



### PI DAY! A SUCCESS!

Pictured above: Christina Cantrell and her Medical Assisting Class celebrating Pi Day!



Pictured below:  
Forsyth Campus  
students  
celebrating Pi Day.



Pictured above: Hall Campus students celebrating Pi Day with Tutors Robin Huckaby, Karen Walsh, Jill Mull, Dr. Traci Lawson-Kelly, and Amy Wilson.



Pi Day 2024 was a success at the Student Success Centers! Students enjoyed oatmeal crème pies, compliments of SGA and the SSC. The tutors had a wonderful time handing out sweet treats and sharing their knowledge with the students. If you missed Pi Day this year, don't fret. Mark your calendars and plan to celebrate Pi Day again next year with the Student Success Center.

Article by Madison Freeman,  
Writing Tutor

## FINAL EXAM ADVICE FROM OUR LTC INSTRUCTORS

As the final exam season draws near, being prepared is key. We reached out to our instructors for their top tips on getting ready and studying for finals, and they offered some valuable advice that we're excited to share with you! Remember, the Student Success Center is always available to assist you with your studies as you prepare for finals. You can make an appointment with a tutor at:

<https://tutoring.laniertech.edu/>



The view from the SSC at the Hall Campus

### BETTY YOUNG

ADJUNCT MATH INSTRUCTOR

My advice would be to start out organized and stay organized. Know when all your assignments are due and when tests are. Take it day by day. It is impossible to learn everything right before the test. Do your assignment as if you have a test on it the next day. Do not procrastinate. And, most importantly, ask for help. Lanier Tech students are fortunate to be able to get help from the tutoring center at any time.

### AMBUJA WESTBELD

MICROBIOLOGY INSTRUCTOR

Some advice I give students includes the following: Create a study schedule, understand the basics, and use visual aids. Solve practice quizzes that are available online or join study groups. Teach the material to a fellow student or family member. Study in short, focused sessions instead of cramming and review regularly. Self-test and identify your problem areas. Manage test-anxiety with relaxation techniques.

### ABBY CRUMP-SINHA

ADJUNCT ENGLISH INSTRUCTOR

Make yourself write (or work) even when you don't feel like it and think that nothing worthwhile will come out of it. There is a direct correlation between time / effort and success in college courses. Time = Success.

## MATH FINAL EXAM STUDENTS

We will have extra tutors all day!

Article by Madison Freeman, Writing Tutor

In preparation for final exam week, the Student Success Center will be offering additional hours of math tutoring April 22nd - 30th and May 1st at the Hall and Forsyth campuses. During these hours, extra math tutors will be available at the Student Success Centers to work with students. Students are encouraged to schedule a tutoring appointment ahead of time to ensure that they receive adequate time with a tutor; however, walk-in appointments are still welcome. We look forward to assisting you as you prepare for your final exams.

<https://tutoring.laniertech.edu>

When visiting the SSC, you will see the smiling faces of our wonderful Hall Campus math tutors, ready to help students succeed.



Pictured above left: Math tutor Jonathan McRae manning the desk.  
Pictured above right: Math tutor Robin Huckaby assisting a student.



## Shakespeare's Birthday...Or Is It?

Article by Amy Wilson,  
Writing Tutor

William Shakespeare was born sometime in April 1564... at least as far as we know. His exact date of birth is not known, though he was christened on April 26 of that year. Traditionally, his birthday is celebrated on April 23, according to the [Royal Shakespeare Company](#). Shakespeare scholar Lena Cowen Orlin relates the story of how that date became accepted, noting that earlier researchers may have been influenced in part by the “[marvelous symmetry](#)” created by the fact that Shakespeare also died on that date in 1616. The Folger Shakespeare Library suggests a variety of activities to celebrate Shakespeare’s birthday, from coloring a free, downloadable [coloring page](#) based on images from their collections, to taking a selfie as your favorite of his characters. Perhaps the simplest way? Read!

Whether you already have a favorite Shakespeare play or poem or not, the Folger Shakespeare editions of all of his work are available on their website at <https://www.folger.edu/explore/shakespeares-works/>. You can read online or download the texts for free!

