



LAWRENCEVILLE | ALPHARETTA-NORTH FULTON

# Student Life News & Events

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## Sharpen Your "Soft Skills"



TUESDAY, FEB. 7

Want to improve your decision making, leadership and communication skills? Attend the Student Success Workshop!

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## They Call Me Q!



THURSDAY, FEB. 23

1 Woman, 13 Characters, 60 Minutes.  
Join us for an emotionally charged comedy!

[Click Here to Attend!](#)

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## W / FEB 1 - Let's Talk at the Library!

Practice Conversational English at GTC Library, building 100, on Wednesdays from 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to join. Registration is not required. All sessions are held in English. For more information click [here](#) or call 678-226-6388.

## TH / FEB 2 - Students' Toastmasters International Club - LAW

The GTC Students' Toastmasters International Club will meet on the Lawrenceville campus at 6 p.m. in building 200, room 104. Everyone is welcome to attend any of the meetings. Students interested in joining as a member or have questions should contact [Thaddeus Nifong](#)

## W / FEB 7 - Soft Skills Workshop

The Retention Support and Special Populations departments will host a workshop called Sharpen Your "Soft Skills." The workshop will be held twice on Wednesday at 12 noon and again at 6 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Students will have the opportunity to learn about the critical role of soft

skills in the classroom and particularly the workplace. A meal is provided along with door prizes. Students must RSVP by emailing [Lisa Richardson](#) by 12 noon on Tuesday, February 6.

### TH / FEB 8 - Hospitality Student Association Meeting

Hospitality Student Association will meet in building 700, room 1.202 from 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. We will discuss events for the remainder of the semester and delegate task. For more information please contact [Akua Washington](#).

### TH / FEB 16 - GTC Science Club

Join us for the next GTC Science Club meeting! We will be performing a Valentine's Day themed experiment and electing additional officers into position. We will meet from 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. in Building 900, room 1.313 on the Lawrenceville campus. If you have any questions, please email [Dr. Saphronia Johnson](#) or [Margaret Long](#).

### TH / FEB 16 - Students' Toastmasters International Club - LAW

The GTC Students' Toastmasters International Club will meet on the Lawrenceville campus at 6 p.m. in building 200, room 104. Everyone is welcome to attend any of the meetings. Students interested in joining as a member or have questions should contact [Thaddeus Nifong](#)

### T / FEB 21 - Relay for Life Fundraiser

The Association of Future Radiologic Technologist is going to have a Relay for Life Fundraisers Chili Cook Off and Bake Sale from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Cafeteria of building 100. There will be a chili contest, chili lunches to buy, baked goods, music and dancing. For more information contact [Sally Knab](#).

### TH / FEB 23 - They Call Me Q

1 woman, 13 characters, 60 minutes! They Call Me Q, written and performed by Qurrat Ann Kadwani, is an emotionally charged comedy about a girl from Bombay growing up in the Bronx seeking balance between cultural pressures and wanting acceptance. Everyone is welcome to view the show from 12 - 1 p.m. in the Auditorium of building 700 on the Lawrenceville campus or via live feed in room A-110 on the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus. Lunch will be provided! To register [click here](#). Please email [Morgan Taylor-Burns](#) for more information.

### TH / FEB 23 - Counseling Services

Cameron and Associates will have a table in the lobby of building 700 from 11:15 a.m.- 1:45 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. Cameron and Associates provides resources to help our students navigate life's challenges. Everyone is welcome to stop by their table and talk with them. Please email [Rachel Mariano](#) for more information.

### TH / FEB 23 - Students' Toastmasters International Club - ANF

The GTC Students' Toastmasters International Club will meet on the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus at 1 p.m. in room A-224. Everyone is welcome to attend any of the meetings. Students interested in joining as a member or have questions should contact [Thaddeus Nifong](#)

### Future Dates

February 9 - GTC SkillsUSA Quiz Bowl

February 28 - Nursing Club Fundraiser



## HEALTHY TIP

### Signs and Symptoms of a Heart Attack

Heart attacks are the number one killer of both men and women in the United States. A person's chances of survival increase if they are able to receive treatment as soon as possible. Being able to recognize the signs and symptoms for a heart attack and act quickly can be the difference in saving someone's life! [CDC.gov](#) gives us tips on how to identify someone suffering from a heart attack:

1. If you suspect someone is having a heart attack, call 9-1-1 immediately.
2. Look for symptoms such as chest pain, shortness of breath, discomfort in the jaw, neck, or arms.
3. Use the Chain of Survival.

