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Spring Semester Is Underway: Welcome Back, KCC!

Kingsborough Community College officially welcomed new and returning students back to campus early March for the start of the spring semester. The KCC community came together to create a warm and energetic first day.

The day began with a **Welcome Back Grab-and-Go Breakfast**, where students were greeted with upbeat music from a **live DJ**, breakfast treats, and a chance to reconnect with friends before heading to class. The lively atmosphere set the tone for a semester focused on community, connection, and student success.

Throughout the morning, the **Library Breezeway** became a central hub of activity. Faculty and staff hosted information tables, for students to learn more about academic programs and campus resources. Students also enjoyed KCC swag and participated in a campus **scavenger hunt** that introduced them to key offices and support resources.

At **The Cove**, staff provided assistance with activating student IDs, accessing student email accounts, and navigating important campus systems—to prepare students for the semester ahead.

The welcoming spirit continued throughout the first week of classes, with additional tabling and support services available across campus to help students settle in, find resources, and start the semester strong.

Events like these highlight what makes the Kingsborough community special—**students, faculty, and staff working together to create a supportive environment where everyone can thrive.**

Students who need assistance during the semester are encouraged to connect with the **Office of Student Affairs** at student.affairs@kbcc.cuny.edu or visiting Room A-216 to meet with the **Dean of Students, Dr. Natasha Edwards.**

Looking to get more involved on campus? **Student Life and campus clubs** offer great opportunities to meet new people, develop leadership skills, and make the most of the college experience. Stop by **Room C-123** or send an email to KCC_StudentLife@kbcc.cuny.edu to learn about upcoming events, leadership opportunities, and student organizations.

As the semester gets underway, the Kingsborough community looks forward to all that lies ahead—and to supporting students every step of the way.

Welcome back, KCC—here's to a great semester ahead!



LEADING THE TIDE

Justinna Boatwright & Bobby Allison: A Full-Circle Story of Second Chances

A powerful story of perseverance and connection is putting Kingsborough Community College in the spotlight, as **student-athlete Justinna Boatwright** and **Director of Athletics Bobby Allison** are featured in both the **Brooklyn Daily Eagle** and **Amsterdam News**.

Justinna Boatwright, a 35-year-old sophomore guard on the Kingsborough women's basketball team, is embracing a powerful second chance at competitive hoops — returning to the court 15 years after first playing at York College.

Balancing two jobs and her studies in sports management, Justinna has brought leadership, resilience, and passion to every game this season, motivating teammates and helping lead KCC to strong performances, including deep tournament runs.

Her journey — from stepping away from the sport to support her family, to rediscovering her love of the game and pursuing her degree — is a remarkable testament to perseverance and the transformative power of collegiate athletics.

Her story is made even more meaningful by a full-circle connection with Bobby Allison, who first recruited Boatwright nearly two decades ago. Today, as KCC's Director of Athletics, he now has the opportunity to support her success firsthand—highlighting his long-standing commitment to recognizing and uplifting student talent.

Together, their story reflects the heart of Kingsborough Athletics: creating opportunities, supporting student growth, and celebrating second chances.



Read more:

Brooklyn Daily Eagle: <https://brooklyneagle.com/369687/bobby-allison-got-his-recruit-18-years-later/>

Amsterdam News: <https://brooklyneagle.com/369687/bobby-allison-got-his-recruit-18-years-later/>

CATCH THE NEXT WAVE

You Belong Here: Kick-Off Event

The **Student Union & Intercultural Center (SU&IC)** would like to invite students to the kickoff of the **You Belong Here series**— designed to help students build meaningful connections with one another while learning about the many support services available at Kingsborough.

This semester begins with a Kick-Off event open to all students, offering an opportunity to break the ice, meet peers, and learn more about the small-group sessions that follow. At KCC, we believe in supporting students holistically and reinforcing a simple message: **you've got this, and we've got you.**

Faculty and staff are warmly encouraged to attend, help spread the word, and invite students who may benefit from building community and support on campus.

For more information, see details in the flyer below.



LOOKING FOR A SPACE TO CONNECT, LEAD AND BELONG?

Visit the **Student Union & Intercultural Center**

The Student Union and Intercultural Center provides a safe, inclusive, and welcoming space where students can build community and strengthen their sense of belonging at Kingsborough.

YOU BELONG HERE

KCC IS HERE TO SUPPORT YOU!

The You Belong Here series is designed to provide KCC students with a sense of community and belonging and provide opportunities to build community and learn about campus support and resources.

KICKOFF EVENT

March 31, 2026
1P.M. - 3P.M. | U101A

Join us for food, icebreakers,
and to connect with the
KCC community!

