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FONTBONNE UNIVERSITY WEEKLY MAILER

A banner with a purple-tinted background image of a university campus. The image shows a large building, trees, and a walkway. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ON CAMPUS?

To know more about
campus events & activities,
[click here!](#)

Winter Pottery Sale

The winter pottery sale will take place in the ceramics studio **Friday, Dec 10 (9 am-6 pm) and Saturday, Dec 11 (10 am-2 pm)**. Students, Faculty, and Alumni will be selling a variety of items perfect for that Christmas shopping list.



May 2022 Commencement will take place on Saturday, May 7, 2022, on Fontbonne University's campus! More details about ceremony times and locations will be announced in the Spring semester. Details about Commencement will be available and updated on the Commencement [website](#). Graduates who wish to participate should RSVP [here](#). Students who are eligible to graduate in May 2022, should apply for their degree by December 15th. The application can be found [here](#).

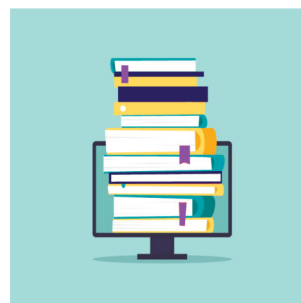
December Hours at Taylor Library

Mon-Wed, Dec. 6-8: 7:30 am - 10:00 pm
Thurs – Fri, Dec. 9-10: 7:30 am – 4:30 pm
Sun, Dec. 12: Closed

Mon-Wed, Dec 13-15: 7:30 am – 4:30 pm
Thurs, Dec 16: 7:30 am – 1:30 pm
Fri, Dec 17: 7:30 am – 4:30 pm
Find current hours [online](#)

DON'T FORGET

Start your term ahead of the curve and order your textbooks early for Winter and Spring courses! Given the recent supply chain volatility across the US, early ordering and ordering digital materials gives you the best chance to avoid delays due to shipping or unforeseen inventory challenges. Review your course materials at the [Online Bookstore](#).



ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS



Nominations for Excellence in Teaching

If you have a professor that has gone above and beyond to help you in your educational journey, or if you have noticed one doing so for others, please fill out [this survey](#) before the end of the semester to nominate them for the Goosetree Stevens Teaching Award!

Library Coloring Contest

Pick up a stocking or snowflake page at YOUR Taylor Library. Color in and return it **December 1 - 10** to be entered to win a \$25 Amazon Gift Card!

Finals Week: Come Study with Us!

Taylor Library will be open until **10 pm through Wed, Dec 8**. Starting at **5 pm each night**, free snacks and drinks will be available! (Face masks and social distancing are required. Please eat and drink in safe, non-public areas.)

Griffin Market Update

Thanks to the Fontbonne community for all the pre-thanksgiving donations, supporting us on Giving Tuesday, as well as all who filled out the survey! Without your support, we could not do the good work we so enjoy doing. **The Market will be open next week M/T/W 11-12:30**. Stop by to stock up for the break. We will have an outreach table with a finals snack on **Wed, Dec 8 outside Ryan Dining Hall from 11-12:30**. Stay tuned for spring hours. [Email](#) for any questions or additional needs.

Last Days to Submit Fontbonne Community Connection 2022 Award



Applications

Preliminary [applications](#) are due by **Thursday, December 15, 2021**.

Have questions or need guidance? [Email](#) us!

[FCC Award Application & Information](#)

COVID SAFETY



Why I Got Vaccinated: Student Spotlight



My name is Ryan Taylor. I got vaccinated for a plethora of reasons. The first reason I got vaccinated for COVID-19 is that I didn't want to contract the virus. Having asthma, and the Coronavirus largely affecting the respiratory system, I was scared about the extent to which my health would decline if I contracted it. The second reason I got vaccinated is to return back to a sense of normalcy. Being locked in my room, doing remote learning, and not getting a volleyball season my senior year had

profuse impacts on my mental health. I wanted to go back to school and see my friends. I wanted to go to all the athletic events and not be afraid of going back into lockdown. The final reason I got vaccinated is to keep the people around me safe. Being a young, healthy adult, I was not concerned that I would die from COVID-19, but I was concerned about spreading it to my loved ones, especially my grandparents. My generation's mortality rates were nothing compared to the elderly. Wanting to maintain public safety and the safety of my loved ones at risk, I got vaccinated. Being able to hug my grandparents, after a year of not hugging them, is something I will never take for granted again. Getting vaccinated eased my fears of spreading the virus to those at high risk for hospitalization and death

[COVID Safety Guidelines](#)

[Upload Your Vaccine Status Here](#)

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COUNSELING AND WELLNESS



Visit the [Counseling and Wellness](#) page on [MyFontbonne](#) for more on:

- **8 Tips for A Successful Finals Week**

Need some extra support? Contact [Counseling and Wellness](#).

QUICK LINKS



[Dining Menu](#)

[Fine Arts Gallery Schedule](#)

[24/7 Library Live Chat](#)

[Library Newsletter](#)

[Campus Ministry](#)

[Instagram Submissions](#)

The Charles Jeffers Glik Testing Center provides proctored examinations by appointment only.

Appointments should be scheduled at least 48 hours in advance via [email](#) or call 314-889-4682.

Kinkel Center appointments for writing support including resumes and cover letters, peer academic coaching, student accommodations, and tutoring in math, computer science, biology, and chemistry can be made [online](#).

Online tutoring in other subject areas can be accessed 24/7 through Thinking Storm in Canvas.

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