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Important News

Week of September 28th

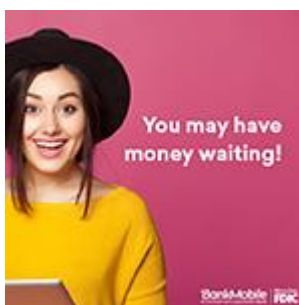
Zoom Rooms: Evening & Friday Hours

The Provost's office, in collaboration with Institutional Technology, has increased the number of days/hours that Zoom Rooms are available for student use. In Zoom Rooms, students can access the internet and participate in virtual courses. Review the [Zoom Rooms Flyer](#) for locations and updated days/hours of availability.



FSW Refunds

FSW is partnered with BankMobile to deliver refunds to students. Even if you don't receive financial aid, you still may receive money back from FSW in the future due to refunded fees, CARES Act funds, or dropping a class. Selecting your refund preference now can ensure you'll receive any money owed to you by FSW in a timely manner. Select your refund preference today:



- Log Into: my.fsw.edu
- Select the **Financial Aid & Student Services** tab
- In the Student Services Box, choose **BankMobile** to select your refund preference

If you have questions or require additional assistance, please email Cashiers@fsw.edu.

Fall 2020 Mini-B Payment Reminder

Tuition and Fees for the Fall 2020 Mini-B Term are due by **Thursday, Oct. 1st**, or your Mini-B Term classes may be dropped for non-payment. View your [FSW Account Details & Pay Online](#), or email Cashiers@fsw.edu for additional assistance.



2021-2022 FAFSA Application

You may be eligible to receive financial aid to help pay for college, but you must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form. The new 2021-22 FAFSA application is available beginning **Oct. 1, 2020**. You should fill it out as soon as possible on or after **Oct. 1st** at [FAFSA.gov](https://fafsa.gov) and use FSW school code 001477. Remember, a FAFSA needs to be completed every year to determine eligibility for grants, loans, work-study opportunities, and FSW scholarships.

Financial Aid Book Buying Days Begin

If you have excess financial aid funds after paying for courses and other fees owed to the college, you may use your excess financial aid to purchase textbooks [online](#) or [in-person](#), **Thursday, Oct. 1st to Wednesday, Oct. 21st**, for the Fall 2020 Mini-B Term. To check the amount available on your BUC card, go to www.fsw.edu/buccard/transactions.



Featured Events

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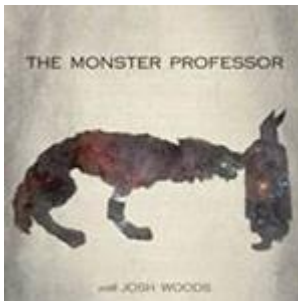


Banned Books Week: Watch Party

On Friday, Oct. 2nd at 7:00 p.m., watch the Documentary "Scary Stories" followed by a Q&A with the filmmaker Cody Meirick! "Scary Stories" is a full-length documentary about the banned book series that includes the 1981 anthology Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark and its two sequels by Alvin Schwartz. Student Engagement will be giving away a Kindle Fire and \$200 worth of gift cards to Barnes & Noble, Mohogany Books, and the FSW Book Store. [Find out more...](#)

Banned Books Week: Panel Discussion

Every year, books are challenged for placement in public libraries. Why? Does this stifle academic curiosity or trample on free speech? Let's talk about it at the faculty panel discussion on Wednesday, Sept. 30th, at 1:00 p.m. Register in advance for this thought-provoking and interactive [Zoom](#) webinar.



The Monster Professor

FSW English Professors Dr. Brandi George and Dr. Amy Trogan will be appearing as guests on an upcoming episode of a podcast called "The Monster Professor," where they will discuss their work in the context of monsters, myth, and folklore. Topics include fairies and demons, fairy tradition in the Old World and American tradition, and the allure of demons as it relates to reality itself. The episode will be available on [YouTube](#), Friday, Oct. 2nd.

Mental Health Workshop

What's the best way to recognize and deal with abuse (substance, self, relationships)? Let's talk about it at the [Mental Health Workshop: Addressing Abuse](#) on Monday, Sept. 28th at 11:30 a.m. via Zoom.



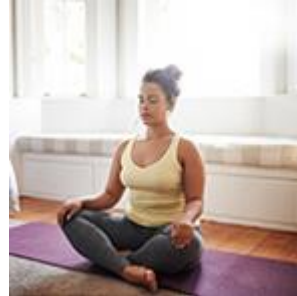


Wellness Wednesdays

During [Wellness Wednesday Chats](#), come vent, cry, laugh, and tell us what's on your shoulders and mind. This week's chat is on **Wednesday, Sept. 30th** at 11:45 a.m. via Zoom.

Guided Meditation

Meditation is an effective tool for developing a clear, calm, and content mind. FSW offers [Guided Meditation](#) sessions on **Wednesdays from 11:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.** via Zoom.



One Book One College

FSW's One Book One College common read initiative, 21 Lesson's For The 21st Century, will discuss three topics this week via Zoom:



- **Monday, Sept. 28th** at 4:00 p.m.: [Education That Effectively Includes Culture & Diversity](#)
- **Wednesday, Sept. 30th** at 2:30 p.m.: [Religion](#)
- **Friday, Oct. 2nd** at 11:00 a.m.: [Nationalism](#)

For more information about FSW's One Book One College read initiative, please visit www.fsw.edu/oboc.



Upcoming Events

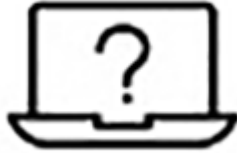
Click the event name to learn more or visit the [FSW Event Calendar](#).

Oct 7: [Is Anxiety Hinderling Your Success?](#)

Oct. 8: [Last Day Of Classes - Fall 2020 Mini-A Term](#)

Oct. 13: [Transfer Fair](#)

Oct. 14: [Paint & Plant](#)
Oct. 14: [First Day of Classes - Fall 2020 Mini-B Term](#)



Question Of The Week

This Weeks Question: "Are work-study positions available"?

Answer: For more information on work-study eligibility and how to apply, please visit www.fsw.edu/financialaid/workstudy.

Do you have a question? Ask it in the Feedback section below.



Save the Date

- Oct. 21: [Last Day To Apply For A Change Of Residency Status To Be Eligible For In-State Tuition Rates - Fall 2020 Mini-B Term](#)
Oct. 21: [Last Day To Add Courses, Drop Courses, Change Credit/Audit - Fall 2020 Mini-B Term](#)
Oct. 21: [Financial Aid Book Buying Days End - Fall 2020 Mini-B Term](#)
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