[Read full article](#)

If there is a topic you would like to know about or a tip that you'd like to share with us, please email [Morgan Taylor-Burns](#) with your suggestions!

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS!



### Nursing Club Fundraiser

Are you looking for ways to support our GTC Nurses? Do you enjoy participating in fundraisers? If you answered "YES" to either of those questions then come out and support the GTC Nursing Club! Find a GTC Nursing student and ask about their fundraiser today! Questions? Email [Chuntiel James](#)

### Multicultural Club Service Project

Happy New Year to the members of Multicultural Club! We are looking forward to a great Spring Semester! Our current service project is a food drive. Please bring food donations to the Library and place it in the blue bin near the entrance. The food drive will continue through January 31, 2017 and will be collected by the founder of the non-profit organization [Joy Community Kitchen](#). Alpharetta - North Fulton campus members please bring your items to Yvette at the Library. Questions? Email us [Yvette Williams](#) or [Lakshmi Ramachandran](#). Check us out [here](#).



### Quality Childcare Available on Campus

Do you have young children? Do you know of someone who is looking for a high quality child care center for their child? The Hudgens Early Education Center is the best place for all children! Please come in for a visit today (building 800)! Or call for more information 678-226-6510. Enrolling children 6 weeks to 5 years. Open daily from 7:00 a.m. to 6:15 p.m. Enrollment is open to the community! Childcare tuition assistance is available for full time GTC students and we accept CAPS.

### Run, Hide, Fight

As a part of Gwinnett Tech's preparedness objective, we want to provide everyone with a safe and healthy learning environment. With the increase of incidents on college campuses, schools and public places, it is increasingly important to have a plan for how to respond in an active shooter situation. Students and employees can help prevent and prepare for potential active shooter situations by viewing the "Run, Hide, Fight - Surviving an Active Shooter Event" video. The video will assist you in planning for your personal safety. [watch video](#).



### Collecting Aluminum Can Tabs

The Future Cardiovascular Technologist Club and the Association for Radiologic Technologist are collecting can tabs. One gallon of tabs equals a one night stay in the Ronald McDonald House for a family. Together,



we've already collected eight gallons, but we can do more! Help us by bringing your aluminum can tab donations to building 200 - room 121, 245, 133 or the student lounge. Thank you for your support!

### You Shop. Amazon Gives Back to GTC!

[Shop Amazon Smile](#) is giving back and all you have to do is go to the website and choose "Gwinnett Tech Foundation". The GTC Foundation will receive .05% of every dollar you spend that qualifies and in turn, we will apply these dollars back into Gwinnett Tech students! This is a win-win!!! If you have further questions, please contact [Darcie Johnson](#).



### Did you know? GTC Has a No Interest Tuition Payment Plan!

Gwinnett Tech partners with [Nelnet Business Solutions](#) to let you pay tuition and fees over time, making college more affordable. Payment Plan Benefits include easy online enrollment, flexible payment options and no interest. [Learn more](#) about the tuition payment plan and enroll today!

### Collecting Corks

The Rad Tech program has collected over 12,000 corks, caps and foil from wine bottles for Clothes for Souls. Each is worth 2 cents so we can financially support this global non-profit institution dedicated to fighting poverty. Besides helping the charity, it also helps the earth. The corks are recycled and not put in landfills. Did you know that it takes over 1,500 gallons of water to grow the cotton required for just one pair of jeans and each American discards over 65 pounds of clothing per year? Help us by continuing to donate your corks! Drop off is in bldg. 200, room 245.



## Creating Safer, Healthier Campus Communities

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### Feel Stressed? You are not Alone!

Going to school can be tough. Life can be tough. Student Life has paid for all of our students to get four free counseling sessions through the Cameron & Associates Life Balance Program. Yes - it's FREE! Just call 404-845-3727 or visit them on the [web](#) and they will give you three counselors close to you to pick from. You are worth the investment!





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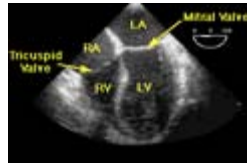
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## GTC STUDENT PERKS!

MUST SHOW CURRENT STUDENT/FACULTY ID TO RECEIVE DISCOUNTS.

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