



## PATHWAYS TO YOUR FUTURE SCHEDULE

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<b>***12:30-1:30pm (Special Session Time)</b>	
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<b>Lunch: 12-1:30pm - CBT Grand Hall</b>
<b>VINGO: 1:30-3:30pm - CBT Grand Hall</b>
<b>Dinner: 4:30-6pm - CBT Grand Hall</b>

## Evening Sessions

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Game On! Video Game & Media Studies at NHCC	CC Fireside Lounge

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#### **Biology for Biology Majors**

9:00 – 9:45 | BHCC 211 | Tam Mans – Biology

*A tour of BHCC labs, plus information about courses, partner program, and info about variety of careers that alumni are in. Possibly followed by a Biomedical Science Club meeting.*

#### **Student Graduation Planner**

9:00 – 9:45 | CBT 160 | Leah Klimek – Advising

*Come learn about our new student planner and see how you can plan out the courses of your degree.*

#### **You Want to Help People. Now What?**

9:00 – 9:45 | CBT 171 | Erin Farley – Advising & Samantha Schendzielos – CARE Center

*Many students know they want a career where they get to help people, but do not really know what to do with that. Many times, they get told: social work, teaching, health care; but we know there are MANY more opportunities available. We will explore some of these "lesser-known" helping professions.*

#### **Introduction to the English Transfer Pathway**

9:00 – 9:45 | CBT 174 | Brigid Bechtold & Ben Kiely – English

*Students will learn about the requirements and electives that make up the English Transfer Pathway.*

## **So, What Does a Paralegal Do?**

9:00 – 9:45 | CBT 178 | Mary Gillen Fenske – Paralegal

*Are you curious about the law? Join us to learn more about careers in the legal field that don't involve being an attorney! We will talk about what traditional paralegals do and some other careers that our graduates have pursued in the law.*

## **Bookstore Resources**

9:00 – 9:45 | CBT 179 or Join Zoom <https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91286668096> | Traci Hildebrandt-Smith – Bookstore  
*Bookstore staff will present the different types of textbook/course material options available to students, give tutorials on how to access ebooks, IA content, access codes.*

## **Languages: Your Passport to Advancing Your Career in the Professional World**

9:00 – 9:45 | CBT 181 or Join Zoom <https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/5612861227> | Ann Besser – EAP, Carlos Baez – Spanish, Diane McDonagh – American Sign Language

*Come and learn how proficiency in two (or more!) languages can expand your professional opportunities in today's job market. You will hear from NHCC language faculty and recent graduates now using their language skills in their careers.*

## **Don't believe me? Just watch! How Student Life staff got to where they are and how they can help you be successful on campus!**

9:00 – 9:45 | CC 205 | Paulette Bonneur – Student Life

*In this session, students will hear from four all-star Student Life staff members about their journey to higher education and how they use their skills to enhance life on campus. Participants will learn how to remain resilient and overcome life's uncertain moments, how to access Student Life & Recreation and Wellness for academic success, and how to advocate for themselves on a college campus.*

## **What is (A Degree In) History Good For?**

9:00 – 9:45 | CLA 112 | Jeremy Pool – History

*People often ask, "What can you do with a history degree? I mean besides teach?" In this session we will look at why we study history, what you can get out of it, and how a degree in history can make you a stronger candidate in a variety of fields. We will also cover the History Transfer pathway and the AA concentration in History at North Hennepin.*

### **Practice in Storytelling**

9:00 – 9:45 | CLA 114 | Ruth Crego – English

*In this session, students will discuss stories of various genres and create a story in a group or individually.*

### **How to live "the good life"?**

9:00 – 9:45 | CLA 116 | Áila O'Loughlin & Archie Potter - Philosophy

*How should you go about living a good life? And what does a good life look like? In this session, come practice some philosophy skills and learn more about what the field of Philosophy can look like in your college, career and beyond.*

### **PTK and Honors: The REAL Story**

9:00 – 9:45 | CLA 118 | David Mantini – Music

*Every wonder what PTK and Honors are all about? Come learn about the amazing opportunities available to you through both programs.*

### **Political Science – Politics, Policy and Career Q & A; Yes, I can find a job I love with that Pathway**

9:00-9:45 | CBT 161 | Michael Gold-Bliss – Political Science

*Politics! Policy! Power! We study and learn how to understand and practice ways in which people get ahead in public service and private organizations. Our discipline opens all the doors that you can imagine, and then some to any future you want to pursue from becoming successful as a law enforcement officer to a schoolteacher to a businessperson (to a lawyer or a politician). Join us to find out why we hold such a powerful key to success along with so many of our related liberal arts concentrations. You will not be disappointed because even if you do not take the political science road you will find a pathway to success in one of our showcases.*

