

**“EOF MATTERS” - May, 2022 Edition!\***

**Dear EOF Grads,**

We are Roaring back into the 20's with our.....



**Annual EOF Graduation Celebration, 2022!!!---**

May 20, 2022, 6pm, The Brookside; Bloomfield, NJ

***Dinner ---- Dancing ----- Procession of the Graduates!!!***

Who is invited?: Graduates from ECC in the Academic Year 2022: [August 2021; December 2021; Spring 2022] **and** have participated in EOF at any time are invited --- your ticket is complimentary. Come and enjoy your accomplishments.

***1920's Theme Gold, Silver and Black (optional)***

You need a ticket to attend - tickets available now! Come to the department and pick it up! Questions? Want to Help? Contact Maria Falcon - 973 877-3017

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**Dear Returning Students: Come on In!!**

**Summer I Semester:** May 9 - June 23, 2022 and **Summer II**

**Semester:** July 11 - August 18: ---- **We are here** --- in full force to help you to get it together on so many levels!!!

- ❖ **Gladys, Homaro** our mighty tutors are available to work with you on current courses or help you get a head start on upcoming courses! 😊
- ❖ **We are encouraging current EOF students to take Summer I classes!** We will likely have funds to pay for your classes --- so you can save your other Financial Aid for other needs --- come in and see us - or contact your counselor: Get on the list and choose the

classes you need for that diploma! Mr. Ike: 877-3401; Ms. Calloway: 877-3422; Ms. Ivonne: 877-3423; Ms. Carmen: 877-3385; Ms. Solange, 877-3360

- ❖ **Erik** is back --- a former tutor with us, he is now also a Math teacher in **Eastside High School!** And starting May 13 - June 23 --- he will be here to help EOF students build up Math 100 skills --- Mon - Thursday 4pm - 6pm in person!!! Don't miss this chance to learn in a easy going way ---no grades or credits to worry about!!!
- ❖ **Emmanuel Pierre** - Presenting workshops on writing that perfect essay! Come over to work on your skills!!!
- ❖ Practice Mindfulness Meditation - with fellow students and staff on Wellness Wednesday --- 1pm in the Green Conference Room --- Green tea and fruit too!
- ❖ **Ms. Ruth Ware** - Essex Librarian --- here every Tuesday to develop research skills --- she is very friendly and cool and loves working with students --- and she speaks Spanish!
- ❖ **Abelardo** - Your own tech guy - he will help you with learning all about computer programs to up your classroom game! [Abelardomartinez1999@gmail.com](mailto:Abelardomartinez1999@gmail.com). Or come into the EOF department!

- ❖ **Coach Tracy Cooper** --- Your personal career coach --- use her! Learn about your interests and the needs of the job market to make a perfect match: 908 977-6811 or [tracycoopercoach@gmail.com](mailto:tracycoopercoach@gmail.com)

- ❖ **Get guidance on what to take in Summer sessions!** ---- All of the EOF Counselors and Ms. Beretta and Ms. Romano too!

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**Spread the word** --- College prep for everyone!!! Tell

your kids, grandparents, cousins, church family, neighbors of all ages, --- EOF has a program to help them get ready for college --- it's the **PSP '22 Program** ---- Apply today!

[\*EOF is a college support program for NJ students who hail from a low-income background. Extra money, Tutoring, Counseling, Lots More!!! Sponsored by Essex County College and the NJ Office of the Secretary of Higher Education. Learn more: Mike Cresci, Eligibility Coordinator and/or 973 877-3232 or Joanna Romano, Director, x3231]

**EOF – Get with – and Use – The Program!!!**

The Community, Continuing Education and Workforce Development Division & The Educational Opportunity Fund Program - EOF at Essex

The Educational Opportunity Fund Program (EOF) assists college students from a low income background, with succeeding in college. We are dedicated to providing many support services to college students such as:

- Counseling
- Academic Help and Career Guidance
- Financial Assistance

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COUNTY COLLEGE  
STUDENTS FIRST

We encourage students to apply for our **SUMMER** program:  
**JULY 11 - AUGUST 18, 2022**  
on Campus & Virtual Support Courses

It is a great jump-start to the freshman year. We will focus on refreshing and building the basic skills that all college students need - writing, math, and college success skills. The students will be able to earn college credits and participate in cultural and recreational outings (as Covid permits).

For additional information, please call me (973) 877-3132 or Mike Cresci, (973) 877-3232, Enrollment Coordinator

We look forward to hearing from you, Joanna Romano Director, (973) 877-3231 & Caroline Beretta, Associate Director (x3405)

Scan the QR CODE to Enroll in the EOF Summer Program

