



Volume 1

SSS Today

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES
DOTHAN CAMPUS
SPRING SEMESTER 2011
NEWSLETTER

**ATTENTION ALL
SSS PARTICIPANTS!**

**Spring 2011
Mandatory Meeting**

Friday, February 11, 2011

9:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

Harrison Room

Topics to be discussed:

Financial Aid

Financial Literacy

**Career Exploration
and Planning**

**Cultural Events and
Educational Enrichment**

**Overview of
“The Trojan Way”**

Lunch will be served

This is a very very important meeting and your attendance is vital.

Failure to attend may result in you being exited from the SSS program and make you ineligible for textbooks and Grant Aid!

**Congratulations JoAnn Le,
Dothan Campus Homecoming
Representative for Fall 2010**



SSS would like to say Thank you and Good Luck to Mr. Keith Seagle, Director of Counseling and Career Services on the Troy University Dothan Campus and former SSS Counselor for his years of service to the students on our campus after his recent resignation and move to another university. You will be sincerely missed!

Congratulations Fall 2010 Graduates

Fatimah Borders

Ayanna Conyers

Cherri Forrester

Kenneth Hallford

Jenny Nelson

Anika Pippin

ATTENTION PLEASE

SSS Staff would like to remind all participants to begin filling out the FASFA for Fall 2011!

Please contact SSS if you need assistance with this matter!

Student Support Services Staff

Director– Debora Pettway, Ph. D.

Counselor– Elisa Paramore, M. S.

TRIO Specialist– Robin Young, M.B.A.

English Specialist– Jason Griggs, M. A.

Math Specialist– Carroll James, B. S.

Work Study Students Catresa Hawkins
and LaTyron McCall

**SSS Spring 2011
Evening Office Hours**

Elisa Paramore will be in the Student Support Services office from 6:45 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays except:

Tuesday, Mar. 8

Thursday, Mar. 10

Cultural Enrichment Activities For Spring 2011

Jan. 22, 2011

Annual Art Auction
Temple Emanu-El Social Hall
188 N. Park Ave.
Dothan, AL
Preview starts at 6:00 p.m.
Auction starts at 7:00 p.m.
Admission is \$10.00

February 3 and 4, 2010

2011 Annual Leadership
Conference
Troy University
Main Campus

**You must sign up to attend this
event**

February 11, 2011

Valentine's Day Career Fair
Troy University Dothan Campus
Malone Hall
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Tentative Event for March

Alabama Shakespeare
Festival Play
"The Flag Maker of Market
Street" or "Blood Divided"
Montgomery, AL

**You must sign up to
attend this event**

April 7, 2011

Higher Ed Day
Montgomery, AL

April 20, 2010

Spring Picnic
Troy Dothan Campus Quad
11:00 a.m.– 1:00 p.m.
and 5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

More Events TBA Later



A special thank you to all faculty who completed and returned FA 2010 academic midterm progress reports to Student Support Services in a timely manner! Academic Progress Reports enable SSS to provide early intervention to participants.

YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE!! IMPORTANT NOTICE...

For convenience, and in an effort to assist participants fulfill their Student Support Services Agreement of completing at least one academic seminar each semester, a variety of seminars have been placed on the SSS web pages:

<http://dothan.troy.edu/StudentSupportServices/>
and

<http://troy.troy.edu/studentsupportservices/>
Also, remember to:

Report academic difficulty to SSS immediately.
Participate in at least one cultural event each semester.

Academic Seminars For Spring 2011

Feb. 14- 8 a.m.- Conducting Research- presented by Jason Griggs-
Malone Hall Room 110

Feb. 15- 2 p.m.- Getting the Most from Your Courses-
presented by Elisa Paramore- Malone Hall Room 110

Feb. 18- 10 a.m.-Financial Literacy- presented by Debora Pettway
Malone Hall Room 106

Feb. 25- 11 a.m.- Math 0096- 1112- presented by Carroll James-
Malone Hall Room106

Mar. 14- 8 a.m.- Conducting Research- presented by Jason Griggs-
Malone Hall Room 110

Mar. 15- 2 p.m.- Getting the Most from Your Courses-
presented by Elisa Paramore- Malone Hall Room 110

Mar. 18- 10 a.m.-Financial Literacy- presented by Debora Pettway
Malone Hall Room 106

Mar. 25- 11 a.m.- Math 0096- 1112- presented by Carroll James-
Malone Hall Room 106

Apr. 11- 8 a.m.- MLA/APA - presented by Jason Griggs-
Malone Hall Room 110

Apr. 12- 2 p.m.- Getting the Most from Your Courses-
presented by Elisa Paramore- Malone Hall Room 110

More Seminars To Be Announced Later!

Important/ Useful Websites**Academic and Supplemental Instruction:**

www.khanacademy.org/

Resume Writing see Academic Seminar at:

www.dothan.troy.edu/StudentSupportServices/

Financial Literacy:

www.blackamericaweb.com/?q=articles/life_style/home_family_life_style/24824

Career Opportunity website:

www.troy.edu/careerservices/index.html
www.blackamericaweb.com/?q=articles/life_style/home_family_life_style/24746

Financial Aid Website:

www.troy.edu/financialaid/

Graduate School website:

www.troy.edu/graduateschool/index.html

**Additional Career Planning Resources
 Available in the Student Support Services and
 Career Services offices:**

[Job Choices 2010](#)

[How to Prepare for a Career and Get a Great Job](#)

The first 10 participants to review the seven websites listed above and complete an Academic Seminar Evaluation form for each will receive a special gift!!

Important Dates to Remember

- Feb. 2-** Last day to drop course or withdraw from the University for Session A without academic penalty
- Feb. 3-** Second payment due on Tuition Payment Plan
- Feb. 23-** Last day to drop course or withdraw from the University for Session S without academic penalty
- Feb. 28- Mar. 6-** Final Exams for A Session
- Mar. 1-** On-Campus Registration for B Session
- Mar. 3-** Final Payment due on Tuition Payment Plan
- Mar. 7- 13-** Spring Break
- Mar. 14-** Session B starts
- Mar. 18-** Arts and Sciences and Psychology Exit Exams
- Mar. 21-** Last day to drop course or withdraw from the University for Session B with 100% refund
- Apr. 11-** Online Registration for Summer 2011 Begins
- Apr. 13-** Last day to drop course or withdraw from the University for Session B without academic penalty
- Apr. 18- 22-** Heritage Week
- Apr. 22-** Honors Convocation
- Apr. 25-26-** Early Registration for Summer 2011
- Apr. 27- May 3-** Final Exams for S Session
- May 5-** Graduate Application deadline for Summer 2011 by Noon
- May 9- 15-** Final Exams for Session B
- May 15-** Commencement (3:00 p.m.)