

# Monday Message

March 10, 2025



Dear all,

In addition to complying with various State of Idaho, State Board of Education (SBOE), Office of State Board of Education (OSBE), and Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) reporting requirements, institutions of higher education that receive federal Title IV funds are statutorily required to submit data and reports annually. Based on these data submissions, the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) IPEDS Data Feedback Report (DFR) was recently released. Data disaggregation and display are made publicly available via a number of consumer focused websites. I invite and encourage you to take a look at these sites (links appear below). Overall, you will find that LC State continues to climb in terms of the metrics associated with student success.

- [College Navigator](#), the U.S. Department of Education's college search site that receives over one million visits per month;
- [College Scorecard](#), utilizes several IPEDS data measures along with other federal agency data to help students and parents make smart college-choice decisions based on costs, value, and quality;
- The retention, transfer, graduation rate, and price data are displayed in the [FAFSA](#) online when students are applying for financial aid;
- The average net price and tuition and fees data are used for the lists presented in the [College Affordability and Transparency Center](#); and
- Data are publicly available for download from the [IPEDS website](#) and are used by institutions for benchmarking as well as by policymakers and reporters for addressing various higher education questions and public concerns.

Go Warriors!

Cynthia Pemberton, Ed.D.  
President

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## Announcements

- **Accidental 911 Calls:** A quick reminder that if you accidentally dial 911, please contact Public Safety (208-792-2226, [security@lcsc.edu](mailto:security@lcsc.edu)) to let them know.
- **Cybersecurity Training:** The Idaho 2025 annual Cybersecurity Training campaign launched on March 1 in Luma and **must be completed by March 31**. Administered by the Idaho Office of Information Technology Services, this year's training covers Artificial Intelligence (10 mins), Data Privacy (10 mins), and Security Awareness (15 mins), totaling approximately 35 minutes. Training modules can be accessed in Luma by clicking on "Luma Training" when you first log in, which will take you to the Employee Learning and Development profile.
- **Fidelity:** Do you have questions for Fidelity Investments? Representatives will be back on campus to meet with interested employees on the following dates: March 18, 19, and 20. How to schedule an appointment:
  - Go to [www.fidelity.com/schedule](https://www.fidelity.com/schedule)
  - Click "schedule a time to meet"
  - Enter employer name (Idaho State Board of Education)
  - Select in-person appointment type

- Change location to Lewis-Clark State College – main campus
    - Select a day and time to meet
  - **Summer Jobs:** Attention on-campus supervisors, students are already inquiring about summer job opportunities. Now is the time to post your open positions in Handshake. Ensure your listings are up to date to connect with eager student applicants. If you need assistance with Handshake, don't hesitate to reach out to [mrhollingsworth@lcsc.edu](mailto:mrhollingsworth@lcsc.edu) or stop by the Student Employment & Career Readiness Center in SUB 202.
  - **Teams Phone Training Sessions:** As promised, IT has scheduled online training sessions for Teams Phone with our project associates at CompuNet. They will cover the basics of how to interact with the new system to help your transition be seamless. IT has set up a [Bookings Calendar](#) with daily training sessions March 3-21. Each session is limited to 30 participants, and you can sign up or change sessions at any time. Registering early is recommended to ensure you get a time and day that works for you. Upon registration, you will receive a confirmation email with a Teams Meeting link. The meeting should automatically appear on your calendar. Please email [itoffice@lcsc.edu](mailto:itoffice@lcsc.edu) if you encounter any of the following:
    - If you do not see the meeting on your Outlook calendar after registering.
    - If you will not make your registered training session and you cannot unregister yourself, IT will need to remove you from the meeting.
  - **Teams Phone Training Materials:** If you would like to preview or review the material covered in the Teams Phone Training sessions, IT has posted the recorded "Teams Phone Live Training from 3.3.25" on the [Teams Phone Transition Intranet page](#).
  - **Teams Phone Timing:** While all employees are encouraged to attend a Teams Phone Training Session as soon as possible, due to a scheduling conflict with the Teams Phone vendor, the campuswide transition has been postponed. The timeline is unconfirmed, but the expectation is that the transition will take place after May 19. Information Technology will share more details in mid-April as the schedule is finalized. Thank you for your patience and understanding. If you have any questions, please email [helpdesk@lcsc.edu](mailto:helpdesk@lcsc.edu).
  - **VP Crea Open House:** An open house to celebrate Dr. Julie Crea's quarter-plus century of service and wish her well will be hosted over the lunch hour on March 13 in the Administration Building, Room 206. Please feel free to stop by.
  - **WarriorWear:** It's time for summer and fall adoptions for course materials. FacultyPortal is now live for faculty members to upload their adoptions for both summer and fall 2025 semesters. The deadline for submitting adoptions is March 15. If anyone is having trouble logging in, or experiencing any other issues, please reach out to the store manager, Brandi, at [bwilliams@textbookbrokers.com](mailto:bwilliams@textbookbrokers.com).
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## Events