Questions? Contact:
hnasser@kbcc.cuny.edu

Group Series in U215/216

First in Family to Attend College
April 14, 2026 | 2P.M. - 3P.M.

Single Parents
April 14, 2026 | 3P.M. - 4P.M.

Students of Faith
April 15, 2026 | 2P.M. - 3P.M.

DACA Undocumented/International
April 15, 2026 | 3P.M. - 4P.M.

Men of Color
April 16, 2026 | 2P.M. - 3P.M.

LGBTQIA+ students
April 16, 2026 | 3P.M. - 4P.M.

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MAKING WAVES: ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT



Hanan Latiff ('23)

Computer Information Systems

Hanan Latiff's journey to Kingsborough Community College began far from Brooklyn. Growing up in a small village, she returned to school after nearly ten years away from the classroom. In Spring 2022, Hanan began her studies at KCC in the **ESL program**.

The ESL sequence was designed as two connected semesters with the same professor and group of students. For Hanan, those classes were a very special experience. As it was her first time studying in the United States, the program helped her adjust to college life while building confidence in the classroom. She met friends from many different cultures and academic majors—an experience she says she will never forget. After her first semester, her professor encouraged her to move ahead and begin taking courses in her major.

During that first semester, Hanan also met **Helen-Margaret Nasser**, who was the **Director of Student Life** at the time. Helen quickly became an important mentor during Hanan's time at KCC.

Known for her warmth and dedication to students, Helen encouraged Hanan to get involved on campus. Through her guidance, Hanan joined the **KCC Student Ambassador program**, where she developed communication skills and represented the college community. Later, she became active in **Student Government**, further strengthening her leadership and advocacy for fellow students.

With the support of other students and advisors, Hanan also helped rebuild the **Muslim Student Association (MSA)**. Being part of this effort was deeply meaningful to her, as it helped create a welcoming space where students could connect, share experiences, and support one another.

Through encouragement from faculty and staff, Hanan embraced opportunities she had never imagined—including speaking at an awards ceremony, helping rebuild the MSA club, and taking on leadership roles across campus.

Hanan graduated from Kingsborough Community College in Spring 2023 with a degree in **Computer Information Systems**. She continued her academic journey at **Queens College**, where she studied **Computer Science, Mathematics, and Neuroscience**.

Today, Hanan's academic journey continues to reach new heights. She has accepted an offer from **Yale University** to pursue a fully funded **PhD in Biomedical Engineering** beginning this September. So excited about the news, Hanan returned to KCC to share the milestone in person with the mentors and community that helped launch her path.

Her story is a powerful reminder of the impact of mentorship, community, and opportunity—and of how far determination and support can take a student.

LIFE ON THE WAVE

5 Ways to Make Friends at KCC

College is full of opportunities to meet new people—and **KBCC** offers plenty of spaces and programs designed to help you connect.

Whether you're outgoing or just starting to branch out, here are ways to build friendships on campus:

Talk to Your Classmates

Start with the people you see every week! A quick chat before or after class can lead to study groups, shared notes, and lasting friendships.

Hang Out Around Campus

Spend time in the **Student Union & Intercultural Center (SU&IC)** which serves as a central, inclusive hub in room U-113, or **E-Gaming Room** —all great places to meet people casually. Whether you're gaming, working out, or just relaxing, these spaces are designed for student connection.

Join a Club or Organization

There's a club for everyone. Whether you're into art, culture, leadership, or gaming, clubs are a great way to meet people with shared interests.

Join Student Government

Looking to make an impact on campus, consider joining the **Student Government Association (SGA)**! SGA gives students a voice in shaping the campus experience, advocating for student needs, and helping plan initiatives that build community at Kingsborough. With elections coming up soon, now is the perfect time to get involved, develop leadership skills, and represent your peers. Interested in running or learning more? Stop by **Room C123**!



Connect with Student Life

Student Life at Kingsborough is where campus comes alive! The Office of Student Life creates fun, engaging experiences and leadership opportunities that help students grow academically, personally, and professionally while building a strong sense of community and belonging.

Whether you're looking to meet new friends, explore your interests, or develop leadership skills, there are so many ways to get involved. Join us for events like **Welcome Breakfasts**, our **Dinner & Dialogue** and **Movie Series**, **Springfest**, **awareness programs**, and **leadership workshops**. You can also connect through one of our 25+ student organizations or get involved with the **Student Government Association**, become a **Student Ambassador**, register to vote, and celebrate your achievements at our **Student Activities Awards**.



LOOKING TO GET INVOLVED ON CAMPUS OR START A CLUB?

