study
The Bible Study Club is sponsored by "Born Again Christians". The members want to help people find the answer to life’s questions with the Word of God. Everyone is welcome regardless of culture, religion or belief. Club discusses beliefs during the bible study.

**Black Student Union**

Black Student Union (BSU) is dedicated to the social, political and religious interest of African American students. All students are welcome to participate in BSU.

**Chinese Student Union**

The Chinese Student Union is concerned with increasing the awareness of the Chinese culture. Anyone interested in Chinese culture is welcome. Activities include participation in Cultural Faire, trips to China Town and fund raising.

**Club D’Art**

Club D’Art is dedicated to the students and faculty of the Art Department. Through the sale of donated student art work, annual scholarship awards are given to deserving art students. Club members can come to Club D’Art for financial assistance in exhibition fees and photographing of their art work. Other activities include workshops given by guest professionals, field trips and barbecues. Club members assist with the Fine Arts Gallery receptions as well as lead tours for visitors.

**Club International**

The International Student Association is designed to help foreign students adjust to the new environment they are facing. The club is also for all American students of all cultures who are interested in learning about other cultures, people and countries.

**Culinary Arts Club**

Our club’s aim is to bring attention to the Culinary Arts Department. The club is involved in school and community service projects and fund raisers. The Culinary Arts Club assists the Culinary Arts Department in the development and enhancement of opportunities for students in the culinary field.

**Dance Club**

The Dance Club of Long Beach City College provides students and staff the chance to dance and/or choreograph in dance concerts. Dance Club members volunteer their services at LBCC by helping stage, crew and staff during our productions.

**Deaf Studies Club**

The Deaf Studies Club was organized to bring deaf awareness to Long Beach City College. The club supports the use of interpreters at college events and provides information to all who are interested in deaf studies and signing. Being able to sign is not required for club membership.

**DECA**

Delta Epsilon Chi is a professional marketing and management leadership club. For three and one half decades DECA has been committed to preparing today’s students for careers in marketing, management,
merchandising, and entrepreneurship. Over one-hundred thousand students have applied the marketing principles they learned in the classroom to the workplace through chapter projects and competitive events.

**Eco-Terra**

Eco-Terra, this environmental club was established to help promote environmental issues. The club is an opportunity for students to share their interest in the conservation of the earth’s natural resources and to provide an avenue to act upon those convictions. Eco-Terra also participates in political action campaigns and outdoor field trips.

**Entre Nous**

Entre Nous was founded in 1946 and is the second oldest woman’s social service club at LBCC. Every semester we complete between two or three community service projects. Entre Nous means "between us" which we in Entre Nous promote through friendship and respect.

**Esprit**

Esprit is a women’s social service club at Long Beach City College. Members of Esprit are actively involved in school and community service projects. Esprit also does fund raising events and participated in intramural events. The Esprit motto is "we belong together" which supports the club’s strong tradition of sisterhood and loyalty.

**International Business Club**

The International Business Club is an independent, professional and social club of Long Beach City College. Our main club objective is to acquaint the members with the world of international business through guest speakers, field trips and volunteer opportunities. Our club seeks involvement in our local international business community.

**JX**

The Junior Exchange Club has been a distinguished men’s social service club at LBCC since 1940. The Junior Exchange Club is sponsored by the Exchange Club of Long Beach. "JX" prides itself on its continuous service to the college and surrounding communities.

**Kassai**

The order of Kassai is the oldest women’s honorary service organization at Long Beach City College and was established in 1927. Many of the leaders of our community are Kassai alumni. Women leaders currently on campus are invited to join Kassai if they have earned at least a 2.5 GPA and fifty service hours. The objective of this organization is to give service to LBCC.

**Korean Club**

All students of Korean decent and those interested in Korean culture and issues are welcomed.

**KLBC Radio Club**

KLBC Radio Club is an outgrowth of the Music, Radio and Television Department at LBCC. All students interested in any facet of the radio industry should join KLBC. The club runs its own radio station which broadcasts from the Activity Center in the College Center.
LBCC College Republicans

With our ties in the political machines that govern our nation, we keep abreast with the current affairs, elections and the ever changing political temperature of our country. We go on field trips and help candidates in political campaigns. We also work in conjunction with other clubs on debates and civic services. LBCC Republican Club maintains close ties to the national, state and local Republican parties to provide an environment for students to explore and study American political thought. The club actively supports Republican candidates in their campaigns and sponsors political debates and forums.

LBCC Speaks

The Long Beach City College Speech Team, LBCC Speaks, provides students with the opportunity to enhance their skills in public speaking, panel discussion and performance while dealing with current topics. Students develop, organize and present innovative events including a mock trial, forum style discussions and performing for community members on timely issues concerning our society.

LBCC Spirit Leaders

Spirit Leaders follow a priority system: Family, academics, and the Pep Squad. Spirit Leaders is a year-long commitment with minimum time requirements: Must attend all home and away football games, all home basketball games, each minor sport once, and community and college performances, exhibitions and other squad activities.

LDSSA

The Latter Day Saints Student Association promotes personal, spiritual and social growth of all young adults in all facets of life. LDSSA also provides a gathering house for all young adults to congregate with others. This sanctuary also provides a quiet atmosphere for studying in a library which provides useful materials. LDSSA is committed to serving other in the college and community.

Leaders Across Campus

An opportunity to offer support, friendship, advice and guidance to help new students feel comfortable and successful at LBCC. Help a Mentee adjust to college by sharing your knowledge, experience, tips and strategies for success. Become part of the “Spirit of LBCC” - the spirit of giving, caring and support for students.

