

# **SENCAP**

# QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER FROM THE DUAL CREDIT TEAM

# SENCAP Reaches 100% Participation in 15-County Region

The Southeast Nebraska Career Academy Partnership has 100% participation of high schools (public and private) in Southeast Community College's 15-county service area. College View Academy signed a Memorandum of Understanding in July, becoming the last school in the area to partner with SENCAP.

"We are beyond excited to have 100% participation in SENCAP in the 15-country area," said Dr. Brian Stark, associate dean of dual credit. "It is great that all public and private schools want to participate to support their high school students' goal of obtaining dual credit in high school to advance their college opportunities and get them a jump start in their workforce or future academic endeavors."

"We have an amazing SENCAP team delivering quality service to our school partners regularly, which helps us stand out from other dual-credit partners," Stark said. "Without this team, we could not be as successful as we are."

Read more of this story on our news page:
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#### **SPEECH WILL BE COMM-1110**

For Spring 2024, there will only be a COMM-1110 section to register for Speech.

SPCH-1110 is no longer an option, so keep that in mind while registering for sections.

# 2023-2024 INFORMATION GUIDE

For high school students in SCC's 15-county service area! The guidebook includes new pathways (Design/Drafting Tech, Medical Assisting & Pre-Health Sciences), certificates, and more!

# SPRING REGISTRATION OPENS OCTOBER 30TH

All registrations are
completed online through
SCC's Self-Service.
Questions? Please reach out
to your SENCAP Coordinator

# HIRING THE HIGHLY QUALIFIED

Do you know of a highly qualified high school teacher who may want to teach dual credit classes for SCC?

Let us know! We are recruiting instructors!

Ask your SENCAP Coordinator for more information.

THE FIRST DAY OF THE SPRING SEMESTER IS:

# JANUARY 22<sup>ND</sup>

Students need to log in to Canvas (our Learning Management System) on January 22<sup>nd</sup> to begin classes. Their Dashboard will show their courses for Spring 2024. NOTE: If students do NOT get logged in within two days of classes starting, they may get dropped as a no-show.

# Team Member Spotlight Adam Niederklein

Adam completed his 10<sup>th</sup> year as an SCC employee and after working as a coordinator for 20+ schools over that period, he recently became a SENCAP Facilitator. He has always enjoyed designing and implementing the curriculum for the SENCAP portfolio, which is now his main focus. Reflecting over the last decade, he feels gratitude for the opportunity to develop relationships with so many amazing people, including colleagues, students, and contacts at many of the high schools in SCC's 15-county service area.

Outside of work, he stays in shape by running in Lincoln's two half-marathons, captaining a Market-to-Market relay team, and attempting to keep up with his wife and two kids, Jameson (3) and Kate (2). He is looking forward to his 11<sup>th</sup> year helping students take advantage of the opportunities at SCC.



# SAVINGS WHILE ON THE PATH TO POSSIBLE

#### 65% TUITION REDUCTION CONTINUES FOR 2023-2024!

We are pleased to announce that student tuition will be reduced by 65% for the upcoming academic school year! SCC's Billing Department works very hard to ensure bills are accurate for students and their families. Notification will be sent (via email) in early fall that dual credit bills are ready. Please advise students NOT to pay their bill until they receive an email from our dual credit program.

\*Online bill pay is available through the Self-Service > Student Finance tab. If you have billing questions, please get in touch with SCC's Student Accounts

# **SELF-SERVICE FOR ONLINE TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS**

Students must pay their bill before an official transcript will be released. Transcripts can be ordered at selfservice.southeast.edu through:

Transcripts Requests > New Request tab.

Students can

now request an official transcript
that will capture final grades!

### **Financial Support**

#### **Learn to Dream Scholarship**

gives economically
disadvantaged students the
opportunity to complete up to
60 semester credit hours for
Lincoln students and 30 credit
hours for students in the 15county area of the Southeast
Community College campuses in
Beatrice, Lincoln, and Milford,
without paying tuition and fees.
Students attending high school
in SCC's 15-county area may be
eligible!