### **Photography for Fun and Profit!**

9:00-9:45 | FAC 131 | Will Agar and Gina Dabrowski – Art

*See how the art of photography can be a lifelong means of self-expression or a path to earning a livelihood. Bring a personal image on a memory stick to make a computer print using Photoshop.*

### **Mini-Piano Lessons**

9:00-9:45 | FAC 182 | Heather MacLaughlin – Music

*Always wanted to learn how to play the piano but never had the chance? Take a mini-lesson and find out what it's all about! Don't have a keyboard to practice on? That's OK - We can give you a loaner for the semester!*

### **Mini-String Lessons**

9:00-9:45 | FAC 185 | Judy Blomgren – Music

*Our esteemed Orchestra Director, Miss B, will offer mini lessons on violin, viola, cello and upright bass. There's a rumor that she will even have her electric violin on hand for trial and demonstrations!*

### **Biology for Pre-Nursing Majors**

9:00 – 9:45 | SC 123 | Tinna Ross and Luna Akhtar – Biology

*Aimed at students in BIOL 1001 who are thinking ahead about enrolling in Micro, Anatomy. Answer questions about what these classes are like.*

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#### **Orientation to the Human Services program and Pre-Social Work Transfer Pathway**

9:00 – 10:30 | BHCC 102 | Amy Harms Hoad – Human Services

*Come learn all about the AS in Human Services at NHCC! The session will discuss course offerings, program expectations, and general information to make sure students graduate. The Pre-Social Work Transfer pathway will also be explained and detailed.*

#### **The Xperience Project: NHCC's Unique, Paid Student Internship Program**

9:00 – 10:30 | CBT 211 | Jason Schoch – Graphic Design

*Explanation of the Xperience Project, support services available through the WIEL Center, & testimonials from alums who have interned &/or been hired by their intern-hosting employers.*



### **What Goal Area 4 Class is Right for You?**

9:00 – 10:30 | CLA 123 | Deane Newborg – Math

*We will explore the entry level goal area 4 classes, including College Algebra, Elementary Statistics, Finite Mathematics, Survey of Math, and Logic and discuss which one might work best for your pathway. Hear from instructors about the course content and how it might apply to different majors.*

### **Reading World Literature**

9:00 – 10:30 | CLA 121 | Michael McGehee - English

*In this session, participants will read and discuss a short work of world literature with themes of interest to college students.*

### **Library Drop in - Meet with a Librarian**

9:00 – 10:30 | LRC 167 | Lisa Abrazo – Library

*Meet with one of your campus librarians and learn about the various information resources inside and outside the walls of the library. Knowing how to track down the best resources for your particular need is a skill that you can develop and use throughout your education and your life. Have a specific assignment you want to work on? Want to just explore what's available? Curious about all the secrets this librarian might have? Stop by the library during this time (or almost any time) and let's chat.*

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#### **Beckman Coulter and NHCC'S Medical Laboratory Technology program/Our Partnership and Careers in Industry**

10:00 – 10:45 | BHCC 233 | Ashley Martin – Medical Lab Technology

*This session will highlight Beckman Coulter's partnership with NHCC. Learn more about what it's like to build a career in industry and explore job opportunities at Beckman Coulter and its parent corporation Danaher. See firsthand some of the instrumentation we have on campus donated by Beckman Coulter and additional ways we are growing this partnership.*

#### **TRIO Jeopardy**

10:00 – 10:45 | CBT 167 | Shelly Siegel - TRIO

*TRIO staff will present a fun engaging session for current NHCC students that will shed light on the multiple available resources and tools that make students successful. Student participation is encouraged and rewarded.*

### **Pathways to Your Business Success - Business Professionals Share Insights About the "Real" Business World**

10:00 - 10:45 | CBT 168 | Margie Campbell Charlebois – Business

*We've gathered successful Business professionals to answer questions like, "What should I know about the "real" Business world? What kind of jobs does a person get with a Business degree? What did it take to be a successful NHCC Business student? How can I gain industry experience while continuing my education?"*

### **Planning and Next Steps to Graduation**

10:00 – 10:45 | CBT 171 | Meghan Rucinski, ShaRon Carter, Deena Marks – Records and Registration

