

What's Happening

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Spring 2021 enrollment underway at all NOC locations

Spring Enrollment for Northern Oklahoma College began Oct. 12 on all three campuses. The spring semester begins Jan. 19.

NOC will continue to offer multiple course formats for Spring 2021 with options to match the students' learning style while continuing to follow CDC guidelines for a safe learning environment. Course options include traditional in-person classes, live online, and completely online.

Students may enroll in-person from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. on all three campuses.

Dr. Pam Stinson, Vice President for Academic Affairs said, "Classrooms are set up to follow social distancing guidelines for in-class sessions, and campuses are being further equipped with technology needed to expand distant education options should safety guidelines require a transition to online. Keeping our students and employees safe will be our top priority."

For a complete listing of courses, students should refer to the [NOC Live Course Availability](#) on NOC's website.

Students may enroll for spring courses by either contacting their advisor or NOC at 580.628.6220 (Tonkawa), 580.548.2275 (Enid) and 580.628.6910 (Stillwater).

NOC is delaying the Spring semester one week, now set to begin Jan. 19. Late 12-Week courses begin Feb. 15, and Late-8 Week courses begin March 15. NOC has eliminated Spring Break; the semester will end May 6.

Summer 2021 enrollment will be held at a later date.

All NOC students, staff, faculty, contractors, vendors, suppliers and guests must continue to wear a face covering (mask) on campus property.

Please contact NOC at 580.628.6200 for additional information or visit www.noc.edu.

Plans for the operation of Northern Oklahoma College in preparation for, and during the Spring 2021 semester are subject to change based on current COVID-19 conditions. Announcements and updated information will be posted when they are available on the college website at <http://www.noc.edu/emergency/>.



The NOC Madrigal Singers performed last Sunday afternoon on the steps of Crowder Science Hall. The singers were conducted by Shannon Varner. The Ponca City Recorders also performed. (photo by Mariah Moberly)

Northern Encounter at NOC Enid
Wednesday, Oct. 21

Distinguished alumni nominations

Northern Oklahoma College is seeking nominations for the 2021 NOC Distinguished Alumni Award.

Nominations are due Nov. 2, according to Kim Ochoa, alumni relations coordinator.

Selected honorees will be inducted into the NOC Hall of Fame at the Alumni and Friends Reunion to be held in the Renfro Center, March 27, 2021. In addition, since the 2020 Alumni and Friends Reunion was cancelled due to COVID-19, we will also be inducting the 2020 inductees, Risha Grant, Jon Kissinger and Mar-

ta Sullivan with the 2021 inductees.

The Distinguished Alumni Award has been established to recognize the achievements of former students whose personal lives, professional achievements and community service exemplify the objectives of NOC. This award is the highest honor that Northern bestows upon an outstanding alumnus/a.

Contact Ochoa at 580.628.6473, kim.ochoa@noc.edu or visit the NOC website at www.noc.edu/alumni.

NOC October Birthdays



John Pickard	16th	Gene Mayo	27th
Stacie Leaton	17th	Wendy O'Neill	27th
Tricia Moore	17th	Stephanie Dow	27th
Lori Erasmus	17th	Vickie Crouch	28th
Alyce Webb	22nd	Tammy Boyea	28th
Kristi Orr	23rd	Courtney Miller	28th
Tammy Davis	24th	Eddie Dixon	29th
Jennifer Lechtenberg	25th	Darryl Rogers	30th
Julie Baggett	26th		

NORTHERN ENCOUNTER

Two sessions to choose from each day: Morning 9-11 am - Afternoon 1-3 pm

Up-Close Look At

- Programs
- Services
- Faculty
- Students
- Campus
- Clubs
- Organizations

Take a College Tour!
Northern Encounter has been designated as a day at NOC Enid, NOC Tonkawa and NOC Stillwater so high school juniors, seniors and their parents can get an up-close look at the programs and services that Northern Oklahoma College has to offer.

FALL 2020

NOC Enid
Montgomery Hall,
Gantz Center
OCTOBER 21
DECEMBER 2
Terri Sunderland
580.548.2353

FREE

- T-Shirt
- Door Prizes
(Including Tuition Waivers)

Visit one or all locations

NOC Tonkawa
Renfro Center
OCTOBER 28
DECEMBER 9
Blair Turney
580.628.6668

NOC Stillwater
Commons Area, Classroom Bldg
NOVEMBER 4 & 18
Diana Watkins 580.628.6905

NOC GATEWAY PROGRAM

FACE MASKS
Required
Please

NOC is Practicing Social Distancing

Pre-Register Online www.noc.edu

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Northern Encounter dates set

Northern Oklahoma College will be hosting high school students for Northern Encounter on all three campuses over the next two months.

The following is the Northern Encounter schedule:

NOC Enid – Oct. 21 and Dec. 2

NOC Tonkawa – Oct. 28 and Dec. 9

NOC Stillwater – Nov. 4 and Nov. 18

There will be two sessions, 9 a.m. – 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

High school juniors and seniors interested in NOC will have an opportunity to hear from admissions, financial aid, testing and scholarship departments as well as the different degree programs, clubs, organizations and housing opportunities. Prospective students will also experience campus tours.