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CALM WATERS: WELLNESS CORNER

Calling up Your Inner Creative

SELF-CARE PRACTICES FOR THE NEW SEASON

Creative expression can lower stress, boost your mood, and support mental health. This month, we're sharing ideas and events to help spark your imagination and self-expression. Start the year by building habits that support your well-being—in fun, imperfect, and personal ways.

Here are **six ways to incorporate creativity into your life as a form of self-care:**

Try out art journaling

Use a notebook to write, doodle, or paste images that reflect your thoughts and feelings. There's no right or wrong way—just let it flow. Prefer talking? Try audio journaling by recording your thoughts aloud in a private space.

Make a Collage or Vision Board

Choose images that speak to your current mood or future goals. Arrange them in a way that feels meaningful to you. It's a great way to connect with your inner life visually.

Create a Mood Playlist

Curate songs that match or shift your mood. Whether you need comfort, motivation, or a vibe reset, music can help you feel more in tune with yourself.

Get your body moving!

Put on your playlist and move however you want for 10–15 minutes. No choreography needed—just let your body release tension and boost your mood.

Learn or practice a soothing craft.

Knitting, beading, embroidery, or making friendship bracelets can help calm your mind through repetitive motion and creativity.



Stop by an event with the Counseling & Wellness Center this year!

Visit and connect with the **Counseling and Wellness Center** in **Room D-102**.

For other ways to incorporate creativity as a tool to strengthen mental health, or if you are a student group interested in collaborating with us on a campus event, we would love to connect with you.

Location: Room D-102

Email: wellness.center@kbcc.cuny.edu



**NEED SOMEONE TO TALK TO?
SUPPORT IS AVAILABLE**

Visit the **Counseling Center at Room D-102**

The Counseling Center provides a safe and confidential space where students can receive emotional and psychological support. Free counseling services are available to help students navigate personal and academic challenges, build coping skills, and support their overall well-being.

WELLNESS CENTER

Spring 2026

Calendar Of Events

Tell a friend to tell a friend! Let's build our self-care tool-box!

Tuesdays at 2PM - 3:30PM in Room U113

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|---------------|--|
| MAR 17 | Meet and Greet Day |
| MAR 31 | Embracing Identity Workshop |
| APR 14 | Academic Stress Workshop |
| APR 21 | Sleep and Mental Health Event |
| APR 28 | Screen Time Workshop |
| MAY 5 | Women's Day Brunch Event |
| MAY 19 | CUNY Wellness Festival |
| JUNE 2 | Building a Resilient Mind with Self Care |

The Wellness Center also presents a healthcare initiative. Sign up for health insurance or speak with on-site representatives by the Cove (IBOARD area).

Emblem Health (Mondays)
10am-5:30pm

Anthem Health (Tuesdays)
10am- 4pm

Presented By:

The Wellness Center

A Part of Student Wellness Services

Wellness.Center@kbcc.cuny.edu

AAS STUDENT SUPPORT SPOTLIGHT

Tick Tock... Let's Talk Time!

From late-night studying to last-minute assignments, the semester moves fast... but you can stay one step ahead! Here are some time management tips to help you make the most of your schedule (and maybe even find time for a nap).

Let's dive in and take control of the semester! Here are some **Time Management Tips**:

Use accommodations proactively

Take initiative to book accommodated exams and request deadline extensions well in advance, ensuring availability and avoiding last-minute conflicts or delays.

Communicate regularly with instructors and support staff

Keep in touch about deadlines and accommodations to avoid misunderstandings and ensure your academic needs are met on time.

Break tasks into smaller, manageable steps

Use planners or visual schedules to divide assignments and study sessions into chunks, helping maintain focus and reduce overwhelm.

Facing barriers at school because of a disability?

Talk to AAS! We can help!

Access-Ability Services serves as a disability resource, promotes equity, and provides appropriate accommodations to KCC students with disabilities.



Our Services Include

- Accommodations
- Assistive Technology
- Educational and Career Counseling
- Advocacy
- One-on-one support



Visit Us

Room D205

<https://www.kbcc.cuny.edu/access-ability>

Contact Us

Phone: (718) 368 - 5175

Fax: (718) 368 - 4782

aas@kbcc.cuny.edu



Your Confidentiality is Protected



NEED ACADEMIC ACCOMMODATIONS OR ACCESSIBILITY SUPPORT?

Visit the **Access-Ability Services at D-205**

Access-Ability Services (AAS) supports students by providing resources and accommodations that promote equal access to learning. Services include determining eligibility and arranging academic accommodations, academic advisement, priority registration, and access to assistive technology.