*The Registration would like to talk about eServices - course prerequisites, course equivalencies, and the graduation application.*

### **Play Financial Aid Kahoot!**

10:00 – 10:45 | CBT 174 | Kristi L'Allier and Alee Fayngold – Financial Aid

*An interactive game that will keep you engaged and having fun while learning important financial aid facts.*

### **PSEO Students Becoming Regular Students**

10:00 – 10:45 | CBT 179 | Candice Bartelle – Admissions & Outreach

*We want to give our current PSEO students information about how to become a regular student once they graduate from HS (as well as giving them a bit of info on how to take classes in the summer).*

### **Complete Your Bachelor's Degree at NHCC!**

10:00 – 10:45 | CBT 181 or Join Zoom <https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91286668096> | Katie Elsbernd – University Center

*NHCC partners with several Minnesota State universities to offer 4-year degrees on campus! Interested in learning more? Attend our session. University partners include Metropolitan State University, Minnesota State University - Mankato, St. Cloud State University, Southwest Minnesota State University, and Bemidji State University.*

## **Economics Q & A**

10:00 – 10:45 | CBT 169 | Christine Lloyd – Economics

*Drop in to ask your economics questions! Got ECON course offerings questions? Got ECON degree questions? Got ECON career questions? Stop in to ask all your ECON questions! We look forward to seeing you!*

## **How Do I Get into the Nursing Program? Pre-Nursing Curriculum and the Nursing Application Process**

10:00 – 10:45 | CLA 139 | Brian Turk – Advising

*The Associates Degree in Nursing program at NHCC is competitive. Learn what courses are needed to prepare for nursing and how to create a competitive application. Information regarding both the MANE nursing program and the new NHCC nursing program will be provided.*

## **So, You Want to just do Your Generals: Navigating the Liberal Arts AA and MnTC**

10:00 – 10:45 | CLA 141 | Anong Thor – Advising

*This informational session will help students understand what the Liberal Arts AA is, how to navigate the curriculum, course choices and how to plan for their transfer to a four-year university.*

## **NHCC Author Talk**

10:00 – 10:45 | CLA 146 | Lisa Whalen – English

*Many authors are on the faculty at NHCC. Hear some of them discuss their writing in this session.*

## **THEATRE > SOFTSKILLS > SUCCESS: A Theatre Pathways Explainer & Department of Theatre Tour**

10:00 – 10:45 | FAC 178 | Irma Mayorga and Soren Olsen – Theater

*Participation in theater (as both a major or as an extracurricular) develops numerous skills that can be utilized for success in every career field. Participation in any facet of theater builds confidence, develops collaboration skills, and sharpens leadership abilities as well as critical thinking. Acting prepares you to speak clearly, lucidly, and thoughtfully in public. Working on stage productions (on-stage or behind the scenes), offers opportunities in developing oral communication skills, time-management, and collaboration. These types of important “soft skills” are highly sought by employers. Moreover, participation in theater classes or productions also helps you to develop other important, transferrable soft skills such as: emotional intelligence, motivation & commitment, creative thinking & problem solving, independent*

*thinking, initiative, resilience, discipline, and self-confidence. Whether you're looking to be a future artist in the field of theater or searching for ways to strengthen your soft skills, come to our "theater explainer" where NHCC Theater Department faculty will help you learn about the AFA in Theater at NHCC and discuss early career opportunities and transferring to a four-year degree program. We'll also describe opportunities to participate in our productions and lead backstage tours through our fascinating theater space.*

### **Guitar and Percussion Jam**

10-10:45 | FAC 185 | Kris Anderson – Music

*Rock Star faculty member Kris Anderson teaches every guitar style imaginable and then some. He also coaches Pop-Rock Ensemble, where students compose and perform original songs. Stop in to jam and discuss the possibilities with Kris!*

### **Music Majors Perform**

10-10:45 | FAC Lobby | Heather MacLaughlin – Music

*Our talented students who are getting their AFA in Music degrees will sing and play piano in concert.*

### **Career Building Strategies –Offered by the Workforce Innovation & Experiential Learning (WIEL) Center**

10:00 – 10:45 | LRC 154 | Karen Philbin & Gina Schmidt – WIEL Center

*Join us in the WIEL Center for an interactive session that walks you through the stages of career success. We engage students in career-focused opportunities from their first semester at NHCC through to graduation; supporting students from career exploration to picking a major, while engaging in hands on experiences to prepare for the job market and university transfer.*

