

# THE PARENTS PATH

Second Edition

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**Hello Parents, Friends & Family—Check out this month’s edition of The Parents Path where you can find upcoming events, important dates and overall general information you may find interesting around campus! -Misi Lair**

**Education** is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world. ...

## Important Dates:

August 20—First Day of Full Term Classes.

August 23—Last Day to Drop for registered students

September 03—Labor Day Recess

October 12—Mid-Semester

October 17—Last Day to receive partial refund for withdraw

October 18—Pumpkin Drop at Appalachian Power Park

October 25—Last Day to withdraw from individual classes

October 25—Last Day to withdraw from College

**Drops vs. Withdraws:** **\*\*Drop**—A student may drop a class within the drop period defined in the academic calendar. A dropped class “never happened” and is not recorded on the academic transcript. **\*\*Withdraw**—After the drop period, a student may withdraw from a class within the withdrawal period defined in the academic calendar. A withdrawal results in a “W” grade on the academic transcript. A “W” grade is not used in GPA calculation, but it still counts as an attempted class. Therefore, students must still pay for the course. **\*\*For both drops and withdrawals**, students are encouraged to consult Financial Aid to learn of potential impacts to aid eligibility.

**Classified Staff Council** is giving out free school supplies (Pens, pencils, notebooks, etc.) on a first-come-first-serve basis. Montgomery campus—room 401 (Davis Hall); South Charleston campus—room 032 (Building 2000).



**Student Life** is sponsoring a volleyball tournament on Monday, September 24 on the South Charleston campus. Contact Brandi Lopez at 304-205-6625



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**Annual Pumpkin Drop—Volunteers Needed:** Students can participate as volunteers in this year’s Pumpkin Drop on Thursday, 10/18. For more details, follow the link below.

<http://www.bridgevalley.edu/capital-city-pumpkin-drop>