BEHIND THE WAVES

Access Resource Center (ARC)

Supporting student success beyond the classroom

ABOUT THE OFFICE

The mission of the **Access Resource Center (ARC)** is to provide holistic services that support the well-being and success of the college community. ARC is committed to empowering students to overcome life barriers that may impact their ability to persist and achieve their educational goals. Recognizing that student success extends beyond the classroom, ARC works to ensure students have access to essential resources and support systems they need to thrive.

WHAT WE DO

- Benefits Screenings
- Food Services
- SNAP Application Assistance
- Legal Consultations
- Financial Consultations & Tax Preparation

CONNECT WITH ARC

Looking for support or not sure where to start?

Stop by ARC and get connected to campus and NYC resources designed to help you succeed.

Location: **Room E-115**

Email: **ARC.KCC@kbcc.cuny.edu**

PROGRAMS & INITIATIVES

- **Financial wellness support** to help students build stability and confidence
- Benefits navigation and support services
- **ARC Food Pantry** providing access to essential food items for students
- **Grab-and-Go Food Program** offering quick food options for students on campus
- **Food Voucher Program** connecting students with additional food support resources



NEED SUPPORT WITH FOOD & OTHER ESSENTIAL RESOURCES?

Visit the **Access Resource Center at Room E-115**

The Access Resource Center provides holistic support services that help students overcome life barriers and stay focused on their educational goals. Free services include benefits screening, food services, SNAP application assistance, legal consultations, financial consultations, and tax preparation support.

SPRING 2026 FOOD SERVICE SCHEDULE

| | GRAB AND GO (Room E-115) | FOOD VOUCHERS (Room E-116) | FOOD PANTRY (Room T4-157) |
|------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
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| THU | 11am - 12pm 2pm - 4pm | 2pm - 4pm | 1pm - 4pm |
| FRI | 11am - 12pm 1pm - 2pm | NO VOUCHERS | 10am - 2pm |

**Service can change due to events / meetings and class schedules. Food service may be adjusted based on inventory*



Benefits Day

arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu | 718-368-5411

 @kbccaccessresourcecenter

MARCH 26TH | APRIL 23RD | MAY 28TH

Time: 2pm - 3:30pm | Location: L304



Open lab to apply
for government benefits
with ARC team.



*Open to all students
must register at E-115.*



ACCESS RESOURCE CENTER (ARC)

- BENEFITS SCREENINGS
- FOOD SERVICES
- SNAP APPLICATIONS
- SOCIAL SERVICES REFERRALS
- FINANCIAL COUNSELING
- LEGAL SERVICES
- TAX PREPARATIONS
- EmpoweredNYC: FINANCIAL COUNSELING FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES



ARC continues to provide services to students through email, phone, WebEx, Blackboard and Zoom. Food services, government benefits and other emergency resources are still provided. For inquiries: arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu

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@kbccaccessresourcecenter



BUDGET 101 – WEALTHY WEDNESDAY

2026

Come and learn how to have a healthy relationship with your finances

Dates: March 25th, April 22nd, May 20th

Time: 2pm - 3pm

Location: U-215

Sponsored by Student Life: Lunch & Financial Literacy Book



Meet & Greet the Team/ ARC & NAC on ZOOM:

You have questions, we have answers!
You heard myths, we have truths!



Monday, March 30, 2026 | 2- 3:30pm



meet&greet

NEW AMERICANS CENTER (NAC)

We are open Monday & Tuesdays 9am -5:30pm
please call 718-368-5787



arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu | 718-368-5411

@kbccaccessresourcecenter



FRUIT DISTRIBUTION

Date: March 25th - May 20th
(No Produce 4/1)

Time: 11am - until gone

Location: Cove U- 101

Please bring a bag!

Questions? Call 718.368.5411

Available to
STUDENTS ONLY

2026



LET'S TALK TUESDAY

Open safe space to express your feelings and emotions out loud with love.

arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu | 718-368-5411 @kbccaccessresourcecenter

2026



DATES & TOPICS:

March 24th - Own Your Stuff

April 21st - Healthy Relationships

May 19th - Open Decompression Session

Time: 2pm - 3pm

Location: U-215

Sponsored by Student Life: Light refreshments



BEHIND THE WAVES

Women's Center

Empowering students through support, connection, and personal growth.

ABOUT THE OFFICE

The **Women's Center** is a supportive space dedicated to empowering students through counseling, community, and personal development. The center provides free and confidential counseling services for students navigating personal, academic, or life challenges. Through programs, peer support, and campus collaborations, WRC helps students build confidence, develop important life skills, and reach their fullest potential.

WHAT WE DO

Confidential individual counseling
Crisis intervention and support
Women's peer support groups
Referrals to community resources
Information and resources related to women's issues

CONNECT WITH Women's Center

Connect with the Women's Resource Center to explore the many services, programs, and resources available to support their academic and personal success at Kingsborough.