### **Chemistry at NHCC**

10:00 – 10:45 | SC 119 | Brian Carlson – Chemistry

### **So, I Have to Take Physics. Now What?**

10:00 – 10:45 | SC 125 | Brad Stapleton – Natural Science & Physics

*This session is designed to assist students to take any of the Principles of Physics or General Physics courses (PHYS 1231, 1232, 1601, 1602) at NHCC. Course expectations, time commitments, study skills/techniques, will be discussed, from the perspective of physics faculty as well as from former physics students. There will also be discussion on when to enroll in*

*physics courses while pursuing a biology or engineering degree. The session is open to both future and presently enrolled students in Principles of Physics I or II & General Physics I or II.*

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#### **CARE Center Social Mixer**

10:00 – 11:30 | CC 205 | Samantha Schendzielos & Carley Saravia – CARE Center

*Come join the CARE Center staff and meet other students! We know that social isolation is a thing, and we want to provide a space and tips for making the connections that make college fun!*

#### **Psychology in the 21st Century**

10:00 – 11:30 | CBT 101A | Sean Payton – Psychology

*In this session, we will: 1. Discuss the various occupations Psychologist and Psychology majors fill today. 2. Explain and discuss Psychology research taking place here on campus and abroad. 3. Explain the transfer pathway for psychology majors in detail (depending on the audience need). 4. Field any questions that the audience might have related to Psychology and its relevance in other fields. 5. Discuss the Psychology Race & Law class and opportunities that exist at NHCC.*

#### **Creative Writing Workshop**

10:00 – 11:30 | CBT 169 | Kara Olson – English

*Students and faculty will bring a piece of creative writing to read aloud in a circle and share what we enjoy about each piece and areas for growth.*

#### **A Picture is Worth a Thousand Words, but a Portfolio is Worth a Career**

10:00 – 11:30 | FAC 126 | Leslie McDougall – Graphic Design

*For artists and designers, portfolios are essential for showing your capabilities and creativity. This workshop will provide best practices for putting together a portfolio of your work to land you the next job, gig, or college program.*

#### **Finding Your Way with Clay**

10:00 – 11:30 | FAC 134 | Glenn Grafelman - Art

*Hands on ceramics studio introduction.*

### **Health v. Exercise Science Trivia**

10:00 – 11:30 | HWC 168 | Daniel de Moraes – Exercise Science & Heidie Lish – Health

*The session will begin with students from Exercise Science (EXSC) and Health meeting with their respective team members. Later, the two departments will convene to host a trivia game to be completed by students in EXSC and Health.*

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#### **Getting Your Bachelor's Degree in Human Services**

11:00 – 11:45 | BHCC 102 | Amy Harms Hoad – Human Services

*Representatives from Metropolitan State University will discuss their partnership opportunity with NHCC Human Services students to receive their bachelor's degree. Information regarding applications, advising, and attending Metro State classes at NHCC will be discussed.*

#### **Pathways to Careers in Health: The Nursing, Medical Lab Technology, and Phlebotomy programs**

11:00 – 11:45 | BHCC 130 | Amy Goman & Desi Arneson – Nursing, Andrew LeMay & Ashley Martin – MLT

*Everything you want to know about our programs and provide tours of the nursing and MLT labs.*

#### **College 101: How to be a Successful Student**

11:00 – 11:45 | CBT 166 | Ameer Banks and Ben Mullen – Advising

*There is a lot to navigating college life. How to communicate with faculty, manage time, organize your commitments, use campus resources (Tutoring, Access Center, CARE, advising, etc.) prepare for your future. This session will help you understand what North Hennepin has to offer and how to be successful.*

#### **You Won't Break My Soul: Beyonce's Song and Achieving Academic Success!**

11:00 – 11:45 | CBT 167 | Eda Watts – Diversity

*Using Beyonce's song lyrics as a touchpoint, students will learn how NHCC's support systems help celebrate, advocate and motivate them get that college degree! Includes a brief overview of NHCC's various co-curricular opportunities with a focus on diversity & equity programs: Be Bold (CTE women's mentorship stipend program), UPlift Sisters, C.O.R.E and more.*

### **Pathways to your Business Success - How to Get There**

11:00 – 11:45 | CBT 168 | Margie Campbell Charlebois – Business

*Learn how to get where you want to be! There are many roads to Business success. We'll give you roadmaps for transferring, working, and networking with Business Professionals.*