#### Access College Early (ACE)

Scholarship Program pays tuition and mandatory fees for qualified, low-income high school students to enroll in college courses from Nebraska colleges or universities, either through dual enrollment or early enrollment agreements with these institutions.

#### **Financial Aid and Scholarships**

As always, our financial aid representatives specialize in helping make education at Southeast Community College affordable.

# The Counselor's Corner

# **Important 2024 Spring Calendar Dates**

Spring registration begins	October 30
Dedicated online WEB & SWEB high school sections	January 22 – May 3
In-person sections at the high school	January 22 – May 17
Cross-listed section w/online section course dates or classes on an SCC campus	January 22 – May 17

In-person sections can begin before January 22 as long as the high school runs the section for 16 weeks

# **Certificates and Diplomas**

The Board of Governors has approved high school students to apply and graduate with an SCC college-approved certificate/diploma at the same time as receiving their high school diploma. This will allow students to not only explore pathways but earn a college credential at the end of their high school career, preparing students even further for the workforce for those who choose to enter it right away. For those who want to continue their college education, these credentials can be stackable with Associate Degrees that SCC offers.



# **DISCOVERY DAYS AND CAREER DAYS AT SCC!**

# Fall and Spring Discovery Days

#### **Discovery Days**

### **Beatrice Campus:**

- Monday, November 6, 9:30 am 1:15 pm
- Monday, February 12 | Tuesday, March 26,
   9:30 am 1:15 pm

### **Lincoln Campus:**

Friday, March 8 | Monday, April 15 | Friday,
 November 17
 9:30 am - 1:15 pm

#### **Milford Campus:**

- Friday, November 3 9:30 am 1:15 pm
- Friday, March 1 | Monday, April 89:30 am 1:15 pm

# Fall Career Days

#### **Career Days**

### **Careers in Manufacturing & Technologies Day**

 Wednesday, October 25, 9 am – 2 pm, Milford campus



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# PLACEMENT SCORES AND PREREQ'S

Effective immediately, SCC <u>will not</u> require SENCAP/TCA students to provide placement scores to register for courses that rely on placement data to determine eligibility.

Prerequisites that require previous coursework will remain in effect.

Questions? We are happy to help! Please get in touch with your coordinator

# SENCAP COORDINATOR & SENCAP FACILITATOR INFORMATION

To support our portfolio option in our program and efficiency, we have realigned our team for 2023-2024! Our program will have SENCAP Coordinators & and SENCAP Facilitators.

Below is a brief description of their student-centered duties.

SENCAP Coordinators will continue to routinely serve high schools in our 15-county region to meet with students to provide ongoing, individualized support designed to help students successfully transition to their next step after graduation.

- Will assist with orienting students to SCC online resources including Self-Services (online drop/add), The Hub, CANVAS, etc.
- Will provide interpretation support of placement and career assessments to assist students in identifying career interests, goals, academic preparedness, skills, and talents.
- Will collaborate and communicate with 9-12 faculty, counselors, and administration to increase dual enrollment and the number of students transitioning to SCC.
- Will also accompany students to Discovery Days & and Career Days.
- Will assist with coursework and support student efforts to make sure the college course requirements and dual credit requirements are met.

SENCAP Facilitators will be organizing, planning, and overseeing the day-to-day facilitation and operation of the SENCAP Portfolio for the Career Academies in their assigned service area/region operating within area high schools.

- Will be working directly with the SENCAP & and Dual Credit Administrators and designated high school personnel on all aspects of the portfolio.
- Will show communication and coordination with SENCAP Coordinators, high school administrators, counselors, dual-credit instructors, and high school students.
- Will be responsible for teaching and grading the SENCAP online curriculum through Canvas, reporting student progress and grades to high schools in the assigned region.
- Will manage and facilitate SENCAP portfolio coursework and support student efforts to make sure the college course requirements and SENCAP requirements are met.

# Friendly Reminder

The SENCAP team is working to streamline our branding for our program. Effective immediately, SCC will retire the title "DC Advantage" and it will just be SENCAP.

All students enrolled in a SENCAP class will have the option to take the portfolio, which is an integral part of our program for students who wish to increase their career development skills and opportunities.

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