



MSU Center for Advanced
DENVER STEM Education

CASE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

November 2023

<https://www.msudenver.edu/advanced-stem-education/rm-amp/>



Congratulations!

CASE Scholarship

Paige Harper
Thaw Sue

Johnson Scholarship

Lizeth Hernandez
Kaylynn Garrett

Top 3 Participants

Raelyn Begay
Darian Matsunaga
Maria Green

STEM Learning Center Hours

Science 1009
Fall 2023 Hours
Monday – Friday
7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

- Meet with your study groups
- Study
- Meet with a STEM Tutor
- Use the microwave and refrigerator

STEM Tutoring

In-Person

STEM Learning Center, SI 1009
Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Tutor Schedule:

<https://www.msudenver.edu/advanced-stem-education/stem-tutoring/>

Upcoming Events

- November 10, 2023**
Knowing and Access to Mental Health Resources on Campus Virtual
9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
- November 22-24, 2023**
Fall Break
Campus Closed
- November 29, 2023**
Noyce Recognition Dinner
SI 3079
5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

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Fall RM-AMP and BUILD Passports are due
December 8th.

For more information:

RM-AMP - <https://www.msudenver.edu/advanced-stem-education/rm-amp/passport-to-success-program/>

BUILD - <https://www.msudenver.edu/advanced-stem-education/build-passport-to-success/>

Changes to 2024-2025 FAFSA/CASFA
This year only FAFSA/CASFA will open December 2023

Changes:

- Expected Family Contribution is replaced by Student AID Index (SAI). This is for grants and scholarships awarded
- New terms
 - Contributor – Anyone who is asked to provide information
 - Consent – Each contributor has to consent to their information being used
- Fewer questions
- Few requirements
- New tool for retrieving tax information

Links for more information:

FAFSA - <https://www.msudenver.edu/financial-aid/fafsa-simplification/>

CASFA - <https://cdhe.colorado.gov/students/preparing-for-college/colorado-application-for-state-financial-aid>

The Weather is Changing

Types of Campus Closures:

- Full-day closure – Campus closed to all academics and work
- Late-Start – Campus is closed until a designated time no academics or work
- Early-Close – Campus closes at a designated time academics and work can resume the following day
- Online Courses **may** continue during any closure
- Online work **should** continue on early closures

Notifications of a Campus Closure:

- RAVE alert will be sent to your phone and email
- Weather line 1-877-556-3637
- MSU Denver Media Channels
 - @MSUDenver on Twitter
 - @MSUDenver on Facebook
 - @MSUDenver on Instagram

Tips to Make it Through Your Finals

- Don't Procrastinate Studying or Finishing Projects
- Allow Time to Take Breaks from Studying
- Sleep
- Eat Healthy Foods