Keep up on events and activities through the [Campus Calendar](#) and the [Do More App](#)

- **March 13 – Reflections on Healthcare** – Three LC State nursing faculty, Dr. Erin Fay, Ella-Mae Keatts and Trent Morgan, will share their personal experiences in the ever-changing world of healthcare at 6 p.m. in the Silverthorne Theatre on Thursday, March 13. Humanities faculty Jennifer Anderson will host the talks, which will be followed by tours and a reception in Sacajawea Hall. Those planning to attend the reception and tour are asked to [RSVP online](#) by March 10.
- **March 14 – Basketball at Nationals** – Good luck to the Warrior basketball teams as they compete at nationals. The Warrior men will travel to Georgetown, Ky., and face Saint Francis (Ind.) on Friday at 5 p.m., Pacific. The Warrior women travel to Sioux City, Iowa, and face Columbia College (Mo.) on Friday at 6 p.m., Pacific. To learn more visit [www.lcwarriors.com](http://www.lcwarriors.com). Faculty should anticipate absences from March 11 through the remainder of the week.
  - **Watch Party** – The athletic department will hold a watch party for the basketball games on Friday at the Lewiston Golf & Country Club.

- **March 17-21 – Native American Awareness Week** – LC State will host the 38th annual Native American Awareness Week on campus from March 17-21. All events are free and open to the public. [News release](#).
  - **March 23 – WA-ID Symphony** – The Washington Idaho Symphony will hold a concert at the Silverthorne Theatre on Sunday, March 23, at 3-6 p.m. The event is free to all LC State students, sponsored by the President's office.
  - **April 1-2 – Warrior Giving Day** – No Fooling, [Warrior Giving Day](#) will be held April 1 and 2 this year and will feature 1,893 minutes of giving, commemorating the institution's founding year of 1893. Faculty, staff, students, alumni and friends are invited to participate in the fundraiser and to encourage others to get involved. Additional details about how to get involved will be listed in upcoming Monday Messages.
    - **Wake Up with the Warriors** – The annual Wake Up with the Warriors breakfast, a part of Warrior Giving Day, will take place on April 1 at 7 a.m. at the P1FCU Activity Center ([news release](#)). The breakfast is free and open to the public, though donations to support various athletic programs are strongly encouraged. An [RSVP](#) is required to attend.
  - **April 3 – Employee Recognition Ceremony** – Mark your calendars for Thursday, April 3, at 2 p.m. for the Employee Recognition Ceremony to be held in the Williams Conference Center. [Please RSVP by March 21](#) and come support your colleagues!
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## News & Features

Stay current on LC State news at [www.lcsc.edu/news](http://www.lcsc.edu/news)

- [38th annual Native American Awareness Week is March 17-21](#)
  - [LC State Women's Basketball Headed to Sioux City for NAIA Tournament](#)
  - [Warrior Men are Kentucky Bound for NAIA First and Second Rounds](#)
  - [Herrera Clinches LC State Upset Win Over No. 12 William Woods](#)
  - [Warrior Dance Ends Season with First Win in Program History](#)
  - [Williamson Strikes Out 15 as Part of Twin Bill Sweep of EOU](#)
  - [LC State nursing faculty to speak at upcoming healthcare seminar](#)
  - [Radiographic Science program receives maximum award of accreditation](#)
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**Song for the Week:** "[Just the Way You Are](#)" by The Association