Location: **M-382**

PROGRAMS & INITIATIVES

- Workshops on personal development, leadership, and financial planning
- Discussions on life transitions, parenting support, and current events
- Health and wellness education and stress management strategies
- Awareness around sexual harassment and domestic violence prevention



**WOMEN'S CENTER
EVENTS CALENDAR
SPRING 2026**

Join us for a semester filled with events that will help you learn, relax, and build community in M382.

March

March 17th - Women's Center Meet and Greet
March 24th - International Women's History Month Celebration

April

April 14th - Sexual Assault Awareness Month Workshop
April 21st - Earth Day Arts and Crafts

May

May 5th - Mother's Day Celebration
May 19th - The Wellness Festival

 The Women's Center
A Part of Student Wellness Services
www.kbcc.cuny.edu/sws
718-368-4700

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BEHIND THE WAVES

Men's Resource Center (MRC)

Supporting leadership, mentorship, and personal growth

ABOUT THE OFFICE

The **Men's Resource Center (MRC)** at Kingsborough Community College is a mentoring and leadership program dedicated to supporting students as they navigate their academic journey and personal growth. The center cultivates a spirit of academic excellence, leadership, and belonging by creating a welcoming environment where students can connect, reflect, and build community while working toward their academic and personal goals.

WHAT WE DO

Confidential individual mentorship
Men's peer support groups
Referrals to community resources
Information and resources supporting student success

DID YOU KNOW?

In addition to mentorship, the center offers students a place to gather, socialize, network, and explore the transitions that come with college life.

CONNECT WITH MRC

Office Hours: Monday–Friday, 9AM to 5PM

Location: U-218

PROGRAMS & INITIATIVES

- Workshops and seminars focused on personal development and leadership
- Assertiveness training and leadership skill building
- Financial planning and budgeting support
- Health and wellness education
- Stress and time management strategies



The Men's Resource Center - U218

ANIMATION CREATIVITY

WEDNESDAY 2-3 PM
ROOM: U-218
(ABOVE THE CAFETERIA)

- WATCH ANIMATION 
- GROUP DISCUSSIONS 
- CHARACTER SKETCHES



FOR MORE INFO
MICHAEL RODRIGUEZ@KBCC.CUNY.EDU
#718-368-5864






THE MEN'S RESOURCE CENTER PRESENTS

VOICES UNLOCKED: CONVERSATIONS THAT MATTER

An Open Discussion |
Share Your Thoughts, Be Heard, Drive Change.



WHERE: U218 (above the cafeteria)

WHEN: Mondays at 3:00 pm

JOIN THE DISCUSSION | A SAFE SPACE FOR OPEN DIALOGUE

OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS

For more information contact: michael.rodriguez@kbcc.cuny.edu

The Men's Resource Center *presents*

THE MYSTERY OF BEING

*A Free Intellectual Workshop
with Professor Joseph Terry*

What does it mean to think in an age of distraction?

This free, open workshop invites students, staff, and faculty into a shared space of reflection on some of the deepest human questions:

- **What is being?**
- **How do we truly know?**
- **What is technology doing to the self?**
- **What is education actually for?**

Drawing from philosophy, theology, science, and the humanities, this weekly gathering offers a space to slow down, think carefully, and reconnect intellectual life with human flourishing.

Tuesdays | 1:30–3:00 PM | *Spring Semester*

Open to all. Attend weekly or drop in when you can.

Education is not only about what we can do—but about who we are becoming. This is a space to think, to *reflect*, and to *grow*.

HARBOR FOR VETERANS

JOIN US AT THE VETERAN'S LOUNGE

ROOM T7-220



VETERANS CLUB MEETING

STARTING MARCH 18 (WED) AT 4PM

CLUB MEETINGS ARE EVERY OTHER WEEK

LOUNGE OPEN DAILY

MAVA VETERANS WELLNESS & FITNESS

Starting MARCH 19 (THURS) AT 5:30PM
at the GYM (G Building - 2nd Floor)

EVERY THURSDAY IS GYM DAY

COMMUNITY COMPASS

At the **Office of Community Standards & Student Engagement**, we love to see our students succeed!

We believe that each and every KCC student is capable of greatness: not just academic excellence but also creating a vibrant, supportive, and respectful learning community.

Stressful circumstances, in and out of KCC, can make it harder for our students to embody their full potential, to no fault of their own.

With that in mind, we have some **tips to get the Spring semester off to the right start!**

Build Relationships with Your Professors

Professors want to support, teach, and help you!

Students sometimes struggle with an assignment or exam and find themselves unsure about how to move forward.



