

SKC Preview and Career Exploration Day

April 17, 2024

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

9:00-9:15	Check-in
9:15-9:45	Welcome to SKC!
10:00-11:15	Academic and Career Pathways: Session 1
11:30-12:45	Lunch, College and Career Fair
1:00-2:15	Academic and Career Pathways: Session 2
2:30	Depart

Academic and Career Pathways Sessions	10:00- 11:15	1:00- 2:15	Building
Admissions, Financial Aid, Scholarships, Housing, and Student Success	х	х	<u>Robert DePoe III (RDIII)</u>
Education Division	х	х	<u>Stevenson (EVSTV)</u>
Liberal Arts	х	х	<u>Michel (MICHE)</u>
Nursing	х	х	John Peter Paul (JPPAU)
Dental Assisting Technology	х	х	Health Science
Digital Design Technology and Fine Arts	х	х	Three Woodcocks (WOODC)
Forestry / GSP	х	х	Beaverhead (PQLAW)
Health Promotion Practices	х	х	John Peter Paul (JPPAU)
Hydrology	х	х	Beaverhead (PQLAW)
Information Technology, Engineering, and Computer Science	х	х	<u>A. Mathias (AMAT)</u>
Social Work and Chemical Dependency Counseling	х	х	<u>Charlo (PCHAR)</u>
Wildlife and Fisheries	х	х	Beaverhead (PQLAW)
Cultural and Language Studies	х	х	Late Louie Caye (LLCSM)
Highway Construction	х	х	HCT building, Old HWY 93
Life Sciences	х	х	Beaverhead (PQLAW)
Office Professions and Business	х	х	John Peter Paul (JPPAU)
Psychology	х	х	Michel (MICHE)

ACADEMIC AND CAREER PATHWAYS SESSION DESCRIPTIONS

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You've Applied. Now What?

SKC Admissions, Financial Aid, Student Housing, Scholarship, and Student Success Departments 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Robert DePoe III (RDIII) 142

Starting college is exciting but can be overwhelming with lots of steps to complete. This session will address questions students may have after completing their application to SKC. Hear about admissions, financial aid, scholarships, housing, and other student support services. This session will include time to ask all of the questions you've wanted answers to!

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

Can You Pitch? Office Professions and Business Education Departments 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm John Peter Paul (JPPAU) 115

Can you pitch an everyday item? In business, pitching yourself, a product, or an idea is essential. In this session, you have an opportunity to pitch everyday items to the business division faculty to win prizes! You will also learn about the programs offered by the Business Division.

EDUCATION

Teachers Change Lives

Division of Education 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Stevenson (EVSTV) 115/116

Connecting with a caring and skilled teacher can change the direction of one's life. And once multiplied, this can change whole communities. Find out how SKC's Teacher Education Programs are different from all the rest.

HEALTH SCIENCES

Tooth Time! Dental Assisting Technology Department 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Health Science Building Dental Assisting classroom and lab

Learn about dental assisting and how to take dental x-rays, each student will take x-rays on our manikin. Also learn about the dental laboratory and pour up a set of teeth in plaster.

A Hands-on Look at Nursing

Nursing Department 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Health Building

Is a career in healthcare in your future? During this session, you will be able to listen to the heart and lungs of our patient simulators, explore the abdominal cavity of our synthetic cadaver, and learn about all the ways to be a nurse.

Public Health Guardians, Radicals, and Heroes

Health Promotion Practices Department 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Health Building

Public health is about a lot of things—yes, exercise, hygiene, safety, and medicine, but also joy, friendship, spirituality... And beyond the Gwyneth stuff, it's about justice, standing up for your community and your rights, deciding what's healthy for YOU, and so much more. In these sessions, SKC students in the Human Sexuality and Health Promotion Practicum courses will show you what health promotion means to them through interactive activities that you will have the opportunity to participate in. We'll also answer questions, chat, and talk about what this degree track can offer you, including careers in health promotion work, and public health education pathways.

