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HOURS

Monday—Friday 8am-5pm

WEBSITE

www.adams.edu/student/sss

From the Director

What does it mean to be truly thankful? Soon we will all be sitting down to turkey dinners and pumpkin pies, but what does it mean to be truly thankful? Sure, most of us are thankful for the obvious things such as family, our job, and our provisions. However, what about the difficulties in life? There are lots of things that come in life that do not make us feel particularly thankful. What do we do

with these things?

Acceptance is an important concept. I think



we all want to do what we can do make our lives better, but even with the best intentions some things in life come without our asking. How we choose to handle these things can be

a determining factor in being truly thankful.

The ability to accept instead of fight against what is beyond our control can help us feel more peaceful with the world around us. It often helps us come to value the difficult times as times of growth and strength. As you count your blessings this Thanksgiving, try thinking of the hidden blessings you have not recognized before. You might be surprised of how much these blessings have contributed to your life!

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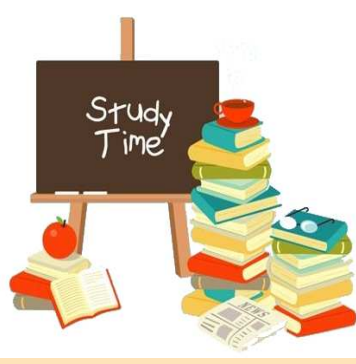
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Resource Study Hall



It's a well known fact that the environment in which one studies must be one that is conducive to studying. No doubt, this is why the school study hall was put into place many years ago. SSS is proud to announce the addition of the Resource Study Hall. This will be a time for students to gather to work on homework and study in a stress free and quiet environment and with the assistance of resource tutors.

Study hall will take place on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons here on the first floor of the library. Tutors, Kacia and Jose, will be present to assist and answer questions regarding math homework of all levels. Please keep in mind that these tutors will not do your homework for you, but they can help you work through problems you have already attempted. Take a look at the [schedule below](#) to see if there is

a time that works for you. Sign up by contacting the Tutor Coordinator, Wendy Heminger, at wheminger@adams.edu. We hope to see you there! In the words of a fellow student....."We students require study hall. Without a period for studying, our GPA, creativity, and efficiency will take a noticeable plummet." (Student Essay on the Importance of Study Hall).

Announcement: SSS Leadership Training Component

All juniors and seniors are encouraged to take the Leadership Training Component offered by Student Support Services (SSS) during the spring semester of 2012. Leadership training participants will examine habits which effective leaders possess, and gain foundational knowledge to develop leadership skills in the future. Additionally, there will be opportunities to practice what has been learned by participating in one of three leadership roles

within SSS: Summer Scholars Resident Assistant/Mentor, Student Advisory Board Member, and SSS Tutor. The experience gained from taking on a leadership role in SSS can be used to apply for internships, grad schools, or jobs. To take advantage of the leadership training opportunity stop by the SSS office to fill out a "Leadership Training" application and turn it in to Eddie Venegas by December 5, 2011.



Attention SSS Students

SSS Welcomes students this year with a SSS Milestones T-Shirt. If you haven't picked yours up, come by the SSS office!



November 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
<i>Daylight Savings Ends</i>		<i>Election Day</i>			<i>Veterans Day</i>	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
				<i>Thanksgiving Day</i>		
				Thanksgiving Break		
27	28	29	30			

ASC Faculty Lectures

(All Faculty Lectures will be held in 130 Porter Hall from 7:00-8:30 pm)

Nov. 2.

Dr. Pat Robbins, Assistant Professor of Management, will be presenting, "I know that's what I said.. But this is what I meant."

Nov. 16

Dr. Jeanie O'Laughlin, Assistant Professor of Accounting will be presenting "Cooking the Books: fraud in the Work-place."

Nov. 30

Dr. Marty Jones, Professor of Chemistry, will be presenting "Holiday Molecules".



Lunchtime Talks

On November 17 Dr. Renee Beaton will be presenting "The History of Los Alamos and the Manhattan Project" at 12:00 pm in Porter Hall 130. A pizza Lunch will be served.

Other Events

On Saturday November 5 there will be an "Exploring the Moon" event at Zacheis Planetarium from 6:30 –9:30. There will be a pre-show moon viewing that starts at 6:30 followed by the presentation at 7:00 pm in the planetarium with the possibility of another moon viewing after (weather permitting)



