WHO ARE WE?

WKU On Demand; Distance Learning Testing Center; Online Student Services-Retention





DISTANCE LEARNING TESTING CENTER



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- Graduate students
- WKU F1rst Gen



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- OGDEN
- **CEBS**
- On Demand extensions



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Coordinator, **Industry Testing**



WELCOME

FALL 2025

 We're excited to kick off another great Fall semester together with the WKU Hilltopper Family!

> 270-745-3028 wku.edu/online/srp online.success@wku.edu



DO YOU NEED TO

(270) 745-3158



testing-center@wku.edu



wku.edu/testing/students.php

TOOLS FOR ONLINE LEARNERS



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CAMPUS RESOURCES





UPCOMING EVENTS

SMART GOAL CHECKER

SPECIFIC

Is it clear what action I must take to achieve my goal?



ONLINE STUDENT

MEASURABLE

Will I know exactly when I've completed my goal? will I be able to track my progress?

ATTAINABLE Is it possible to achieve if I make the required effort?

RELEVANT

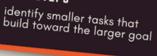
Is it in harmony with my larger life vision?

TIMED

Have I set a precise date to complete the goal?















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EVENTS

Campus Recreation and Wellness Calendar

WKU Events Calendar

WKU Sports Calendar

Fall 2025 Academic Calendar

Registration Guides

UPCOMING EVENTS

September

- 9/1- Labor Day (university closed)
- 9/5- Residual funds disbursement (grants and loans)

October

• 10/6 to 10/7- Fall Break (university closed)



Tired of multiple log ins?

You can use your NetID to log in one time to **myWKU** to have one click access.



STUDENT SUPPORT **RESOURCES**

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The Learning Center (Tutoring)

Whether you are a distance learner or online student, Online Tutoring Sessions provide FREE quality academic assistance for a variety of classes.

Appointments via TutorTrac

Other WKU Tutoring and Support Centers

The best way to improve your test scores is through thorough preparation! While studying hard for each exam is important, true preparation means developing good study habits over time. This approach not only helps you remember the material but also deepens your understanding. To help you with this, consider using The Learning Center's tutoring services. Their tutors can guide you through challenging concepts, reinforce your understanding, and support you as you build strong study habits. Don't wait—reach out today and set yourself up for success!



Coaching for Academic Readiness, Excellence, and Success



www.wku.edu/online/srp Student Counseling Services The Counseling Center • 270-745-3159 counseling.center@wku.edu Talley Family Counseling ◦ 270-745-4204

Student Resource Portal

Campus Resources

WKU Libraries

• 270-745-3951

Online Student Services

On Demand
• 270-745-4158

• 270-745-3028

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ondemand@wku.edu Academic Student Success Coaching

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Information Technology

- Services (ITS)
- chat live online at wku.edu/its/chat/

Student Financial Assistance (Financial Aid)

- fa.help@wku.edu

Advising and Career Development Center (ACDC)

- Academic Advising o 270-745-5065
- o academic.advising@wku.edu
- career Development 270-745-3095
- careerhelp@wku.edu
- The Learning Center (tutoring)

 o 270-745-5065
- tlc@wku.edu

- F1rstGen Programs
- 270-745-3920 firstgen@wku.edu

Student Activities

- - Leadership and Volunteerism
 o 270-745-2459
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The Student Accessibility Resource Center (SARC)

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MKU® Online

BRANDON WOOD

"My advice for future online learners is to approach their education with discipline, organization, and an open mindset. Online learning offers flexibility and accessibility, but it also requires strong selfmotivation and time management skills. Online learners can maximize their educational experience and achieve their academic and professional goals when coupled with educational dedication."





THE VALUE OF RECOGNITION

Spotlighting students at WKU is vital to fostering a vibrant and inclusive university community. It helps to build a sense of belonging, pride, and collaboration across campus. Through these spotlights, we acknowledge the diverse talents and dedication that make our university a dynamic place to learn, work, and grow.



Registration is still open for Fall 2025 On Demand courses.

You can register until November 30th for the Fall Semester.

- On Demand Courses- Fall 25
- Registering for On Demand Courses
- Main Page for On Demand

WKU On Demand courses

are delivered online and can be started any day, any time, and anywhere.

Contact Us

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- Toll Free: (800) 535-5926
- Fax: (270) 745-3623
- ondemand@wku.edu
- South Campus Academic Wing C170
 - 2355 Nashville Rd.
 - Bowling Green, KY 42101-1084



Set up an Advising Appointment

- Zoom, Phone, or In Person
- Discuss any changes to your major, minor, or your GPA
- Advisor contact info can be accessed through TopNet



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Potter College Events:

PCAL 60th Anniversary Soirée: Get ready to party like it's 1965! Join us for the PCAL 60th Anniversary Soirée on Friday, September 19th, at 7 PM at the Knicely Conference Center to recognize the past, present, and future of PCAL. Planning to attend? Please fill out the RSVP form!

60th Anniversary Events: Keep up to date on this year's groovy celebrations by visiting the PCAL event calendar.



Register now for an online "Patio Chat" with PCAL's Dean, Dr. Terrance Brown. Complete the link below to set up a meeting virtually to discuss your unique experience as an online student, ask questions about PCAL programs, and get to know the Dean.



Potter College of Arts and Letters on Social Media:

- <u>Facebook</u>
- <u>Instagram</u> /@wkupcalDIVERSITY Instagram
- YouTube
- TikTok: @wkuartsandletters

As we begin a new academic year, I am excited to kick off the 60th anniversary festivities for PCAL. Since 1965, PCAL has empowered and nurtured tomorrow's thinkers, innovators, creators, and world changers through visual and performing arts, the humanities, media, and the social sciences.