HUMAN SERVICES

The Mysterious Human Behavior

Psychology Department 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Michel (MICHE) 113

Are you interested in finding out more about human behavior? Join us to learn about psychology through interactive games.

Informational Pathways

Social Work and Chemical Dependency Counseling Departments 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Charlo (PCHAR) Social Work/Chemical Dependency lounge area

Degree and Program information; telling your story to reach new heights.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Tech, Coding, and Engineering at SKC

Information Technology, Engineering, and Computer Science Departments 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm A. Mathias (AMAT), various classrooms and labs

Do you want to know more about Tech, Coding, and Engineering? Explore the world of coding through Turtles and Python! (Hint: not the animals!). Tour department facilities, including IT student

labs, the High Altitude Ballooning lab, and the Advanced Manufacturing and Innovation Lab (3D Printers!). During the session, the faculty will provide an overview of academic programs, student clubs, and teams. Come check us out and ask tons of questions!!

LIBERAL AND FINE ARTS

SKC Liberal Arts: Start Here; Go Anywhere

Liberal Arts Department 10-11:15 am Michel (MICHE) 116

A Liberal Arts Associate's Degree from SKC can be an affordable, relevant first step for your academic and professional career. In this session, we will discuss the intellectual and economic viability of obtaining a degree in the Liberal Arts. We will close the session with a group activity that previews the importance and impact of a Liberal Arts education.

"Creative" Your Future at SKC

Digital Design Technology and Fine Arts Departments 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Three Woodcocks (WOODC), various classrooms and labs

Join us to explore the many exciting opportunities to launch your creative career! Tour the numerous art studios and digital design labs and explore your creative potential through interactive art activities.

LIFE SCIENCES

Liver Enzymes

Life Sciences Department 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Beaverhead (PQLAW) 114

Explore what our Life Sciences department is all about, the jobs you can get with our degree, and some exciting research we do in our labs. The session will run a liver enzyme lab to show detoxification in a test tube.

NATIVE AMERICAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

Native Traditional Skills Lead to a Strong Nature Connection

Culture and Language Studies Department 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Late Louie Caye Building (LLCSM)

Indigenous skills of making cultural items like that of string from a native plant, weaving a cattail mat, hafting an arrowhead on a shaft can lead to transformative experiences for the participants. Hands-on interaction with traditional plants, hides, stone and bone can bring you closer to the nature connection that is most healthy for mind and body.

Fins, Furs, and Feathers

Wildlife and Fisheries Department 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Beaverhead (PQLAW) 104

If the conservation of wildlife, fish, and their habitats interests you, this session is for you. Participate in a hands-on activity related to wildlife and fisheries and learn about some of the common animals found on the Flathead Reservation.

Water Planets: How Rivers Shape the Surface of Earth and Mars

Hydrology Department 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Outdoors at the southeast door of Beaverhead (PQLAW)

Experiment hands-on with the forces that shape and reshape the surface of water worlds. We'll watch the real-time forces of erosion and deposition that create rivers, floodplains, and deltas by operating the Hydrology department's new continuous flow stream channel simulation table.

Forestry Treasure Hunt & Native Plants

Forestry Department / GSP 10-11:15 am and 1-2:15 pm Beaverhead (PQLAW) 117

Learn about your future career in Forestry and meet the SKC Forestry staff and students. Master the compass, test your navigation skills, and work with Earth's most popular species - Trees! Our female foresters will hold a special session for women interested in exploring the profession.

HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR AND COMMERCIAL TRUCK DRIVER

HCT Your Road to Success

Highway Construction Training Program

1-2:15 pm

HCT Building, Old HWY 93 (meet at 12:45 pm in front of the Johnny Arlee and Vic Charlo Theater (JAVCT) for a ride to the facility)

Come and check out our heavy equipment and semi trucks, and explore what it feels like to drive them on our simulators! Find out more about heavy equipment operator and truck driver careers.

