



THE PATHWAZE NEWSLETTER

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WELCOME BACK, SCHOLARS !

As we begin this exciting new semester, it's the perfect time to set fresh goals and focus on what's ahead. This spring is an opportunity to continue growing, learning, and working toward your dreams. In this edition, we're sharing resources to help you stay focused, tips to maintain motivation, and reminders to make the most of your college experience. Whether you're tackling projects, preparing for exams, or carving out time to recharge, we're here to support you every step of the way. Thank you for being an essential part of this inspiring community of scholars—your hard work and resilience motivate us all! Together, let's make this semester one of growth, success, and celebration. Here's to an amazing spring!



KNOW YOUR PEER MENTORS



Marjorie Chanakira



Rodney Mercer



Cierra Powe



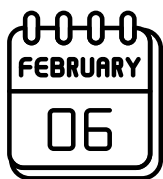
Ariadna Solis Morales



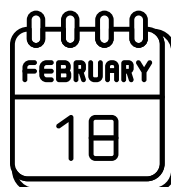
Brittany Young



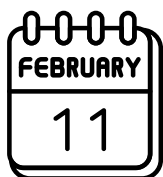
IMPORTANT EVENTS & DEADLINES



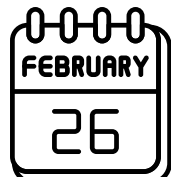
First day of class for the 12-week session



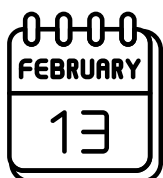
Engineering Pathway (Virtual TEAMS) Presentation @ 10 a.m.



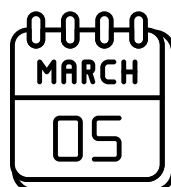
Last day to drop class with a "W" grade for the first eight-week session



Business Pathway (Virtual TEAMS) Presentation @ 9:30 a.m.



Last day to drop class without a "W" grade for the 12-week session



Last day of class for the first eight-week session



COLLEGE SUCCESS TIPS

1. TREAT DEADLINES LIKE GAME BOSSES 🎮

Think of assignments and tests as levels in a game. Each deadline is a "boss" you have to defeat! Break your tasks into smaller "quests," and level up by tackling them one at a time. Bonus points: The sooner you conquer a task, the more time you'll have for a victory dance (or a nap).

2. SNACK SMART, THINK SHARP 🍏

Brain food isn't just a myth! Keep snacks like nuts, fruits, or even some dark chocolate on hand during study sessions. Staying fueled helps your focus—and let's be real, everything's better with snacks.

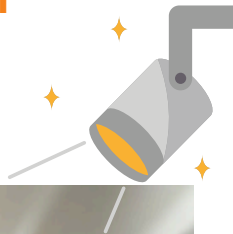
3. BUILD YOUR DREAM TEAM 🤝

No one makes it to the top alone! Connect with classmates, teachers, and peer mentors who can encourage you, answer questions, and celebrate your wins. Study groups = lifelong success and support!

PATHWAYS SPOTLIGHT



Meet Online High School Senior & Scholar: **Dylan Johnson**



Dylan Johnson, a senior and Online High School Scholar, is working towards an Associate in Arts degree and plans to continue his education at Wake Tech. He has a strong interest in Electric Vehicles (EV) and aims to pursue both technical training in this field and expand his Bible education volunteer efforts.

Music plays a vital role in Dylan's life, inspiring him to stay focused, productive, and resilient. He believes music has the power to evoke emotions, foster connection, and provide strength and hope, motivating him through both challenges and successes.

Outside of academics, Dylan values balance and enjoys a variety of activities, from attending car shows and visiting dealerships to building large Lego sets, dancing, and spending time with friends.

Looking ahead, Dylan is excited to combine his passion for technology and education with his commitment to community involvement, aiming for a future that blends personal growth, purpose, and career ambition.



Dylan Johnson
Wake County Home School
Class of 2026

RESOURCE OF THE MONTH: PEER TUTORING

Peer tutors provide an additional tutoring option for Wake Tech students. Peer tutors are current students who are dedicated to helping others. They have completed the course(s) they tutor with a grade of A or B, and they participate in regular training throughout the semester.

Assistance is available at SWC, SNWC, RTP, East Campus, and Online! Students may sign up for a 50-minute, one-on-one session either in-person or online. On-campus sessions are held in Wake Tech libraries. Tutoring is not available for all subjects on every campus, so check different campuses to find what you need.

Scan the QR code to
schedule an
appointment!



PEER TUTORING



WHY GET TUTORING?

- Get better grades!
- Study more efficiently
- Meet other strong students

PEER TUTORS

- Are students, just like you!
- Completed the class with an A or B grade
- Are trained to tutor

STAY CONNECTED!

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Check out our website!



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CELEBRATING
**BLACK
HISTORY**
MONTH



We're gearing up for Black History Month in February.

Student Activities has planned several events and activities, including a produce giveaway for students at BEC and a quilting event at NWC where students will be able to make quilt blocks that will be displayed in the library! A Night at the Museum is also back - in a new location - The City of Raleigh Museum!

Scan the QR
code to see
events!

