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Important Dates & Deadlines

Be sure to check important fall dates and deadlines on the academic calendar. Sunday, Oct. 8 is the last day to add classes or to drop for a full refund and no record of grade. Friday, Oct. 20 is the last day to request a pass/no pass grade. You'll also find info about finals week and holiday closures.



Celebrate Club Day

Foothill has more than 60 clubs on campus that reflect a variety of student interests. Join one or start your own! At Club Day, you can talk to members and learn how clubs enhance your experience at Foothill. Club Day is Wednesday, Oct. 4 and Thursday, Oct. 5 from 12-1 p.m. in the Library Quad.



October is DisABILITY Awareness Month

We're hosting a series of events for Disability Awareness Month. Need help booking your accommodated exams? Want to learn about disability and health-related resources? We've got you covered. Check the Disability Resource Center website or drop by Building 5400 for details.

Valet Parking Available Through October

Through the month of October, free valet parking service is available in parking lots 2 and 3 to compensate for the loss of parking lot 7. You must have a valid parking permit to use the valet service.



Get Discounts with Your Owl Card

Show your OwlCard student ID to get great discounts in the cafeteria, Design Center and Smart Shop, as well as reduced admission to Foothill theatre performances and athletic events, and discounted movie tickets. To get your OwlCard, visit the ASFC Smart Shop (Room 2016).



Cheer on the Owls

Come cheer on the Owls at one of our fall sporting events. Soccer, volleyball, water polo, and football have games throughout the month. Go Owls!



"Run-Hide-Defend" Trainings this Month

The Foothill-De Anza Police Department is holding "Run-Hide-Defend" trainings this month to prepare our campus in the event of an active assailant situation. Trainings will be held at Foothill on Tuesday, Oct. 17 and Wednesday, Oct. 18 from 1-2 p.m. in Room 5001.



Anti-Racism Teach-In

How do we talk about and combat racism? Foothill students, faculty and staff will give short talks on techniques to actively promote anti-racism in the classroom and beyond. The teach-in takes place in Hearthside Lounge on Wednesday, Oct. 18 from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.



The Search for Life Beyond Earth

On Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 7 p.m., Dr. Jill Tarter of the SETI Institute will give a free, illustrated, non-technical talk called, "Will the 21st Century be the Time We Discover Life Beyond Earth?" in the Smithwick Theater. The talk is part of the Silicon Valley Astronomy Lecture Series at Foothill College, now in its 18th year. All are welcome to attend.



NameCoach

This quarter, we're introducing NameCoach to help our faculty pronounce all students' names correctly. Record your name and make a free personal name badge at cloud.name-coach.com.



CAP Workshops

The Community Ambassador Program hosts a series of workshops on services and programs available to students. Visit their website for workshop details and information on how you can become a student ambassador.



Sign up for Free Campus Emergency Alerts

Update your contact information in MyPortal to ensure you receive emergency notifications via text, phone or e-mail. To add or update your contact information, access MyPortal and follow the instructions listed in the "Set Up Emergency Notification" section.



ADT for CSU

Did you know that Foothill College has 20 Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) programs? And why is this cool? Well, an ADT guarantees admission to a CSU campus with junior standing! The ADT... a degree with a guarantee!



Trees of Hope Launch

We're launching the Trees of Hope project on Wednesday, Oct. 11 at noon in Cesar Chavez Plaza. Write your wishes, concerns and hopes for the future on paper and tie it to the tree. All are welcome to share your thoughts throughout the year.



Eco Pass

Foothill students are eligible for an Eco Pass/Clipper Card, which gives you unlimited rides on VTA buses and light rail in Santa Clara County. You must be enrolled in the current quarter, live in Santa Clara County, and have paid all of your registration fees. To get your Eco Pass, visit the Smart Shop (Room 2016).



Financial Aid Application Available Now

The 2018-19 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is available now! Learn more and get help applying by attending one of our financial aid workshops.

Scholarship Application Workshop

Oct. 10 | 12-2 p.m. | Room 8401

Foothill has scholarships too! Learn how to apply.

Financial Aid for Transfer Students

Oct. 11 | 1:30-2:30 p.m. | Room 8330

If you plan to transfer to a 4-year college or university, don't miss this informative workshop.

Cash for College

Oct. 19 | 4-7 p.m. | Room 8401

Get one-on-one assistance filing your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or California Dream Act Application (CADAA).



Need help? Visit the Teaching & Learning Center

Don't stress about tests - get help in the Teaching & Learning Center! Students needing assistance can make a free 20-minute, one-on-one tutoring session with one of the center's many faculty members! The TLC is located in Building 3600 and is open five days a week. Call or go online to schedule an appointment.



Events Calendar

For a full listing of events, visit foothill.edu/events.



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