

# Truckee Meadows Community College

## Counselors & Partners in Education October Newsletter

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### TMCC Dates and Deadlines for October and November

Visit [TMCC Dates and Deadlines](#) and the [TMCC Events Calendar](#) for more information.

**October 1** [Fastober](#)  
**October 4** [Nevada Promise Program Training](#)  
**October 5** [TMCC Info Day and Campus Tour](#)  
**October 8** [Fastober](#)  
**October 15** [TMCC Day on the Hill](#)  
**October 18** [Nevada Promise Program Training; TMCC Info Night](#)  
**October 22** [Fastober](#)  
**October 27** Last day to audit or withdraw from a regular semester class

**October 31** MyTMCC Shopping Carts open for winter and spring 2023 schedules  
**November 1** TMCC Summer Bridge [application](#) opens for 2023 admission  
**November 2** [Nevada Promise Program Training](#)  
**November 3** [Winter 2022/Spring 2023 Registration Opens for New Students; Día de Información del TMCC y Tour en español](#)  
**November 14** [Nevada Promise Program Training; Noche de información virtual del TMCC en español](#)

[Take a TMCC virtual tour](#) to learn all about our four locations and what they have to offer!

» [RTC Ed Pass for Jump Start Dual Enrolled Students!](#) «

#### TMCC Day on the Hill

TMCC Day on the Hill is a free event for families and individuals who want to learn about the educational opportunities we offer at TMCC.

**Saturday, October 15**

**10am-2pm (please check in by 11am)**

**TMCC Dandini Campus**

**[RSVP today!](#)**

#### Certified Nursing Assistant Program for WUSD Juniors and Seniors

TMCC has 15 spots available for WUSD Juniors or Seniors who want to participate in a special program for Certified Nursing Assistant training. Application deadline is November 30! [Students can apply here.](#)

[See CNA Flier for more information.](#)

*What do Nursing Assistants do?*

CNAs provide patient care. They assist with admitting and discharging patients, measure vital signs and promote psychological comfort.

Completing the TMCC CNA program will prepare students to assist the professional nurse in direct client care or build on skills needed for other health programs.

#### Do You Want a Career Working with Animals?

Did you know there are other careers in veterinary medicine besides Veterinarian?

The Veterinarian diagnoses animal illness, prescribes the treatments, and performs surgery. The Veterinary Nurse (aka Vet Tech) does almost everything else! If you really want to work with animals, a career as a Veterinary Nurse may be for you.

You can become a [Vet Nurse at TMCC](#)! We can help decide which path in veterinary medicine is best for you.

#### Students Who Need a Health Class....

TMCC offers CHS 102: Foundations of Personal Health and Wellness over Winter.

From our Community Health Science department. . .

**CHS 102 Section 6001, 3 units, Online class, from 12/19/22 - 01/12/23**

This course introduces the basic tenets of personal health and wellness. These include concepts of health, diet and exercise, relationships, disease prevention and making personal choices that promote a healthy lifestyle.

For additional questions about this course, contact the department at 775-673-8251, or see <https://www.tmcc.edu/biology/contact>

#### Nevada Promise Deadline - October 31

The [Nevada Promise Scholarship deadline](#) is just around the corner! Please encourage students to apply no later than 11:59 p.m. on October 31!

The scholarship assists students for up to three years and gives students the opportunity to complete a degree for almost free!

#### New Geology Faculty at TMCC

TMCC welcomes Roger Putnam, noted Sierra Nevada geologist, rock climber, and guidebook author as new faculty. He has modernized the Geology courses at TMCC to address the concerns of our community—focusing on natural disasters, mineral resources, climate change, and water resources.

Geology Professor Putnam is looking for new students to join his programs! Do you know any future Geologists? Connect them to with [Roger Putnam](#).

#### William N. Pennington Health Science Center Expansion: Nurses at the Forefront

In response to the regional need for more skilled nurses, TMCC is moving forward with a project to [expand the William N. Pennington Health Science Center](#), broadening the number of students training to become skilled nurses. The expansion will also allow TMCC to grow educational opportunities in Radiologic Technology, Sterile Processing and Surgical Tech, and Public Safety including EMT, Paramedic, Fire Suppression, and Emergency Management and Homeland Security.

For more information on the [William N. Pennington Health Science Center](#), please [contact us](#).

#### Explore Health and Medical Career Options!

These mini courses are offered in the spring semester at TMCC.

There are no prerequisites, and they are **ONLINE!**

##### NUTR 100 - Introduction to Dietetic Technician Program

Are you interested in healthy eating? This course is designed for those students who have an interest in becoming a Registered Dietetic Technician. For info, call 775-674-7657, or see <https://www.tmcc.edu/nutrition/contact>

##### RAD 101 - Exploration of Radiology

Are you fascinated by X-ray and other imaging technology? This course is designed for those students who have an interest in becoming a radiological technologist (an X-Ray Tech). For info, call 775-850-4003, or see <https://www.tmcc.edu/radiologic-technology/contact>

##### SRGT 101 - Introduction to Surgical Technology

Roles and responsibilities of the Surgical Technologist are discussed, defined, and explored. Surgical technologists work closely with surgeons, anesthesiologists, and other surgical personnel in a variety of settings. For info, call 775-824-8640, or see <https://www.tmcc.edu/surgical-technology/contact>

#### Financial Aid Application Assistance

3 FASTOBER events are available this year! The events will be held in the TMCC Sierra Building from 11 am - 1 pm on Saturday, October 1st, 8th, and 22nd.

We will have experts available to assist your seniors and their parent(s) with the FAFSA and the Nevada Promise Application.

Attending will help students meet deadlines for priority awarding and stay on track with their Nevada Promise Scholarship steps.

Space is limited to 30 families per date:

[Fastober - Financial Aid - Truckee Meadows Community College](#)

1-hour virtual FAFSA appointments are also available in the month of October. Sign up using: <https://myadvisor.tmcc.edu/>



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