One of my favorites:

“Sonnet 116”

Let me not to the marriage of true minds  
Admit impediments. Love is not love  
Which alters when it alteration finds  
Or bends with the remover to remove.  
O, no, it is an ever-fixèd mark  
That looks on tempests and is never shaken;  
It is the star to every wand’ring bark,  
Whose worth’s unknown, although his height be taken.  
Love’s not Time’s fool, though rosy lips and cheeks  
Within his bending sickle’s compass come;  
Love alters not with his brief hours and weeks,  
But bears it out even to the edge of doom.  
If this be error, and upon me proved,  
I never writ, nor no man ever loved.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SSC FUN CORNER PUZZLE WINNER, KATHERYNE CLINE!**



**SSC FUN CORNER!**



*Spring*  
Word Search

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| BLOSSOM   | APRIL | NEST    | GREEN    |
| BUTTERFLY | TULIP | BREEZE  | UMBRELLA |
| EASTER    | BUNNY | RAIN    | GRASS    |
| THAW      | ROBIN | RAINBOW | BUD      |

Fill out the puzzle and drop off a printed copy at your closest Student Success Center. All correct entries will be entered for a chance to win a \$10 Starbucks gift card. Entries due by April 24.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**SSC ART CORNER!**



Starry Night, June 1889, Vincent Van Gogh

**Art in Life: PSYC 1101**

Art Corner by Susan Beaubien, Writing Tutor

Art therapy is a technique used to treat and enhance mental health. The painting "Starry Night", by Van Gogh, captures the artist's recollection of the night sky outside of the bars of the asylum at Saint-Remy, where he was a patient in 1889. Van Gogh used art to relieve psychological pain.

# SSC Online Schedule for Spring 2024

The SSC online schedule can be found below. The complete schedule can be found through the My LTC - Students page.

Register once and make appointments at:

<https://tutoring.laniertech.edu/>

SUBJECT	DAYS	TIME
ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY	Monday - Thursday	12:00pm - 1:00pm
	Tuesday - Thursday	9:30am - 11:00am
	Wednesday	9:00am - 12:00pm
BIOLOGY	Monday	10:00am - 4:00pm
	Tuesday	12:00pm - 6:00pm
BUSINESS TECH & COMP 1000	Monday	11:00am - 12:00pm
	Wednesday	2:00pm - 4:00pm
	Thursday	9:00am - 11:00am
CHEMISTRY	Monday	10:00am - 4:00pm
	Tuesday	8-10am - 12-6pm
	Thursday	8-10am - 2-4pm
ECONOMICS	Monday	10:00am - 2:00pm
LIBRARY	Monday/Wednesday	8:30am - 4:00pm
	Tuesday	11:30am - 4:30pm
	Thursday	8:00am - 4:30pm
	Friday	8:30am - 12:00pm
MATH	Monday - Thursday	1:00pm - 9:00pm
	Saturday	9:00am - 1:00pm
MATH STATISTICS	Monday - Thursday	5:00pm - 9:00pm
	Saturday	9:00am - 1:00pm
PHYSICS	Tuesday	8-10am - 12-2pm
	Thursday	8-10am - 2-4pm
WRITING	Monday - Thursday	12:30pm - 9:00pm
	Saturday	10:00am - 2:00pm
PSYCHOLOGY	Monday	3:00pm - 6:00pm
	Tuesday/Thursday	9:30-11am - 12-3pm
	Wednesday	9:00am-12pm - 3-6pm

**Extra snacks will be available at all Student Success Centers during Final Exams!**

**While supplies last. Provided by SGA and SSC.**



- Who:** Any LTC student registered for MATH 1111B or MATH 1111 Summer Semester 2024.
- What:** A face-to-face, five-day introduction/review class. It consists of basic algebra skills, study skills, hands-on explorations, and information about the Student Success Center.
- Where:** LTC Hall Campus, room 3244.
- When:** May 13th – 17th Hall: 8:30am – 12:00pm.
- Cost: FREE!**

**Students must register.**

Sign up [here](#) or contact Susan Baker at [sbaker2@laniertech.edu](mailto:sbaker2@laniertech.edu) for more information.



### Additional Math Tutoring Hours Student Success Center

	Forsyth	Hall
Monday, April 22	9:00am - 6:00pm	9:00am - 6:00pm
Tuesday, April 23	9:00am - 6:00pm	9:00am - 6:00pm
Wednesday, April 24	8:00am - 6:00pm	8:00am - 6:00pm
Thursday, April 25	9:00am - 6:00pm	8:00am - 6:00pm

Monday, April 29	9:00am - 6:00pm	9:00am - 6:00pm
Tuesday, April 30	9:00am - 6:00pm	8:00am - 7:30pm
Wednesday, May 1	8:00am - 7:30pm	8:00am - 7:30pm

Student Success Center Newsletter Team:  
 Susan Beaubien, Stacy Bruce, Madison Freeman, Tina Jordan, Mason Sisk, Amy Wilson, and Susan Baker.