

# PAWS UP PRESS

Keeping Our Panther Families in the Know!

## DATES AND DEADLINES

March 12-18

**MIDTERM EXAMS**

March 19-25

**SPRING BREAK**

March 28

**SENIORS REGISTER FOR  
SPRING CLASSES**

March 31

**JUNIORS REGISTER FOR  
SPRING CLASSES**

April 4

**SOPHOMORES REGISTER FOR  
SPRING CLASSES**

April 7

**FIRST-YEARS REGISTER FOR  
SPRING CLASSES**

April 15

**DEADLINE TO FILE FAFSA TO  
AVOID DELAYS IN FINANCIAL  
AID PROCESSING**

May 14-20

**FINAL EXAMS**



## Spring Panther Parents Sessions!

**Panther Parents: How to Mentor Your Emerging Adult**

Tuesday, February 15, 2022, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Learn more about skillsets and resources available to help your student become more self-sufficient in their college-life!

**Panther Parents: Preparing for the Sophomore Transition**

Wednesday, March 16, 2022, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Learn more about what's to come, academically, for your student as they prepare to transition to their sophomore year!

**Panther Parents: Meet the Deans**

Tuesday, April 12, 2022, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Meet our Academic Deans for the School of Business, School of Education, School of Arts & Sciences and School of Professional Studies!

\*Registration links embedded in title!



# SOFTWARE SPOTLIGHT

# Order ahead

and pay with your meal membership at:

freshens | FRESH FOOD KITCHEN CRAVE TOWN

download the boost ordering app and add your campus card to start ordering from the Union today!

New this semester: the Boost Mobile Ordering app makes it quick and easy to use your meal membership or credit/debit card to order food from Freshens Fresh Food Kitchen or CraveTown Late-Night in the Student Union!

Students can browse menus and item descriptions, select what they want, and check out, choosing any pick up time during the day!

The Boost ordering app can be downloaded from the Apple App Store or Google Play.

chartwells  
where hungry minds gather

\* Boost ordering is the exclusive way to order at the Student Union.



## What is a "GPA" and how is it calculated?

**GPA stands for "Grade Point Average." A GPA is the average of all of the grade points you have earned throughout the course of your degree. When your student receives a letter grade, that grade equates to a number (see chart below). This number is then multiplied by the number of credits of that particular course and then divided by the total number of credits earned.**

Letter Grade	4.0 Scale GPA
A+	4.0
A	4.0
A-	3.7
B+	3.3
B	3.0
B-	2.7
C+	2.3
C	2.0
C-	1.7
D+	1.3
D	1.0
D-	0.7
F	0.0

So, if your student took 3- 4 credit courses in the fall, a GPA calculation looks like this:

Course 1: A (4x4)= 16

Course 2: B+ (4x 3.3)= 13.2

Course 3: A- (4x3.7)= 14.8

Total Grade Points Earned= 44

Divided by total credits earned (12)= 3.67 Term GPA

## STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Kristina earned her Associate Degree in Arts from Nassau Community College and an advanced certificate from Molloy College.

Kristina transferred to Old Westbury in Fall 2020 with 78 credits and will be a class of 2022 graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Childhood Education from Old Westbury. She is one of our Head Orientation Leaders for summer 2022!

### Kristina D'Arpa

