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