



Leadership and Civic Engagement Week



The Office of Student Leadership and Civic Engagement at Georgia Southern University will host its third annual Leadership and Civic Engagement Week Jan. 28 through Feb. 1, with Lisa Ling, special correspondent to television's Oprah, as the keynote speaker.

"We think Lisa Ling is a good fit for the University," says Jodi Middleton, Leadership Coordinator at the Office of Student Leadership and Civic Engagement, "She'll open the students' eyes to causes and issues not only here in South Georgia, but throughout the world."

The Office of Student Leadership and Civic Engagement will present a variety of discussion panels and leadership workshops facilitated by faculty and staff. The week's events are an effort to raise awareness of volunteer opportunities within the community and to foster positive leadership values in the student body.

The workshops and organized discussion panels throughout the week will address topics such as the media's role and effects on leadership values, social change, and global perspectives in social change. All events for Leadership and Civic Engagement Week are free and open to the public.

Monday, Jan. 28

- Lead and Serve Fair at Union Rotunda from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Leadership 101 Workshop: Leadership and the Media at Russell Union room 2080 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 29

- Keynote Speaker Lisa Ling: Opening Minds and Hearts to the Issues Surrounding Us at the Performing Arts Center starting at 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 30

- Lunch panel discussion: Servant Leadership at Russell Union room 2047 from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m. with free lunch served to first 20 attendees.
- Leadership 101 Workshop: Leadership and Change at Russell Union room 2041 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jan 31

- Lunch panel discussion: Leadership in a Global Society at Russell Union room 2047 from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. with free lunch served to the first 20 attendees.

Friday, Feb. 1

- Step Into Statesboro at the Union Rotunda from 1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., a volunteer opportunity with free dinner for all participants.

Academic Success Center



Looking for the Tutoring Center? We have moved to Cone Hall, 2nd Floor. Come by for tutoring in math, political science, history, psychology, English, biology, chemistry, and anatomy & physiology. Tutoring hours are Monday -Thursday 10:00 am - 10:00 pm & Friday 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. Subjects tutored vary by time. No appointments are necessary and all tutoring is free. Don't wait until your first exam; come early and come often. Make sure you are successful in your classes. For more information call 681-5371, or see our web site at <http://academics.georgiasouthern.edu/success/Tutoring>.

Got Housing? Returning Student Sign-Up 2008-2009 University Housing: Your Place to Live!

We are currently accepting applications for fall 2008-2009 for returning students on our website at www.gsuhousing.com/signup2008. If you would like the opportunity to return to campus for the 2008-2009 year, **you must complete a returning student application by January 31, 2008** in order to participate in the room selection process.

The actual room selection process will occur between February 13, 2008 and February 17, 2008. During this time, you will be able to select your room on-line as well as your roommate/roommates.

Need help with Chemistry? Having problems with Algebra?

Housing has a Academic Mentor and Peer Tutor staff available for your academic needs!



- 3 Peer Tutors in Eagle Village Clubhouse
- 1 Peer Tutor in Johnson Hall with math/chemistry experience
- 2 Academic Mentors within Watson Hall

All tutors and mentors are available Sunday through Thursday. Be sure to keep an eye out for their specific schedules around the EV clubhouse, Johnson Hall lobby, and Watson Hall area!

President's Corner



So everyone has made it through their first two weeks of classes, are done with the schedule changes, have met all the professors, and have some kind of understanding of what to expect throughout the semester. Many of us come back from break with goals in mind for the upcoming semester while others wait to see what exactly they are getting themselves into. Either way the importance comes in remembering these goals. Setting goals is something each and every one of us should be doing so that we can ensure the outcomes that we are looking for. Maybe your goal for this semester is to make it through a tough class, maybe your goal is to maintain your GPA while getting more involved on campus, and maybe for some of you it is to make the Dean's or President's list. Whatever your goal may be it is important to make sure you do not lose sight of it throughout the semester. Henry Ford once said "Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off your goal." So make sure you are continuing to set obtainable goals and making sure to keep your eye on the prize! Nothing can be more satisfying than walking away from a successful semester.

Let's make every week amazing.

Your RHA President, Deborah Swofford

Step Into Statesboro

You can help the community, meet new friends, and get a free dinner...just come to the rotunda at 1:30 on Friday, Feb 1st for Step into Statesboro. There will be about 15 different locations to volunteer; just choose one, team up with your new friends and have fun serving the community!



For questions, please contact Diana at dhensley@georgiasouthern.edu or call 871-1435.

This event is a part of Leadership & Civic Engagement Week through the Office of Student Leadership & Civic Engagement.
<http://students.georgiasouthern.edu/leadership/>



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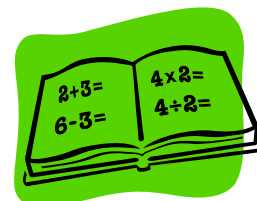
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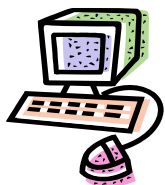
Operating Hours

Monday-Thursday: 7:30-9:00
Fri: 7:30-5:00

10 Steps for Reading Math Material



1. Skim the assigned reading material.
2. As you skim the chapter, circle the new words that you do not understand.
3. Put all your concentration into reading.
4. When you get to the examples, go through each step.
5. Mark the concepts and words that you do not know.
6. If you do not understand some words or concepts, develop your own glossary and ask the instructor or tutor for a better explanation.
7. If you do not understand the materials, try seeing an academic advisor in your residence hall or go by the Academic Success Center.
8. While reading, highlight the material that is important to you.
9. After finishing your reading assignment, recall to yourself and write down the most important learned concepts.
10. Write several questions that you think will be on the test. Use these questions as a future study checkup.



Looking for a computer lab in the middle of the night?

The College of Information Technology has two large computer labs that are referred to as the "Eagle Labs". These labs have a total of 128 computers, are funded by student technology fees, and are open to the general student population.

The labs are open 24 hours a day, 7 days per week!