Grace's Tips for College Success

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With so much information to sift through in your first year of college, it can be hard to identify what is most important. Here are some of my favorite tips for making the most out of your college experience.

- **Check out the bulletin boards!** They may be hidden in plain sight, but I promise if you take a minute to read about all the opportunities to get involved on campus, you won’t be disappointed.
- **Stay on campus in between classes.** It can be tempting to go back to your dorm or drive to that cool coffee shop 45 minutes away, but you will be more productive if you eliminate walking and transportation time.
- **Do check out that cool coffee shop (after class).** NKU is situated near several major cities with more to offer than people realize. After class or on the weekends, grab some friends and take advantage of the beautiful parks and fun activities the area has to offer.
- **Explore the NKU website.** Take some time to read about the interesting courses, scholarships, and services students have access to. For example, the abundance of on-campus jobs—ones that can likely apply to your major.
- **Come to NKU Career Services!** This free service can help you with anything from practice interviews to resume reviews. Visit nku.edu/careerservices for more information.

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**MAJOR/MINOR FAIR**

Thursday, October 28th
10 am - 1 pm
SU Ballroom

Explore majors, minors, general education requirements and careers by speaking with faculty, staff and student representatives from more than 30 academic departments.
FOCUS 2

FOCUS 2 is a self-paced, online career and education planning tool. It will enable you to assess your career-relevant personal qualities and to explore the college major and career areas that are most compatible with your interests, values, skills, personality, and aspirations.

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CEP 101 is a 2-credit, 7-week course (online or in-person) that helps students find their passion and better understand their personal career opportunities. If you feel as if you are interested in too many things or worried about what you will do for the rest of your life, register for CEP 101 for the Spring 2022 semester.

1st 7 Weeks: CEP 101-002 (Online Synchronous)  
TR 3:15-5:15 pm
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