### **Ignite the Light from Within--Teach!**

11:00 – 11:45 | CBT 171 | Susan Moore – Education

*Explore the Elementary Education Foundations Transfer Pathway Associate of Science Degree Program. Learn how you can truly make a difference, inspire youth, fuel your creative spirit, experience leadership, and witness the joy of success in others. Consider majoring in education.*

### **Play Financial Aid Kahoot!**

11:00 – 11:45 | CBT 174 | Kristi L'Allier & Alee Fayngold – Financial Aid

*An interactive game that will keep you engaged and having fun while learning important financial aid facts.*

### **How to get an on-campus job**

11:00 – 11:45 | CBT 179 | Candice Bartelle – Admissions & Outreach

*This will be for students to learn how to get an on-campus job, where to go to find available on campus work, difference between work study and non-work study, some skills they may need, and a few tips for getting through the interview process*

### **Complete your bachelor's degree at NHCC!**

11:00 – 11:45 | CBT 181 | Katie Elsbernd – University Center

*NHCC partners with several Minnesota State universities to offer 4-year degrees on campus! Interested in learning more? Attend our session. University partners include Metropolitan State University, Minnesota State University - Mankato, St. Cloud State University, Southwest Minnesota State University, and Bemidji State University.*

### **Getting Started with Scholarships**

11:00 – 11:45 | CLA 116 | David Mantini – Music

*The first step starts with the first step. Where to find scholarships and how to get started with applications. There is more to your scholarship applications than just GPA. Chances are there are scholarships that are right for YOU!*

### **Planning on going to the University of Minnesota after NHCC? You want to be here.**

11:00 – 11:45 | CLA 118 | Brian Turk – Advising

*Preparing to transfer to the University of Minnesota often requires more detailed planning than transferring to a Minnesota State University. Many U of M programs have specific pre-requisites and competitive admission processes. Learn about choosing the right NHCC major and courses to transfer efficiently and strategies to become a competitive applicant.*

### **How do I Prepare for College Algebra?**

11:00 – 11:45 | CLA 123 | Deane Newborg – Math

*Being well prepared for College Algebra will greatly improve your chances of success in the course. How can you tell if you are prepared? In this session we'll talk about how to determine if you are ready for College Algebra and what you can do if you're not.*

### **Accounting Specializations: What can an accountant do?**

11:00 – 11:45 | CLA 133 | Therese Rice – Accounting

*An exploration of the different types of accountants as well as what certifications and jobs students can get during school or after graduation.*

### **Building Community: Pathways and Careers in Sociology, Criminal Justice, Law Enforcement, and Corrections**

11:00 – 11:45 | CLA 139 | Jessica Warren – Sociology



*We are living in a time that feels more divided together. How did we get here, and what can we do to build a stronger, vibrant community? The Sociology and Criminal Justice department focuses on understanding society, including its difficulties and its struggles. In this session members of the department will discuss how our programs can help you learn more about this new world that we live in, and how these programs can lead to careers where you are active in building the community you want to see.*

### **Communication is Key!**

11:00 – 11:45 | CLA 141 or Join Zoom <https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91286668096> | COMM Department

*We will talk about our Comm & Mass Comm pathway degrees as well as our Video Game Studies Certificate. We'll answer questions and discuss career paths, the versatility of a COMM degree, and potential internship paths for COMM majors.*

### **Singing and Percussion Jam**

11-11:45 | FAC 185 | Gary Ruschman – Music

*If you are in the music wing and hear beautiful choral singing punctuated by frequent bursts of laughter, you are hearing a choir rehearsal led by our brilliant choral conductor and musician extraordinaire, Gary. Stop by this session to find out what all the fun is about and try a mini-voice lesson or a jam with percussion.*

### **Art History Poster Session on Edmonia Lewis**

11:00 – 11:45 | Outside FAC facing CC | Marina Haworth – Art

*Stand by detailed poster with text and images and engage students about art history as they come by and ask questions.*

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#### **AMATYC Math League Test Fall 2022**

12:30 – 1:30 | CLA 132 | David Liew –Math

*The twenty-question multiple-choice exam covering precalculus mathematics will test your problem-solving skills. All are welcome to take the test, however it is recommended for students at a precalculus level or higher. Have your calculator and sharpened pencils ready at 12:30PM! Visit the Math Bulletin Board for more information (behind CLA 133)!*

