On behalf of the Staff of Student Support Services I would like to wish everyone a very relaxing and safe summer. It has been a great year with much accomplished. Hopefully everyone will have a rejuvenating time off and be ready to return in the fall. For those of you leaving us, may you have the very best of luck in your new endeavors!! Stay in touch!

Mary Coady

Are you serious about graduate school? Want to get more information on how to prepare? Save the date!

McNair/SSS Graduate School Preparation
September 25-September 26, 2015

WAEOPP (Wisconsin Association of Educational Opportunity Program Personnel) will be offering their annual McNair/SSS Graduate School Preparation Retreat Friday, September 25 through Saturday, September 26, 2015 at the Chula Vista Resort and Waterpark, Wisconsin Dells, WI. Chula Vista is one of the premier indoor waterparks in the Wisconsin Dells. You can visit their website at: www.chulavistaresort.com

Don Asher, the nationally recognized authority on the graduate school admissions process, will be conducting the retreat. The two-day intensive seminar is designed to jump start McNair and Student Support Services students’ graduate school application process. Students will receive hands-on assistance with preparing their personal statements and other application materials.

SSS will be taking a group of 6 SSS students to this workshop in September. If you want to be considered, email Mary, mcoady@uwlax.edu. Selection will be made in August. All expenses will be paid by Student Support Services.
Thank you to all who attended the inaugural SSS Senior Spotlight on April 28th. The SSS staff and the SSS Leadership Council are very proud of our graduating seniors and wish you well in all of your future endeavors!
Introducing your 2015-2016 SSS Leadership Council!!! Watch for programs and events in the fall future brought to you by this motivated and excited group!

**Kathryn Bugasch**
- Hometown: Eagen, MN
- Major: ESS Pre-Professional Pre-Physical Therapy
- Minor: Nutrition

**Stephanie Drefahl**
- Hometown: Orfordville, WI
- Major: Economics
- Minor: International Business Statistics

**Shasta Fleming**
- Hometown: Stanley, WI
- Major: ESS Pre-Professional Pre-Physical Therapy
- Minor: Psychology

**Sonia Garcia**
- Hometown: Hales Corners, WI
- Major: Communication Studies Pre-Occupational Therapy
- Minor: Spanish

**Cari Hansen**
- Hometown: Oneida, WI
- Major: Therapeutic Recreation
- Minor: Spanish

**Maria Pustina**
- Hometown: Montfort, WI
- Major: Therapeutic Recreation
- Minor: Psychology

**Miranda Steinmetz**
- Hometown: Osceola, WI
- Major: Cellular & Molecular Biology Pre-Physician Assistant
- Minor: Spanish Psychology

**Leadership Council**
Did you check out a calculator for the semester? 

If so, you will need to return it before leaving campus for the semester. Unreturned calculators may result in a charge placed on your account.

Summer, 2015 Important Dates

Classes Begin:  
Summer I: May 26, 2015
Summer II: June 22, 2015
Summer III: July 20, 2015

Mid-Semester and Special Class Days:  N/A

Holidays:  July 4, 2015

Last Day of Class & Finals:  
Summer I: June 19, 2015
Summer II: July 17, 2015
Summer III: August 14, 2015

Grades Due:  8:00 AM Wednesday, August 19, 2015

Workshops planned for the next academic year.

Secrets of a Successful Student  
Nuts & Bolts of grad school

Study Abroad Panel  
Campus Technology

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Understand how to fill out the FAFSA

Explore resume building and careers

Mock interviews

Suggestions?  Is there something you would like to see covered? Please let us know!
# FINALS WEEK TUTORING SCHEDULES

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Lynette Prieur Lo, Advisor
Michele (Mic) Nauman, Advisor
Chad Crawford, Advisor

Student Support Services is a part of the Division of Student Life and a subdivision of Diversity & Inclusion.

Student Support Services is a federally funded program on the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse Campus.

Do you have advising needs or other questions this summer? Give us a call! Mary is available Monday-Friday. Drop in or call for an appointment 8am-4:30pm. Phone 785-8535.

“Never give up on what you really want to do. The person with big dreams is more powerful than one with all the facts.”
- Life’s Little Instruction Calendar

“ When I was 5 years old, my mother always told me that happiness was the key to life. When I went to school, they asked me what I wanted to be when I grew up. I wrote down ‘happy’. They told me I didn’t understand the assignment, and I told them they didn’t understand life.”
–John Lennon