Ask your professors for help! After all, they are the experts. They will be best suited to assist you in understanding the work being asked of you.

To build a relationship with them early on, consider some of the following:

- Greet them at the beginning of class
- Stop by office hours or make an appointment with them. You can use this time to ask questions about the class material, or their career and interest in the course material! Most people appreciate the opportunity to share about themselves.

Not only will this make it easier to ask for help, but it's also a great networking opportunity. Your professors today can write you letters of recommendation or refer you to a job opening tomorrow

Progress Not Perfection

When you're setting goals for this semester, consider making them **SMART**: **S**pecific, **M**easurable, **A**chievable, **R**elevant and **T**ime-bound.



For example, "I will do well in my math class" is not a SMART goal. It is not specific about any of the actions you will take to make that happen. A SMART goal would look more like "*I will seek tutoring for the material in my math class once a week.*" This is a goal that you have control over and can easily assess whether you've adhered to it or not.

Our Work

The **Office of Community Standards & Student Engagement** works with students to promote integrity, responsibility, and KCC values. When challenges arise, our goal is to guide students through the process in a way that supports learning and fosters growth. We hope to be a partner in your success!

For more information, reach out to us at studentconduct@kbcc.cuny.edu



FINANCIAL LITERACY WORKSHOP:



UNDERSTANDING THE FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION PROCESS

Facilitator: Ruben Landaverde,
Financial Aid Office

March 25th, 2026

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
A212

Light
Refreshment

Valuable
Information

Incentives

Contact: Latasha Collins, Director Child Development Center -
latasha.collins@kbcc.cuny.edu

HARBOR OF RESOURCES



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LOOKING FOR CAREER SUPPORT? EXPLORE YOUR CAREER PATH!

Visit the **Center for Career Development & Experiential Learning at Room C102**

The Center assists students with career counseling, connections to employment opportunities, and access to internship and service experiences that help build skills and prepare for future careers.



NEED MEDICAL SUPPORT ON CAMPUS? LOOKING FOR HEALTH EDUCATION?

Visit the **Health Center at A-108**

The Health Center supports the physical well-being of the Kingsborough community by offering first aid, medical consultations, health referrals, and preventative health education. A Registered Nurse is available whenever classes are in session to assist with immediate concerns and health guidance.



LOOKING TO PRIORITIZE YOUR WELL-BEING OR LEARN HOW TO SELF-CARE?

Visit the **Wellness Center at A-108 (E&F)**

The Wellness Center promotes health and mental well-being through an integrated, holistic approach. Students can connect with campus and community resources, attend interactive workshops, and participate in campus-wide wellness events focused on topics like stress management, physical health, and self-care.



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LOOKING FOR A PROGRAM TO SUPPORT YOUR ACADEMIC SUCCESS?

Visit the **Trio Student Support Services at D-124**

TRIO Student Support Services helps students stay on track to graduate and plan for life after college. The program supports students by providing academic guidance, career exploration, and connections to campus resources.



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HARBOR OF RESOURCES



FIND SUPPORT AND COMMUNITY FOR WOMEN ON CAMPUS.

Visit the **Women's Center at M-382**

The Women's Center provides a welcoming and supportive space dedicated to empowering women at Kingsborough. The Center focuses on supporting women's mental, emotional, and physical well-being. The space also includes a dedicated lactation room for breastfeeding mothers.



LOOKING FOR COMMUNITY AND SUPPORT FOR MEN ON CAMPUS?

Visit the **Men's Resource Center at U-218**

The Men's Resource Center supports self-identified men of color by providing academic support, mentorship, and opportunities to build community at Kingsborough through peer mentoring, supplemental academic support, networking opportunities, and men's support groups.



NEED ACADEMIC ACCOMMODATIONS OR ACCESSIBILITY SUPPORT?

Visit the **Access-Ability Services at D-205**

Access-Ability Services (AAS) supports students by providing resources and accommodations that promote equal access to learning. Services include determining eligibility and arranging academic accommodations, academic advisement, priority registration, and access to assistive technology.



NEED CHILDCARE SUPPORT WHILE YOU ATTEND CLASSES?

Visit the **Child Development Center at V-105**

The Child Development Center provides childcare and early education for children of KCC students ages 2–5. The Center offers a safe, nurturing, and engaging environment where children can learn and grow while their parents attend classes. The Center also supports student-parents through workshops and resources focused on parenting, child development, and family success.



DO YOU RECEIVE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND LOOKING FOR EXTRA SUPPORT?

Connect with **CUNY EDGE at T4-216**

CUNY EDGE helps students receiving public assistance achieve academic success, graduate on time, and prepare for employment. The program offers personalized academic and career advisement, and access to internship and job resources. Eligible students may also receive tuition assistance and virtual tutoring to support their academic goals.