### Session Descriptions | 5:00 – 5:45 p.m.

#### **Human Services in the Real World**

5:00 – 5:45 | BHCC 102 | Amy Harms Hoad – Human Services

*Ask the Human Services instructors anything! This question-and-answer session will give students an opportunity to hear all about the Human Services job market, career information, and potential internship sites, as well as ask instructors about their real-world experiences. No (Human Services) question is off limits!*

#### **2+2 Medical Lab Science Information Session**

5:00 – 5:45 | BHCC 233 | Ashley Martin – MLT

*This session will provide information on the NHCC partnership with the St. Cloud State Medical Lab Science program. Learn about the program, admission process, and scheduling as well as hear from NHCC Medical Lab Technology graduates that are currently in or recently completed the 2+2 St. Cloud MLS program.*

#### **Psychology in the 21st Century**

5:00 – 5:45 | CBT 101A | Eve Willadsen-Jensen – Psychology

*In this session we will 1. Discuss the various occupations Psychologist and Psychology majors fill today. 2. Explain and discuss Psychology research taking place here on campus and abroad. 3. Explain the transfer pathway for psychology majors in detail (depending on the audience need). 4. Field any questions that the audience might have related to Psychology and its relevance in other fields. 5. Discuss the Psychology Race & Law class and opportunities that exist at NHCC.*

### **So, You Want to just do Your Generals: Navigating the Liberal Arts AA and MnTC**

5:00 – 5:45 | CBT 166 | Anong Thor – Advising

*This informational session will help students understand what the Liberal Arts AA is, how to navigate the curriculum, course choices and how to plan for their transfer to a four-year university.*

### **Languages: Your Passport to Advancing Your Career in the Professional World**

5:00 – 5:45 | CBT 181 or Join Zoom <https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/5612861227> | Ann Besser – EAP, Carlos Baez – Spanish, Diane McDonagh – American Sign Language

*Come and learn how proficiency in two (or more!) languages can expand your professional opportunities in today's job market. You will hear from NHCC language faculty and recent graduates now using their language skills in their careers.*

### **Introduction to NHCC Class at Camp Northern Lights**

5:00 – 5:45 | CLA 121 | Ana Munro – English

*Global and Cultural Studies (GCST) 1970 is a new nature-based class in partnership with the YMCA Camp Northern Lights and Three Rivers Park District. The program was created to build educational, internship and career pathways in the field of outdoor education and adventure and eliminate equity and access gaps for BIPOC students in Minnesota's outdoor spaces and places. Participating students spend five days at the camp engaging in environmental justice topics and issues of equity, access, and inclusion in nature and outdoor spaces. In this session, North Hennepin students from the first cohort will share their experiences at camp and during the program, along with NHCC faculty and YMCA and Three Rivers staff.*

### **How do I get into the nursing program? Pre-nursing curriculum and the nursing application process.**

5:00 – 5:45 | CLA 139 | Brian Turk – Advising

*The Associates Degree in Nursing program at NHCC is competitive. Learn what courses are needed to prepare for nursing and how to create a competitive application. Information regarding both the MANE nursing program and the new NHCC nursing program will be provided.*

## **Communication is Key!**

5:00 – 5:45 | CLA 141 | COMM Department

*We will talk about our Comm & Mass Comm pathway degrees as well as our Video Game Studies Certificate. We'll answer questions and discuss career paths, the versatility of a COMM degree, and potential internship paths for COMM majors.*

## **THEATRE > SOFTSKILLS > SUCCESS: A Theatre Pathways Explainer & Department of Theatre Tour**

5:00 – 5:45 | FAC 178 | Irma Mayorga & Soren Olsen – Theater

*Participation in theater (as both a major or as an extracurricular) develops numerous skills that can be utilized for success in every career field. Participation in any facet of theater builds confidence, develops collaboration skills, and sharpens leadership abilities as well as critical thinking. Acting prepares you to speak clearly, lucidly, and thoughtfully in public. Working on stage productions (on-stage or behind the scenes), offers opportunities in developing oral communication skills, time-management, and collaboration. These types of important “soft skills” are highly sought by employers. Moreover, participation in theater classes or productions also helps you to develop other important, transferrable soft skills such as: emotional intelligence, motivation & commitment, creative thinking & problem solving, independent thinking, initiative, resilience, discipline, and self-confidence. Whether you’re looking to be a future artist in the field of theater or searching for ways to strengthen your soft skills, come to our “theater explainer” where NHCC Theater Department faculty will help you learn about the AFA in Theater at NHCC and discuss early career opportunities and transferring to a four-year degree program. We’ll also describe opportunities to participate in our productions and lead backstage tours through our fascinating theater space.*

