

# STUDENT SUCCESS

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## **WELCOME**

### We're here to help you achieve success.

The COVID-19 pandemic has taught us all about the importance of being adaptive, flexible, and resilient. Teaching and learning during a pandemic has posed many challenges for students and teachers alike and has left people in both groups feeling less confident in their ability to learn and to teach successfully. At LC State, we have been fortunate in this respect. While it's true that some of our courses went from being completely in-person to a combination of in-person and virtual, it is also true that our college has continued to offer students robust support systems to help them be more assured of success.

Do you have concerns about being successful in college? Are there some subjects that are harder for you than others? Are you concerned about finding the right opportunities to build a powerful résumé and maximizing your college experience so that you are more competitive when you complete your degree? If the answer to any or all of these questions is YES, then be sure to read this brochure thoroughly. At LC State,

we pride ourselves on helping students unlock their vast potential and launching them into a lifetime of achievement and success. This brochure will give you a glimpse at some of the ways we accomplish this.

### I look forward to welcoming you to our campus.



Dr. Andy Hanson Vice President for Student Affairs

## **FALL 2021**

When we first started planning how we would offer classes and services during the pandemic, our first priority was to keep our students, faculty, and staff as safe as possible while also offering our classes in a way that would be conducive to student learning. We modified our classroom capacities to allow for social distancing and we also required face coverings in all of our classrooms. We made adjustments in our residence halls and adapted our student activities to include virtual experiences. We successfully completed Fall 2020 and are enjoying even greater success in Spring 2021.

As we look to the Fall 2021 semester, we are planning to offer more of our classes without a virtual option. We are planning to have our residence halls back to near-full capacity and will have a thorough menu of in-person student activities. Naturally, we will continue to keep our eye on the pandemic and will be prepared to change our approach as necessary. But, we are excited to take the lessons learned from the 20-21 academic year and create an even more meaningful in-person experience for future students.



Stay up to date with the latest information from LC State and find resources available to students at www.lcsc.edu/coronavirus.

#### **CORONAVIRUS HOTLINE**

We offer a COVID-19 hotline for students if they have questions or need to report a case.

### **SUPPORT SERVICES**

LC Emotional Support Line: 208-792-2866 Student Health Services: 208-792-2251 Student Counseling Center: 208-792-2211







## **ACADEMIC ADVISING**

Academic Advising is here to help you meet your goals and be as successful as possible! You'll have support from not only your Academic Advisor but also a Faculty Mentor and Peer Mentor (a current LC student) to help you navigate the transition from to LC State. Whether it's registering for classes, choosing a major, or finding the resources you need, we're here for you.

### Your Academic Advisor will:

- Discuss possible majors/career and help you choose classes
- Work with you to create an academic plan for graduation
- Discuss strategies and resources to help you be successful in college
- Provide career exploration support
- Answer questions about financial aid, registration, housing, payment plans, and more
- Check-in with you throughout the semester to make sure everything is going well
- Support you through concerns or issues you encounter

### Your Faculty Mentor will:

- Help you with program or major-specific questions
- Direct you to helpful resources for your major
- Help you identify academic, professional, and social goals
- Provide support and suggestions to help you meet those goals

### Your Peer Mentor will:

- Help you explore student involvement opportunities to help build your résumé
- Suggest campus events and activities that you might enjoy
- Give advice on balancing life as a college student



# WELLNESS AT LC STATE

We care about the physical and mental health of our students. We are proud to offer professional and confidential health and wellness resources on campus!

### **Campus Health and Wellness Activities**

Actively participate in the health and wellness activities on campus through involvement in the campus Health and Wellness Committee or in the REACH (Resources Empowering Action for Community Health) campus and community coalition. Contact the Student Counseling Center to learn more!

#### **Student Health Services**

- LC State partners with St. Joseph Regional Medical Center to provide health services to our students.
- Schedule appointments for wellness checks, vaccinations, or other medical preventative services to keep you healthy and able to succeed in your school and social life.
- Most medical insurance is accepted.
- Students can call or drop-in to make an appointment.

### **Student Counseling Services**

- Free personal counseling available to address academic, relationship, and other emotional or mental health concerns.
- Students can call or drop-in to make counseling appointments
- Learn to manage your time, improve communication skills, and increase your emotion regulation through the Therapy Assisted Online (TAO) self-help program available to all LC State students.
- Learn to look out for and to assist others around you through participation in the Student Support Network (SSN) program.







### LC Leadership Credential and Leadership Series

LC State offers a state recognized leadership development credential that you can earn by attending presentations and participating in campus leadership positions or activities.

### Student Employment and Career Center

Need a part-time job, an internship, or someone to review your résumé or give you pointers on an interview? The Student Employment and Career Center does that and more! With the Handshake database, they are able to connect you to hundreds of local and international positions based on your indicated interests.

### Intramural Sports and Outdoor Recreation

Staying active and enjoying the great outdoors is easy to do at LC State. With many intramural sports offered and a myriad of outdoor recreational options in our area, this is the perfect place to explore.

# EXPERIENCE LC STATE

**DO MORE** with your College Experience

Success is not always defined by in-class work alone but by the connections and experiences made. LC State's Student Union Building/Center for Student Leadership (SUB/CSL), provides endless opportunities for both.

With 50+ student organizations, three student media outlets, programming board, student government, intramural sports, and an outdoor recreation program, LC State students are able to get involved and develop skills that will help them successfully lead now and into the future.

The Center for Student Leadership's focus on developing leaders is something that is taken seriously. From day one you will be provided opportunities to broaden your education and expand your professional résumé with an emphasis on career readiness. Pairing your experiences and education with a focus on career, Warrior graduates will be ready to lead in their professional field.

# SUPPORT SERVICES

LC State offers a variety of other services to help students achieve personal and academic success!

### **Accessibility Services**

- Accommodations and Resources
- Testing Center

### **Accounting Center**

- Assignment Help
- Test Preparation
- Finance

### **Learning Resource Center (Career-Technical Students only)**

- Tutoring Services
- Study Skills Workshops
- Computer Lab

### **Math and Science Tutoring Center**

- Math and Science Tutoring
- · Anatomy and Physiology Lab

### Native American, Minority and Veterans' Services

- Native American/Minority Student Advising
- Freshman Transitional Services
- · Scholarship/Leadership Training
- Veteran Services

### **Writing Center and Spanish Lab**

- Writing Skills Development
- Essay Writing Help
- Spanish Language Assistance

#### **Freshmen Canvas Group**

Canvas is the online course platform used in all LC State courses. We created a special Canvas group to help students get to know their advisor and other new students. It has a similar feel to a college course, but there are no assignments, quizzes, or grading of any kind. The group offers things to do, items to review, and ways you can interact with your advisor through Zoom.

### **Person Proxy**

Students can designate a "proxy" who may access their information in WarriorWeb. A proxy user is typically a parent, spouse, guardian, etc, who can view information such as grades and financials.

To designate a proxy, please visit WarriorWeb.





### **A FEW REMINDERS**

There's still time to apply for admission
www.lcsc.edu/admissions

- Contact The Advising Center to schedule a STAR (Student Advising and Registration)
  Session or to find out who to contact to schedule an appointment
- Ensure your on-campus housing application has been submitted (living on-campus is optional) www.lcsc.edu/residence-life
- Check your LCMail and WarriorWeb account

- Sign into WarriorWeb and accept your financial aid offers
- HS Seniors: send in your final high school transcript (after graduation)
- Send in ALL official college transcripts (including Dual Credit)
- Come and visit us! Take a campus tour, talk with faculty, and experience LC State www.lcsc.edu/visit

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