

Skagit Valley College

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Skagit Valley College Offers Student Orientation Sessions September 12 at San Juan Center: “Meet Your Professors” and “How to Excel in Your Online Class”

Skagit Valley College students taking classes online or on campus can prepare for Fall Quarter by attending an orientation session at the San Juan Center in Friday Harbor on Wednesday, September 12. Admission is free and no registration is required.

Students planning to take classes on campus can “Meet Your Professors” at the San Juan Center on Wednesday, September 12 at 11:00 a.m. Students will have an opportunity to learn what they need to begin Fall Quarter including helpful information about admissions, registration, advising, books and will be able to meet the professors teaching at the Center this fall. Students will receive information on study skills, student services, and activities. In addition, students will have an opportunity to find their classroom before the first day of class. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the session.

Students interested in taking classes online will benefit from attending the Faculty/Student Forum on Online Learning, “How to Excel in your Online Class” at 1:00pm at the San Juan Center. Students will learn how to excel in an online class with advice from instructors and helpful tips from other students. Experienced online faculty members coming from Whidbey Island Campus of Skagit Valley College include instructors from Math, Physical Education and Business departments.

Orientation will provide students with an opportunity to meet with other students, faculty, and administrators. Students are encouraged to bring their class schedules to the event. Orientation is highly recommended for new students and is a good idea for returning students as well.

New and returning students can still register for Fall Quarter classes. Fall Quarter begins Monday, September 17 at all SVC locations: the Mount Vernon Campus, Business Resource Center in downtown Mount Vernon, Whidbey Island Campus in Oak Harbor, South Whidbey Center in Clinton, and the San Juan Center in Friday Harbor.

SVC offers academic transfer degrees, professional/technical career options, courses in basic skills and English as a Second Language, citizenship preparation, job skill upgrades, as well as diverse personal enrichment courses and workshops. Transfer degrees include a two-year transfer degree via distance education, Associate in Arts University and College Transfer (AAUCT), Associate in Arts, Associate in Technical Arts, Associate in Music, Associate in Science, Associate in Visual Arts, an Associate in Business, and a Early Childhood Education transfer degree. The college also offers GED preparation courses and testing, including online.

For more information, students can contact their nearest campus or center:

Mount Vernon Campus

(360) 416-7697 • 1-(877) 385 5360 toll free

Whidbey Island Campus

(360) 679-5319

San Juan Center

(360) 378-3220

Business Resource Center

(360) 416-7873

South Whidbey Center

(360) 341-2324

Distance Education

(360) 416-7770

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