HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Welcome back! We hope you had a restful break and are ready to enter the upcoming semester at UTEP! We want to remind you that the Early College Academic Success Center is here to support you and answer any questions that you may have about this semester.

We would also like to welcome our new group of Accelerated Students to UTEP! We are excited to have you on board! If you need any help, do not be afraid to reach out.

FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM

Are you following us on Instagram? We are constantly sharing important information regarding events (such as workshops), university deadlines, tips, and so much more! Follow us and stay up to date on all things ECHS at UTEP.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

JAN 9
FINANCIAL AID IS DISBURSED

JAN 16
DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY UNIVERSITY CLOSED

JAN 17
SPRING CLASSES BEGIN

JAN 17-20
LATE REGISTRATION (FEES ARE INCURRED)

FEB 1
SPRING CENSUS DAY

NOTE: THIS IS THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER FOR CLASSES. PAYMENTS ARE DUE BY 5:00 PM. STUDENTS WILL BE DROPPED FOR NON-PAYMENT
GTF WORKSHOP: MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITY

Attention Cohorts 4 and 5,

If you did not attend a workshop during the Fall 2022 semester, you are currently on probation and at risk of losing your scholarship for the following semester(s). In order to be removed from probation, you must complete one of the following make up sessions.

**Option #1 - Deadline: May 5, 2023**
Attend a second GTF Workshop with a different Cohort in addition to your own workshop in the spring of 2023. Information regarding these workshops will be posted on our Instagram @utepechs. Please keep an eye out!

**Option #2 - Deadline: May 5, 2023**
Attend an extra event/lecture offered by UTEP that is of the same educational value as a GTF workshop (event must be at least an hour in length). To receive credit, submit a picture as proof of attendance. You must stay for the entire event. You can register for a session via https://events.utep.edu or https://minetracker.utep.edu/events

**Please submit pictures to: https://utep.questionpro.com/t/AW2zRZwNd2**

Suggestion: There are several Career Center Workshops being offered in January which we highly encourage you all to attend. These workshops will focus on career and professional development and how to position yourself for success. If you are interested, you can register here: https://minetracker.utep.edu/events?query=university%20career%20center

**Option #3 - Deadline: January 20, 2023**
Cohort 4: Write a one page paper, double-spaced telling us about the different job opportunities in your field and which one you are most interested in pursuing upon graduation. Include any requirements you need to obtain these positions (e.g. internships, certifications, masters degree) and salary ranges (if available).

Cohort 5: Write a one page paper, double-spaced telling us about your five strengths from the StrengthsFinder 2.0 Assessment and how they can be applied in your life. Do you agree with your strengths, why or why not?

**Please submit essays to: https://utep.questionpro.com/t/AW2zRZwNd2**
STUDENTS
FOR SUCCESS

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT
Attending UTEP while being in High School is a great accomplishment! Hence, we want to recognize your achievements as Early College Students!

We also want to recognize the achievements of ECHS alumni who are currently UTEP students!

We have created a Microsoft Form for you to submit the names of students who you think have gone above and beyond in their life! We will select the students and share their stories over social media and in the next month’s newsletter! You can click here or check out our bio on our Instagram account. We look forward to reading your submissions!

BE INVOLVED
Do not forget there are many activities on campus! Be engaged in the UTEP community as there are always different events happening each month.

11 Jan
UTSA vs. UTEP Mens Basketball
7:00 PM

14 Jan
Rice vs. UTEP Womens Basketball
12:00 PM

18 Jan
Career Center Workshop: Crafting Effective Résumé & Cover Letter
12:00 PM
College of Business Administration Bldg., TACC Lab 3

19 Jan
Career Center Workshop: How to Navigate a Career Fair
12:00 PM
Union East 1 floor - Cactus Flower, 102C

26 Jan
Screening of the Documentary Short, Nuestros Hombres Ausentes
6:00 PM
Quinn Hall, 212

2-3 Feb
Spring Career Fair
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Tomás Rivera Conference Center

FIND MORE EVENTS AT UTEP
Events: https://events.utep.edu/
Sports: https://utepminers.com/
UTEP Career Center: https://www.utep.edu/careers/
UTEP Get Involved Instagram: @utepgetinvolved

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