ARE YOU A VETERAN OR MILITARY-CONNECTED STUDENT?

Visit the **Military & Veteran Affairs at C-106**

The Military and Veteran Affairs Office (MAVA) serves the needs of prospective and enrolled active military personnel, Veterans, their dependents and survivors. MAVA aides in application and certification for students who are eligible to receive education benefits under various Department of Veteran Affairs (DVA) programs. In this role, the MAVA team facilitates smooth transition and reintegration into the college community. We provide supplemental recruitment and retention efforts, various counseling and one-on-one advisement services, priority registration, in-state tuition, academic program information, and certify eligible students to receive DVA education benefits while maintaining productive relations with the Veterans Administration and other agencies serving Veterans.



INTERESTED IN COMPETING OR SUPPORTING KCC ATHLETICS

Visit **Athletics at G-110**

Kingsborough Athletics supports student-athletes in achieving both athletic and academic excellence. The department fosters teamwork, leadership, and competitive success while encouraging students to pursue championships and opportunities for athletic and academic scholarships at senior colleges.

KCC offers a wide range of teams, including Men's Soccer, Basketball, Tennis, Cross Country, Indoor and Outdoor Track, Baseball, and Volleyball; Women's Soccer, Basketball, Tennis, Cross Country, Indoor and Outdoor Track, and Volleyball; as well as Coed E-Sports and Cheerleading.



UPCOMING EVENTS

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| MAR 16 | <p>UndocuAlly Training - Session 1 (1pm Online on Zoom) <i>UndocuAlly strives to cultivate a more supportive environment for undocumented students in higher education and CUNY Kingsborough.</i> <i>Registration Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/LDVHRkLMTGCwbnLhykwAcw</i></p> |
| MAR 24 | <p>Let's Talk Tuesday - Own Your Stuff (2pm-3pm at U-215) <i>Open safe space to express your feelings and emotions out loud with love.</i> <i>For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i></p> |
| MAR 25 | <p>Interfaith Meet and Greet (2pm at U217) <i>An opportunity for students of all faiths and spiritualities to meet one another, engage in dialogue and find common ground.</i></p> |
| MAR 25 | <p>NYC Votes Civic Engagement Presentations (9:45am to 10:15 am or 1:15-2:15PM at MAC Rotunda) <i>Civic engagement is not only about voting. This session, offered by NYC Votes, explores what it truly means to be civically engaged, from understanding the different levels of government and participation in local campaigns to advocacy, volunteering, and holding elected officials accountable.</i></p> |
| MAR 25 | <p>Budget 101 - Wealthy Wednesday (2pm-3pm at U-215) <i>Come and learn how to have a healthy relationship with your finances.</i> <i>For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i></p> |
| MAR 26 | <p>Benefits Day (2pm-3:30pm at L304) <i>For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i></p> |
| MAR 27 | <p>Visit to Brooklyn Museum - Guided Tour of Seydou Keïta (Meet at the Museum at 11am) <i>Encounter an artist who changed the face of portrait photography. Seydou Keïta: A Tactile Lens is the most expansive North American exhibition of the legendary Malian photographer's work to date.</i> <i>Space is limited. Sign up in A216.</i></p> |
| MAR 27 | <p>Chinese Republicans (7pm at the Roundabout Theater) - OPEN TO ALL <i>Three high-powered businesswomen meet for lunch every month to discuss their latest career triumphs. But the group is jolted when Katie, a bright-eyed 24-year-old new to the workforce, joins to navigate the world of corporate finance.</i> <i>Tickets are available for \$10 for KCC students (Outside Guests - \$30) in A216 (Cash Only).</i> <i>Deadline 3/20</i></p> |
| MAR 30 | <p>UndocuAlly Training - Session 2 (10a Online on Zoom) <i>Registration Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/nSCwptaeRBG-I4OA6ze6vw</i></p> |
| MAR 30 | <p>Meet and Greet the Team / Access Resource Center (ARC) and New Americans Center (NAC) 2pm - 3:30pm via Zoom <i>For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i></p> |
| MAR 31 | <p>You Belong Here Series Kick-Off (1-3pm in U101A) <i>The You Belong Here series is designed to provide KCC students with a sense of community and belonging and provide opportunities to build community and learn about campus support and resources.</i></p> |

For updates on our events, please view the SU&IC Events Calendar:

