

Dear Students,

Helping you achieve your goals is our top priority. I have a few quick reminders to share to help you stay informed and engaged.

SUCCEED WITH SUPPORT

The second half of the semester can be challenging, but we can help you stay in school and succeed. If you're struggling, reach out for support. Here's how:

- Connect with our [academic resources](#) staff for in-person or online tutoring, study labs, or accommodations.
- [Identify your needs](#) and connect with college and community resources. [Email](#) or call Renee Gibson at 301-784-5206 for extra help or stop by her office in Room 12 of College Center.
- Request food and personal supply items through [The Pantry](#) or an emergency grant through [our foundations](#).
- Speak with a trusted instructor or a staff member.

REGISTER FOR SPRING

Graduating on time with your degree saves you time and money. Stay with us and work your graduation plan. You'll save in tuition, books and fees and be closer to achieving your transfer or career goals.

- Register November 1 for the spring semester.
- Apply for COVID-related student emergency funds. Beginning November 10, you may request HEERF III funds if you've experienced a personal or family hardship because of the pandemic. An online application will be available through [our Financial Aid webpage](#).
- Meet with an [advising specialist](#) or your program director about your degree or certificate program.
- Complete your [2022-23 FAFSA](#) and complete the online [2022-23 scholarship application](#) if you'll be with us next fall. Visit [RAWC](#) for assistance with your scholarship essay.

BE #ACMSTRONG

It takes all of us working together to contain the spread of COVID-19 on campus.

- Become better informed when you review our **NEW** [COVID FAQs](#).
- Conduct your [daily self-check](#) for COVID symptoms and follow instructions regarding symptoms or exposure.
- Wear a face mask indoors as well as outdoors in crowds, socially distance, and wash your hands/use hand sanitizer.
- Please get vaccinated. Locate a [local vaccination clinic](#) and ask a friend to accompany you. It's still not too late to protect yourself.

VISIT THE WELCOME CENTER

If you need assistance and you don't know where to start, visit or contact our [Thomas Welcome Center](#) at 301-784-5005 between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Stay safe and be well,
Dr. Cynthia Bambara
ACM President