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## **Chemistry at NHCC**

5:00 – 5:45 | SC 119 | Brian Carlson – Chemistry

## **The NHCC Engineering Broadfield Program**

5:00 – 5:45 | SC 125 or Join Zoom <https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91286668096> | Brad Stapleton – Natural Science & Physics

*This session will provide an overview of NHCC's new engineering broad field program. Topics will include student preparation to enter the program, curriculum and degree maps, range of options for transfer to 4-year engineering degree programs.*

### **All Your Questions About the Paralegal Curriculum Answered!**

5:00 – 5:45 | Zoom: <https://minnstate.zoom.us/my/maryfenske> | Mary Gillen Fenske – Paralegal

*This session provides critical information to students interested in the Paralegal A.S. and Certificate programs regarding future careers in the legal profession, internships, required classes, and paralegal electives.*

### *Session Descriptions | 6:00 – 6:45 p.m.*

#### **Pathways to Careers in Health: The Nursing, MLT and Phlebotomy programs.**

6:00 – 6:45 | BHCC 130 | Amy Goman & Desi Arneson – Nursing, Andrew LeMay & Ashley Martin – MLT

*Everything you want to know about our programs and provide tours of the nursing and MLT labs.*

#### **Biology, for Biology Majors**

6:00 – 6:45 | BHCC 211 | Tam Mans – Biology

*A tour of BHCC labs, plus information about courses, partner program, and info about variety of careers that alumni are in. Possibly followed by a Biomedical Science Club meeting.*

#### **Political Science - Politics, Policy and Career Q & A; Yes, I Can Find a Job I Love with that Pathway**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 161 | Michael Gold-Bliss – Political Science

*Politics! Policy! Power! We study and learn how to understand and practice ways in which people get ahead in public service and private organizations. Our discipline opens all the doors that you can imagine, and then some to any future you want to pursue from becoming successful as a law enforcement officer to a schoolteacher to a businessperson (to a lawyer or a politician). Join us to find out why we hold such a powerful key to success along with so many of our related*

*liberal arts concentrations. You will not be disappointed because even if you do not take the political science road you will find a pathway to success in one of our showcases.*

### **Student Graduation Planner Tool**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 162 | Leah Klimek – Advising

*Come learn about our new student planner and see how you can plan out the courses of your degree.*

### **How do I Prepare for College Algebra?**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 166 | Deane Newborg – Math

*Being well prepared for College Algebra will greatly improve your chances of success in the course. How can you tell if you are prepared? In this session we'll talk about how to determine if you are ready for College Algebra and what you can do if you're not.*

### **Economics Q & A**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 167 | Christine Lloyd – Economics

*Drop in to ask your economics questions! Got ECON course offerings questions? Got ECON degree questions? Got ECON career questions? Stop in to ask all your ECON questions! We look forward to seeing you!*

### **Planning on going to the University of Minnesota after NHCC? You want to be here.**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 168 | Brian Turk – Advising

*Preparing to transfer to the University of Minnesota often requires more detailed planning than transferring to a Minnesota State University. Many U of M programs have specific pre-requisites and competitive admission processes. Learn about choosing the right NHCC major and courses to transfer efficiently and strategies to become a competitive applicant.*

### **You Want to Help People. Now What?**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 171 | Erin Farley – Advising & Samantha Schendzielos – CARE Center

*Many students know they want a career where they get to help people, but do not really know what to do with that. Many times, they get told: social work, teaching, health care; but we know there are MANY more opportunities available. We will explore some of these "lesser-known" helping professions.*

### **College 101: How to be a Successful College Student**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 174 | Bruno Xue & Anong Thor – Advising

*There is a lot to navigating college life. How to communicate with faculty, manage time, organize your commitments, use campus resources (Tutoring, Access Center, CARE, advising, etc.) prepare for your future. This session will help you understand what North Hennepin has to offer and how to be successful.*

### **How to Get an On-Campus Job**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 179 or Join Zoom <https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91286668096> | Candice Bartelle – Admissions & Outreach

*This will be for students to learn how to get an on-campus job, where to go to find available on campus work, difference between work study and non-work study, some skills they may need, and a few tips for getting through the interview process*

### **Complete Your Bachelor's Degree at NHCC!**

6:00 – 6:45 | CBT 181 | Katie Elsbernd – University Center

*NHCC partners with several Minnesota State universities to offer 4-year degrees on campus! Interested in learning more? Attend our session. University partners include Metropolitan State University, Minnesota State University - Mankato, St. Cloud State University, Southwest Minnesota State University, and Bemidji State University.*