The students will receive a free t-shirt along with brochures with information for all three Northern Oklahoma College campuses.

Contact Terri Sunderland at 580.548.2353, Blair Turney at 580.628.6444, and Diana Watkins at 580.628.6905 for additional information. Students may pre-register at www.noc.edu.

Livestock judging team earns awards at Connors

The Northern Oklahoma College Judging Team attended a Livestock Judging Contest at Connors State College in Warner, Oklahoma Oct. 10.

The Mavericks team placed 1st in swine, beef and placings. The Mavericks were 2nd in sheep, reasons and overall.

Among individuals for NOC, Kylar lee was 2nd, Cade Blassingame, 3rd, and and Garrett Wellden 10th.

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Free 2021-22

FAFSA
is now available!

Priority Sate of Oklahoma Deadline: **December 1**

GATHER. CREATE. COMPLETE

1.

Gather Materials

Social Security Card, drivers License, W2 Forms,
You (your parents) 2019 Income Information

2.

Create FSA ID

www.fsaaid.ed.gov

3.

Complete FAFSA

www.studentaid.gov.
NOC School Code: 003162

Need Help or have questions?

Contact a NOC Financial Aid Office

Tonkawa 580.628.6595 | Enid 580.548.2261 | Stillwater 580.628.6917

Financial.aid@noc.edu

Three locations. **ONE FOCUS.** Life changing.



Regan Mulligan (front row) received a scholarship from the Delphi Study Club of Tonkawa. Middle Row (L-R): Delphi Education Chair Marjilea Smithheisler, Delphi Education Chair Linda Brown. Back Row: (L-R): NOC President Dr. Cheryl Evans, NOC Vice President for Community Relations and Development Sheri Snyder. (photo by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College)

Regan Mulligan earns Delphi Study Club scholarship

Tonkawa’s Delphi Study Club presented a scholarship to Northern Oklahoma College freshman Regan Mulligan.

The presentation was made Wednesday at NOC Tonkawa.

Mulligan is a freshman nursing student from Tonkawa.

The scholarship is for the Fall 2020. She is the daughter of Marcy Mulligan and Robert Mulligan and is a 2020 Tonkawa High School graduate where she was an honor student and was involved in numerous school activities.

Delphi Study Club awards an annual scholarship for the fall semester to a Tonkawa High School senior girl attending NOC.

At THS, Mulligan was involved in Student Council, National Honor Society, Humanitarian Club, Football Manager, Wrestling Mat Maid, and Superintendent’s Honor Roll.



Free Event Featuring
NOC Concert Band and Jazz Band

Thursday
October 29, 2020
6 pm



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Spring semester begins Jan. 19

Northern Oklahoma College is making several adjustments to the 2021 Spring Academic Calendar.

“Based on consultation with local health officials along with a Memo of Understanding with a partner institution, NOC will adjust the start date of the spring semester in order to match schedules as required with our partner and to give us the best chance to finish the spring term in-person,” said NOC President Dr. Cheryl Evans.

Evans said that Winter Break will be extended and spring classes will start on Tuesday, Jan.

19 and NOC will not have a traditional spring break in March 2021 in order to avoid another possible surge in COVID cases due to student and employee travel. This approach should allow NOC to finish the semester as originally scheduled.

More details of the spring schedule and important dates will be shared after approval at the Oct. 21 Board of Regents meeting.

NOC had previously approved the transition to online instruction and final exams after the Thanksgiving break for the Fall 2020 Semester.

NOC Calendar

Oct. 17-23

Oct. 19

Enrollment Continues

Pumpkin Painting, East Gym, 7 p.m., Tonkawa

Oct. 20

Free Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m., Tonkawa

Runner Girls, Wesley House, 4 p.m. – 5 p.m., Tonkawa

Worship Night, BCM, 7 p.m., Tonkawa

Oct. 21

Northern Encounter, Gantz Center, 9 a.m. – 11 a.m., 1 p.m. – 3 p.m., Enid

Free Student Lunch, Wesley House, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa

Free Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., Enid

Board of Regents Meeting, Renfro Center, 1 p.m., Tonkawa

Bible Study, BCM, 2 p.m., Tonkawa

For additional information, visit the following links: [NOC Calendar](#)



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NOC IS PRACTICING SOCIAL DISTANCING. FACE MASKS ARE REQUIRED.

**NORTHERN OKLAHOMA COLLEGE
DIVISION OF FINE ARTS PRESENTS**

THE SMASH HIT COMEDY MUSICAL

I LOVE YOU, you're perfect, NOW CHANGE

**NOVEMBER
12-15, 2020**
Thursday-Saturday
7:30 pm
Sunday 2 pm
Kinzer Performing Arts Center
NOC Tonkawa Seating is limited.

**Directed by
Chad Anderson**

Book and Lyrics by
Joe DiPietro

Music by
Jimmy Roberts

FREE ADMISSION
children under age 12 must be accompanied by adult.

