Hi, Pirate!
Check out the workshops for this month.

The **SAME LINK** is used for each workshop. **To attend, click on the title or use this link** [https://bit.ly/StudentDev](https://bit.ly/StudentDev) **Workshop**

Descriptions of each workshop are included on the next page. If you have questions, email successmatters@occ.cccd.edu.

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Taking Better Notes
Messy notes? Not sure what to write down? Writing everything down? Explore different techniques, apps, and strategies for taking better, more efficient notes.

Consider Teaching! STEM Teacher Education + UCI CalTeach
Join STEM Counselor Mayra Frias as she review the various levels of teaching and information about earning a teaching credential. Followed by a faculty member from UC Irvine CalTeach, Kris Houston, who will share about a free UCI STEM Teacher Education course you can take this winter!

Test Prep - Study Schedule & Goals
Learn how to gather study materials and set a study schedule.

Financial Aid 101
Kahoot! Game Afternoon with Financial Aid. Let’s get ready to complete our 2022-2023 FAFSA / DreamACT application by having some fun in who knows the most about Financial Aid.

STEM Fields You Should Know About
Join STEM Faculty as they introduce their respective STEM field, share a brief history about their journey into their field, and highlight careers to consider within their discipline.

Science Homework and Problem-Solving
Learn strategies and techniques for reducing the amount of time spent studying for exams by changing the way you think about and do homework. Learn how to create a more robust study guide. Learn how to solve problems and study based on the expectations of the exam instead of just memorizing information and formulas.

Test Prep - Avoid Test Errors
Learn about common test errors and how to avoid them.

Responsible Financial Borrowing
Let’s talk about things to consider when deciding to borrow.

Embracing Diverse Abilities Part 1: How to Access Campus Services
Do you find yourself struggling to follow along with lectures? Find yourself severely anxious during tests? Have difficulties concentrating and feeling like you need extra time on exams? You may be dealing with a type of learning disability or diverse ability and may not know it! Join us for Part 1 of Embracing Diverse Abilities: How to Access Campus Services to learn about campus resources like Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSPS) that may help in your academic success!
Embracing Diverse Abilities Part 2: People First Language
Do you know what “people first language” is? People First Language is a way of communicating that reflects knowledge and respect for people with diverse abilities by choosing words to recognize the person first. Learn from Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSPS) and Student Equity how to communicate with respect and inclusivity in mind!

Money Wise Holiday
Let’s share ideas and tips to have a money wise holiday season.

LaTeX - The Scientists’ Microsoft Word
LaTeX is a document preparation system similar to Microsoft Word but requires some programming skills. This program is used in producing lab reports and published papers in the science world. Many upper division lab courses require LaTeX, so come get a head start on your university lab writing skills!

Finding Motivation
Lacking the motivation to study? Find ways to get motivated right now and in the long run.

Latinx in STEM Series: Strength in STEM
OCC’s STEM Academy invites a Latinx STEM student panel from Vanguard University to discuss stress and wellness tips!

Preparing for Science Finals
This workshop is specifically designed for students in science classes to prepare for finals. Learn how to make a study guide and how to keep it organized, how to prepare for the final efficiently and effectively, and how to approach old problems in new ways.

Managing Test Anxiety - Prep Strategies / Gathering & Scheduling Goals / Recognize What You Can Fix So You Can Succeed
Finals are just around the corner! Learn how to prepare for your final exams and strategies for managing test anxiety.

Stress Management
Learn essential tips to manage your stress as you finish the semester.

Are You Ready for Spring?!
Things you can do during winter break to be better prepared for a successful spring semester.

Keep Cool With Online Exams
Taking exams is not fun. Taking it online seems worse. In reality, taking exams online might seem cool. In this workshop, you will learn techniques on how to better prepare for an online exam.