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#### **NHCC Human Services Alumni Panel**

6:00 – 7:30 | BHCC 102 | Amy Harms Hoad – Human Services

*Come listen to program alumni share their experiences working in the real world of Human Services. Alumni will discuss how they actually use the information learned from class, how their NHCC foundation has helped them with their careers, and how they practice self-care.*

## **Faculty Open Mic**

6:00 – 7:30 | CBT 169 | Kelly Lundquist – English

*Come hear your faculty members talk about their own personal creative practice and the ways they inform their classroom practice and lives: we'll be featuring mathematicians who are studying photography, philosophers who are studying archeology, writing teachers who are studying writing, yoga teachers who are also poets, among many other fields. See how these personal practices expand and inform the teaching lives of our NHCC faculty.*

## **Game On! Video Game & Media Studies at NHCC**

6:00 – 7:30 | CC Fireside Lounge | Stacy Fitzpatrick & Brian Timm – Communication Studies

*Come learn about the new video game studies certificate and upcoming mass communication pathway and play some video games! We'll have game systems, snacks, and great conversations!*

## **Session Descriptions | 7:00 – 7:45 p.m.**

### **Computer Science and Data Science Programs**

7:00 – 7:45 | CBT 162 | Vinod Sethi – Computer Science

*Computer Science and Data Sciences program information and best transfer options to MN State Universities and the University of Minnesota.*

### **What Goal Area 4 Class is Right for You?**

7:00 – 7:45 | CBT 166 or Join Zoom <https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91286668096> | Deane Newborg – Math

*We will explore the entry level goal area 4 classes, including College Algebra, Elementary Statistics, Finite Mathematics, Survey of Math, and Logic and discuss which one might work best for your pathway. Hear from instructors about the course content and how it might apply to different majors.*

### **You Won't Break My Soul: Beyonce's Song and Achieving Academic Success!**

7:00 – 7:45 | CBT 168 | Eda Watts – Diversity



*Using Beyonce's song lyrics as a touchpoint, students will learn how NHCC's support systems help celebrate, advocate and motivate them get that college degree! Includes a brief overview of NHCC's various co-curricular opportunities with a focus on diversity & equity programs: Be Bold (CTE women's mentorship stipend program), UPlift Sisters, C.O.R.E and more.*

### **Ignite the Light from Within--Teach!**

7:00 – 7:45 | CBT 171 | Susan Moore – Education

*Explore the Elementary Education Foundations Transfer Pathway Associate of Science Degree Program. Learn how you can truly make a difference, inspire youth, fuel your creative spirit, experience leadership, and witness the joy of success in others. Consider majoring in education.*

### **Introduction to the English Transfer Pathway**

7:00 – 7:45 | CBT 174 | Heidi Farrah – English

*Students will learn about the requirements and electives that make up the English Transfer Pathway.*

### **Bookstore Resources**

7:00 – 7:45 | CBT 179 | Traci Hildebrandt Smith – Bookstore

*Bookstore staff will present the different types of textbook/course material options available to students, give tutorials on how to access ebooks, IA content, access codes.*

### **On the Bright Side, Make the Best Selfies!**

7:00 – 7:45 | FAC 131 | Gina Dabrowski – Photography

*In this hands-on demonstration, you will learn how to light and compose a selfie to illuminate your best self! In 5 minutes you will have a portrait to share with friends, family, or a college club. This is a sample of what you can learn in a photography course.*

### **Jam with Jazz**

7:00 -7:45 | FAC 185 | David Mantini – Music

*Come join the NHCC Jazz Ensemble for its regularly scheduled rehearsal. Listen in or sit in - bring your axe and jam!*

## **Biology for Pre-Nursing**

7:00 – 7:45 | SC 125 | Tinna Ross & Luna Akhtar – Biology

*Aimed at students in BIOL 1001 who are thinking ahead about enrolling in Micro, Anatomy. Answer questions about what these classes are like.*

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We will set up an information table for the morning session (Peng Zhao) and the evening session (Brian Carlson). We will have prepared information on several topics so we can tailor our conversations to the audience that shows up. Potential topics:

Transferring  
Goal Area 3  
Which Chemistry class is right for me?  
Majors and Careers that require chemistry

Mike McGehee is going to let us know on Friday, October 7 any changes from the department (re: Brigid presenting, etc.)

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