<https://www.kbcc.cuny.edu/calendar.html#events/tag/SUIC>

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| APR 13 | Skin to Skin - Performance by Houses on the Moon (4pm at U219) <i>Inspired by the true stories of Black mothers and midwives, and the impact of systemic racism in the labor and delivery rooms, SKIN TO SKIN is a new theatrical project led by playwright Jeremy J. Kamps and Trixie Ndanu Kioko, a midwife and birthing justice advocate.</i> |
| APR 14 | You Belong Here Series - First in Family to Attend College (2pm-3pm in U215/216) You Belong Here Series - Single Parents (3pm-4pm in U215/216) |
| APR 15 | You Belong Here Series - Students of Faith (2pm-3pm in U215/216) You Belong Here Series - DACA/Undocumented/International (3pm-4pm U215/216) |
| APR 15 | Interfaith Open Dialogue Hour - Weekly (2pm-3pm in U217) <i>An opportunity to listen, share and learn in community with students of other faiths and spiritualities.</i> |
| APR 16 | You Belong Here Series - Men of Color (2pm-3pm in U215/216) You Belong Here Series - LGBTQIA+ students (3pm-4pm U215/216) |
| APR 21 | Let's Talk Tuesday - Healthy Relationships (2pm-3pm at U-215) <i>Open safe space to express your feelings and emotions out loud with love. For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i> |
| APR 22 | Interfaith Open Dialogue Hour - Weekly (2pm-3pm in U217) <i>An opportunity to listen, share and learn in community with students of other faiths and spiritualities.</i> |
| APR 22 | Budget 101 - Wealthy Wednesday (2pm-3pm at U-215) <i>Come and learn how to have a healthy relationship with your finances. For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i> |
| APR 22 | Earth day Seawall Clean-up |
| APR 23 | Faith Zone Training (3pm-5pm Virtual) <i>Faith Zone training is a resource for those who desire innovative and participatory training, contextualized resources, and honest dialogue about religion and spirituality.</i> Registration Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/join/zoom/register/Ev7aOrZ6TAqkHLxGtYJAdQ |
| APR 23 | Benefits Day (2pm-3:30pm at L304) <i>For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i> |
| APR 29 | Interfaith Open Dialogue Hour - Weekly (2pm-3pm in U217) <i>An opportunity to listen, share and learn in community with students of other faiths and spiritualities.</i> |
| APRIL 30 | Groundbreaking Leadership Series (12:00pm to 1:30 in U101A) <i>Our inaugural event will feature American fashion designer and entrepreneur, Claire McCardell, as presented by award winning journalist and author Elizabeth Evitts Dickinson.</i> Registration Link: https://forms.office.com/r/62yGNBy2wd |

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| MAY 6 | Interfaith Open Dialogue Hour - Weekly (2pm-3pm in U217) <i>An opportunity to listen, share and learn in community with students of other faiths and spiritualities.</i> |
| MAY 8 | Guided Tour of Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) - Masterworks of the Collection (11am) <i>Part of the SU&IC Museum Meetup Series offering opportunities for students to visit NYC's diverse cultural sites with exhibits and opportunities that highlight and promote representation, belonging, and inclusion. Join us for a 1-hour guided tour and then have the opportunity to explore the museum at your leisure. Space is limited. Sign up in A216.</i> |
| MAY 13 | Interfaith Open Dialogue Hour - Weekly (2pm-3pm in U217) <i>An opportunity to listen, share and learn in community with students of other faiths and spiritualities.</i> |
| MAY 15 | Guided Tour of the Tenement Museum (11am) <i>Explore the stories of the Rogarshevskys and the Baldizzis, a Jewish family and an Italian family who became neighbors in 97 Orchard during a critical time in NYC history. Sign up in A216 - limited slots.</i> |
| MAY 19 | Let's Talk Tuesday - Open Decompression Session (2pm-3pm at U-215) <i>Open safe space to express your feelings and emotions out loud with love. For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i> |
| MAY 20 | Budget 101 - Wealthy Wednesday (2pm-3pm at U-215) <i>Come and learn how to have a healthy relationship with your finances. For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i> |
| MAY 20 | Interfaith Open Dialogue Hour - Weekly (2pm-3pm in U217) <i>An opportunity to listen, share and learn in community with students of other faiths and spiritualities.</i> |
| MAY 20 | Celebration of Cultural Couture (12pm-1:30pm at U230 - Oceanview Room) <i>A collaborative effort between the Culinary Arts Program and the Fashion Design program. Join us for a global fashion show lunch showcasing our students! Guests are invited to wear something from their own cultural background! Seats are limited to 40 guests. To reserve a seat, please contact Professor Michael Palladino.</i> |
| MAY 28 | Benefits Day (2pm-3:30pm at L304) <i>For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i> |
| JUN 03 | Produce Day (11am - 3pm at Cove U-101) <i>For more information, email arc.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu</i> |
| JUN 18 | Commencement Ceremony |

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