Live Stream
<http://www.noc.edu/noc-events-streaming>

Parental guidance suggested for adult themes and language.
Presented through special arrangement with Concord Theatricals, 235 Park Avenue South, New York, NY 10003.



Kim Battles, NOC sophomore Visual Arts Major from Ponca City received the Continuing Education scholarship from the North Central Oklahoma Arts Council. Battles was previously a recipient of the NOC Foundation Arts Scholarship. Maintaining her grades while continuing her education made her eligible for a second-year scholarship. She will receive a total of \$500, paid as \$250 per semester directly to the student. (photo provided)

Alumni office seeking veteran stories

Northern Oklahoma College Foundation and Alumni office is seeking stories from current students and alumni who have served or are currently serving our country. NOC will be sharing these stories on social media beginning on Nov. 2 - Nov. 11 (Veteran's Day). Please share stories about boot camp, a duty station(s), a memorable award or interaction, a TDY trip or deployment or any other information. To submit for another person, please share how being related to a service member has impacted you and what patriotism has come to mean. Regardless of when, where or how long you served; no matter if you served Active Duty, Guard or Reserve; and no matter what branch, your service counts and we want to honor you for the sacrifice you've made for our country. To participate, send photos and story to kim.ochoa@noc.edu by Wednesday, Oct. 25.

Need Help With Classes? KNOW YOUR OPTIONS

On-Site Tutoring

Peer tutors available for math, writing, and science. Schedules are listed on the NOC Website
Go to www.noc.edu ▶ Select Students Tab ▶ Current Students ▶ Tutoring

Faculty Office Hours

At least ten office hours per week outside of class. Hours are posted in Blackboard and listed in course syllabi.

Online at Tutor.com

Five hours of free online tutoring each semester.

Subjects offered on Tutor.com (access through Blackboard)*

Math Basic Math Algebra Trigonometry Calculus Differential Equations Statistics	Nursing Care Plans Medical Surgical Pathophysiology Pharmacology Acute Care Clinical Assessment Evidence Based Practice Community Healthcare Medical Terminology Pediatrics NCLEX	History U.S. History World History Government	Business Accounting Principles of Management Economics Finance
Science Earth Science Biology Anatomy & Physiology Microbiology Chemistry Physics	Social Sciences Intro to Psychology Intro to Sociology Ethics Criminal Justice	English Grammar Reading Comprehension American Literature British Literature World Literature	Microsoft Office MS Excel MS PowerPoint MS Word
		Writing Live Writing Help ESL Writing Support	Visual Arts Art Appreciation Art History

*Links to Tutor.com are found on each course's Blackboard page.





Food Services

Cafeteria Menu for October 19th – 23rd, 2020

Dinner Special: BLT

The cafeteria will be serving BLTs for dinner
Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday!

Monday October 19 th	Lunch: Tamales Chili Mac	Dinner: Smoked Pork Chops Spaghetti and Meatballs
Tuesday October 20 th	*Build your own Stir Fry* Pulled Pork on Bun	Pizza Casserole Grilled Ham & Cheese
Wednesday October 21 st	Goulash Beef Fajitas	Ribs /or/ Shrimp /or/ Chicken Fried Steak
Thursday October 22 nd	Fried Chicken Meatloaf	Turkey Wraps Cheese Enchiladas
Friday October 23 rd	Baked Fish Buffalo Chicken	Chef's Choice

French Onion Soup @ Lunch

Menu subject to change

All meals served with the following: Vegetable, Starch, Bread (Dinner Roll, Breadstick, etc.), Salad Bar, * Sandwich Bar, * Pizza Bar, Assorted Desserts, Assorted Fountain Drinks, Kool-Aid and Tea (* = Vegetarian Option Available)

Dining Hours, Monday - Friday:

Lunch:	11:30 AM – 1:30 PM	\$8.50 (+ tax)
Dinner:	5:15 PM – 6:30 PM	\$8.50 (+ tax)
Friday Dinner:	4:45 PM – 5:45 PM	\$8.50 (+ tax)
Saturday:	Breakfast 9:00-9:30am / Lunch 12-12:30pm / Dinner 5:00-5:30pm	
Sunday:	Breakfast 9:00-9:30am / Lunch 12-12:30pm / No Dinner	

****10 Meal Card Available to faculty/staff/community members for \$75.00 + Tax****

NOC / NASNTI present

STICKBALL - CHOCTAW STYLE

Lecture and Demonstration by Jake Roberts

Join us on Facebook Live to watch as NOC's Native American History class (Tonkawa) assists Jake Roberts in demonstrating the Choctaw style of Stickball. Roberts will also explain the historical tribal significance Stickball has for the Choctaw Nation.

A Facebook
Live Event
Friday,
November 13, 2020
10:30-11:30 am

CLICK ON THE LIVE FACEBOOK LINK

<https://fb.me/e/4SSPNF9Mi>



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Cultural Engagement Center NOC

@CECatNOC



Participants in game will wear face masks and take precautions.