TIPS FOR FALL QUARTER

Get connected with The Learning Lab for Tutoring and Academic Support
Connect with Disability Support Services and TRIO
Meet with your Workforce Development Advisor to complete your academic plan

SCHOLARSHIPS | FUNDING

Foundation Scholarship for Spring opens Fall Quarter!

FAFSA Applications for 2021-2022 are Open!

Check out Washboard.org for Scholarship Opportunities!

STUDENT LINGO

StudentLingo is a series of online, interactive workshops focused on helping LWTech students achieve their academic and career goals

Choose from Different Categories!

Online Learning | Success Strategies | Academic and Career Exploration and more

- Setting and Accomplishing Realistic Goals
- Stress Management Techniques
- Online Courses: Staying Motivated & Disciplined
- 10 Habits of Mind for College Success

VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS

“Check out the “Workforce Funding Programs” video, to learn about our programs and eligibility guidelines to qualify for tuition, book, and supply assistance.

Check out our “Applying for Food Benefits” Video to see how you might be able to get support!

Click the images to be re-directed to the videos!
PROGRAM OVERVIEW

OPPORTUNITY GRANT

The Opportunity Grant Scholarship supports income eligible students enrolled in Accounting, Business Technology, I-BEST or Health Care Programs.

**Benefits May Include**

- Tuition and Fees up to 45 credits
- Books and Supplies up to $1000 per year
- Career and Educational Advising + Planning
- Personal Support, Goal Setting, and Problem Solving

**Eligibility**

- Washington State Resident
- You DO NOT have a Prior Degree
- You Must Meet Income Guidelines
- GPA of 2.0 or Higher
- Enrolled in a Qualified Program

**Qualified Programs**

**Accounting**
Accounting AAS and Certificates

**Business**
Business Technology AAS and Certificates

**Healthcare**
Health Sciences AAS-T | Nursing AAS-T | Nursing Assistant | Physical Therapy |
Medical Assisting AAS | Medical Billing & Coding Certificate | Medical Assisting Office Administration | Fitness Specialist / Personal Trainer | Occupational Therapy

**I-BEST**
Accounting | Biomedical Device Assembler | Business Technology | Computer Security & Network Technology | Culinary Arts | Early Childhood Education | General Service Technician | Support Technician | Nursing Assistant | Medical Office Administration | Machine Technology |

**Take the “Start Next Quarter” survey to see if you may qualify for Opportunity Grant or any of our other Workforce Development Programs!**

**Program Contact Info.**

OpportunityGrant@LWTech.edu
James LauRae (425) 739-8100 x8448

**Student Tips**

- Be sure to Plan ahead! Run your own Degree Audit to make sure you’re on Track!
- Keep up with Assignments and Zoom Classes Through a Planner or Phone Calendar!
- Be sure to Manage your Study Space! Keep it Organized and Keep Distractions Away!

**Have any Questions? Contact Us!**

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COMMUNITY RESOURCES & ACTIVITIES

Check out Community Resources Available to Eligible Students!

Hopelink Family Development Program
King County Homeless Employment Project
Orca Lift | Cares of Washington
WIOA (Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act) | YWCA BFET Program
Community Health Access Program (CHAP) | Washington Connections
Seattle Education Access

Find out more information on our website LWTech.edu/WFD

Check Out Local Events!
Lake Washington Marathon | Nov. 7th
Hopelink Turkey Trot | Nov. 20th
Small Business Saturday | Nov. 28th

Do Some at Home Fall Crafts!
Things to do alone or with kids

Try Making some Fall Recipes!
32 Fall Treats to Make at Home

Check Out Local Markets!
Sunday Market | Fremont Market

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DIRECTOR’S NOTE

DEMETRA BIROS
Director of Workforce Development

Welcome to Fall quarter at LWTech! It truly is an unprecedented Fall quarter, with multiple challenges and uncertainty all around us. The WFD team is here to support you through these challenges and to help you reach your career and educational goals. In fact, that is one thing that is unwavering, the dedication that all of us at LWTech have to our students.

Speaking of dedication, I recently celebrated my 20 year work anniversary! Yes, I have been employed at LWTech for 20 years! For this major milestone, I shared some thoughts with the rest of my LWTech family. Here’s what I said:

“Wow, so much has happened in 20 years! I’m so proud to continue to be part of this LWTech family. A family that shares the same vision..... that the work that we do changes lives and impacts not just the students that we serve, but has a profound impact on future generations. A family that shares in the journey of understanding that we are not perfect, but we will always strive to be better. A family that adapts... adapts to the needs of our students, to the newest labor market trends, to the latest crisis. A family that challenges me and supports me in being a better version of myself every day. Thank you to my LWTech family for 20 amazing years!”

I share this with you, our students, so that you get a glimpse of what LWTech means to me. My hope is that someday you feel as passionate about the work that you do and the people that you work with as I do. In fact, I have dedicated 20 years to this goal. Stay strong and keep up the good work!

Demetra Biros, Director of Workforce Development

Want to Learn more about our Workforce Funding Programs? Look at our website for more information!
LWTech.com/WFD