To help us honor this amazing feat, please check out the PCAL 60th Anniversary Calendar of Events. This calendar will allow you to explore and fully appreciate all the wonderful things PCAL has to offer outside of the classroom. Also, be sure to join us for our main celebration, the PCAL 60th Anniversary Soiree, on Friday, September 19th.

PCAL is our home, a home made up of diverse individuals who celebrate diversity in learning. It's good to have you back, and I look forward to seeing you on campus or for a patio chat!

- Levrance Brown



Two students create bowls using pottery wheels in a Ceramics class. Cherry Hall, 1970.



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Ogden College of Science and Engineering on Social Media:

- Facebook
- <u>Instagram</u> /@wkusogdencollege
- X (Twitter)
- YouTube
- LinkedIn

OSCE Resource Links:

- Calculator Rental Program
- Ogden College Student Technology Information
- Tutoring:
 - Chemistry Help Center
 - Computer Science
 Tutoring Center
 - Math Tutoring Lab
 - Physics and Help Center



Welcome back, Hilltoppers!

We're excited to kick-off another semester of learning and growing with you. 2025 is extra special as we celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Ogden College! Stay tuned for ways to celebrate this milestone with us, and we'd love to see you at our Ice Cream Social on September 5th behind Hardin Planetarium! Here's to a successful and rewarding semester ahead!





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Thursday at 3 PM 3 23 October 2025

Panelist



National Corvette Museum 350 Corvette Dr.

Why This Matters

This event helps people move beyond fear and uncertainty surrounding Al through real-life examples and hands on experience that will build understanding, excitement, and the confidence to embrace the future.







GFCB on Social Media:

- Facebook
- Instagram (@wkugordonford)
- X (Twitter)
- LinkedIn

Speakers

Dr. Whitney Peake

Dr. Thad Crews Presenter & Panelist



Sponsored by

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Dr. Mark Ciampa Panelist

No cost to attend.



UNLOCK YOUR FIRST-GEN POWER



WKU FIRST GENERATION LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

NOVEMBER 14 AND 15

CLAIM IT. OWN IT. LEAD WITH IT.







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5K Run and 2-Mile Walk

WKU. College of Health & Human Services



CHHS prepares health and human services professionals who will work to improve the quality of life in their communities and beyond. We recognize this effort must start with improving the quality of life for our students while they are in college. Focusing on the 10

dimensions of wellness (or the wellness wheel), we encourage balanced, optimal

wellness for CHHS students. Reach out to us!



JULIE JONES STUDENT WELLNESS **NAVIGATOR** julie.jones@wku.edu



JOANNA SHAKE joanna.shake@wku.edu

Saturday, September 13th: Registration at 9:00 AM Race Starts at 10:00 AM

Location: Chaney's Dairy Barn (9191 Nashville Road)

Proceeds benefit: 1LT Eric Yates Scholarship Fund

Pre-Registration:



Entry Fees: \$20 (includes t-shirt); Race day: \$25

ROTC Website: www.wku.edu/rotc

Run for a Reason

na.brittenham@wku.edu (270) 745-4293

1LT Eric D. Yates

WKU Class of 2008 Kiled In Action September 17, 2010





College of Health and Human Services on Social Media: Department of Social Work:

- **Facebook**
- <u>Instagram</u> /@wkusocialwork
- X (Twitter)
- YouTube
- LinkedIn





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College of Education & Behavioral Sciences wku.edu/cebs

College of Education and Behavioral Sciences on Social Media:

- Facebook
- Instagram / @wkucebs
- X (Twitter)
- YouTube
- TikTok: @wkucebs

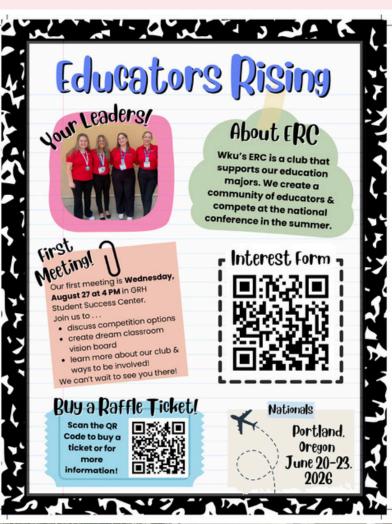
Featured CEBS Event:

Twice-Exceptional Students Seminar: Featuring Dr. Claire Hughes

September 18, 2025 | 8:30 am - 3:30 pm CT Eva & Jim Marten's Alumni Center, 292

Alumni Ave.
Lunch is Included

Cost: \$125 Register here.



WKU Educators Rising
Collegiate Presents ...

EXPLORE BCKY
RAFFLE BASKET

INCLUDED:

- Hotworx: Free Month
- El Maz: \$20 Gift Card
- Lost River Cave: 2 Tickets
- Cheddars: 6 Free Chips & Queso Appetizers
- Buff City Soap: \$20 Value Gift Set
- Stackz: Gift Card
- Dove & Olive Boutique: Merchandise
 GADS: TBD
- Nothing Bundt Cakes: Free Box of Minis
- \$100 Visa Gift Card
- & More Coming Soon!

\$3 for 1 Ticket \$5 for 2 Tickets \$20 for 15 Tickets

Tickets must be purchased before 2 PM on September 10! Drawing will take place at 4 PM on September 10! Fill out the form below & Venmo @mikaylagambrel to buy a ticket!