Native American Club

This club is an opportunity for Native Americans, as well as non-Indian students to learn Native American Culture and address current issues that affect native people.

Newman Catholic Club

The Newman Catholic Club is an organization of Catholic Christian college students who, in a variety of way, come together to grown in their faith and to share that faith with others. Activities include discussions, meetings and outings to mass and breakfast on Sundays, volunteering, bible studies, social events, etc.

Political Science Students’ Association

A non-partisan political club committed to creating an interest and understanding of our political system. The PSSA helps to inform the student community of LBCC of political issues and candidates by sponsoring debates and political forums.
Puente Student Association

Puente is a club involved with student achievement. Its members are given information regarding transferring to a four year university through campus tours, guest speakers, counseling, and informative pamphlets. Activities that Puente have enthusiastically participated in are as follows: Cinco de Mayo celebration, 16 de Septiembre celebration, Puente Statewide Conference, Latino Leadership Institute, and Puente Leadership Conference.

Rainbow Alliance

The purpose of Rainbow Alliance is to provide a safe, supportive and empowering environment for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender students. This is accomplished by education and information with visibility and pride, in an effort to fight ignorance and end homophobia.

Student Nurses Association

SNAC is a club for all pre-nursing students and current RN students, dedicated to the needs of nursing students. SNAC is a precious resource which can be utilized for information about classes, clinics, teachers, and helpful tips to help make the student nursing experience easier. Opportunities are available to participate in local, state and national nursing student organizations.

Student Vocational Nurse Association

A cooperative organization of student vocational nurses to create and maintain high standards of responsibility, to protect, preserve and promote the best interest and welfare of the student vocational nurse, to further their honor, dignity and public service, to provide the student vocational nurse with a voice in their area of preparation and practice, to establish their professional recognition through the principle of better client care.

Students for Disability Awareness Club

This club is to help bring awareness of issues concerning the disabled. We also encourage sharing experiences of disabled people and discuss topics as well. If anyone also wants to learn more about disabled people you need not be disabled to join. We welcome everyone.

Teachers of Tomorrow

TOT is dedicated to showing people what teaching is all about by cutting through the surface fantasies and allow you to see what teaching really entails. Anyone who has ever thought about a career as a teacher or feels that they might have to act in the role of teacher at some point in life is welcome. This club also works closely with the Cultural Affairs Council.

Television Club

The Television Club meets to discuss the presentation of our vision of television programming for you the viewer. The students meet to plan for: raising funds for scholarship, provide support to television staff for IE News, devise ways to provide a meaningful community news service, to plan and produce television commercials, plan fund raisers to support our presentations to the public. Everyone and anyone who is interested the production of quality television is welcome to join the Television Club.

TNT
The enthusiastic women of TNT are members of one of the most active women’s social service organizations. TNT enjoys a full schedule of activities and community service while maintaining high scholastic achievement.

**Thane**

As an honorary men’s organization, Thane was established to recognize the outstanding men students on campus. Members of Thane serve as the ambassadors of Long Beach City College.

**TOP**

Today’s Organization of Pilipino promotes community service and involvement in the community while fostering an awareness of Pilipino-American cultural heritage. TOP’s sponsors the annual Pilipino Cultural Night which is a showcase of Pilipino cultural dance and music. TOP provides the opportunity to help the community and to learn about the Pilipino culture. Everyone is welcome to join.

**Theatre Arts**

The purpose of Theater Arts is to promote interest and activities in theater. The club also assists the community through school service projects and fundraising events. Membership is open to all Long Beach City College students, who are interested in the theater. Theater Arts meets every week.

**Tilsmen**

The Order of Tilsmen was founded in December 1946 in order to bring a group of men closer together. Tilsmen means "unity" and its members are constantly striving to work together in service, sports, and social activities. While the men’s social service club works as a group, it seeks diversified ideas and personalities.

**Tong**

Tong the oldest community college social service club in the United States, originated at Long Beach City College in 1927. This men’s social service club was founded on the ideas of service, social activities, and athletics. Tong is very proud of its brotherhood. Tong maintains high social and academic standards with special attention given to athletic achievement in the college intramural program.

**Vietnamese Student Association**

Vietnamese Student Associations promotes Vietnamese culture and language at Long Beach City College volunteers at the college in community and in the city to serve the people of Long Beach culture.

For More specific information on clubs and advisors phone numbers, please visit the Associated Student Body (ASB) website at [http://asb.lbcc.edu/](http://asb.lbcc.edu/)
LEADERS ACROSS CAMPUS
INTERNATIONAL FRIENDS

• Are you new to Long Beach City College?
  • Would you like to learn strategies to be a better student?
  • Would you like to have a fellow student lend you a helping hand?

If you answered “yes” to any of these questions, then you are invited to join Leaders Across Campus!

Why would you want an “International Friend”? 

• It is a wise investment in your educational career.
• It will help you become familiar and comfortable with college.
• The Mentors/Friends are caring and very friendly students.
• The Mentors/Friends are committed to helping you be successful.

What does being in “Leaders and Friends” involve?

• Meeting with your Mentor once a week to talk about how things are going
• Studying on campus with your Mentor, or attending a workshop together
• Visiting student resource areas on campus, such as the Career Center, Student Bridge Center, Tutoring Labs, the Child Development Center
• Learning about time management, study habits, and other helpful information
• Practicing Conversational English
• Gaining a lifetime friendship with your Mentor/International Friend
• Having fun while learning together!

How do you get involved?

• Complete the application and return it to Judy (A-155) or Kathy (A-128).
• If you have questions, please stop by our office, or call us at (562) 938-4359
  or (562) 938-4236.

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