



Monthly Motivation

"Excellence is not a gift, but a skill that takes practice. We do not act 'rightly' because we are 'excellent,' in fact, we achieve 'excellence' by acting 'rightly.'"

— Plato

Dates & Reminders

- **First Day of Classes -21th**
- **TheDream.Us National Scholarship Workshops- 23rd**
- **100% Refund Deadline for Spring 2025 - 27th**

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Happy New Year!

As New Year's approaches, it's a perfect time for international students to reflect on the past year and set intentions for the one ahead. While celebrating far from home can feel bittersweet, the new year brings a chance to embrace fresh starts and make lasting memories. Join campus countdown events, share resolutions with friends, or explore local traditions to welcome 2025 with joy and optimism. Let this be a season of renewal, growth, and excitement for all the possibilities the new year holds!

Spring 2025

Spring 2025 kicks off with a fresh start, bringing new opportunities and renewed energy to campus. After the winter break, students return ready to take on the challenges and experiences of a new semester. For international students, it's a time to reconnect with friends, settle into routines, and set new goals. Spring also brings exciting events and outdoor activities as the weather warms up, offering a chance to explore and make memories. Whether diving into new courses or rediscovering campus life, embrace this season of growth, connection, and possibility!



Martin Luther King Jr. day

Martin Luther King Jr. Day honors a leader whose commitment to equality, justice, and peace still guides us. This day invites us to reflect on his legacy, learn from his words, and commit to building a fairer, more inclusive society. Through community service, learning, or simply remembering his impact, we're reminded of the power of unity and compassion. Dr. King showed us that lasting progress is made together, step by step, toward a future where everyone can thrive.





New Beginnings Embracing the Start of a Fresh Semester

As January begins, there's a sense of renewal on campus—a fresh start for a new semester filled with possibilities. After a well-deserved winter break, students return with a mix of excitement, determination, and a bit of lingering winter holiday nostalgia. The quiet energy of a campus gearing up is palpable; students settle into new routines, set goals, and face challenges with the motivation of a clean slate. Classes are fresh, and schedules feel manageable, as syllabi are studied, and textbooks still feel crisp.

For returning students, it's a chance to build on last semester's achievements and dive deeper into areas of interest. First-year students, with one semester behind them, feel a bit more confident navigating their surroundings. Group projects and study sessions pick up again, and familiar faces make the workload lighter.

For international students, January brings both excitement and a touch of homesickness. Reconnecting with friends and sharing experiences from break helps bridge the distance from home, giving them a renewed sense of belonging. In these early weeks, each lecture, project, and study session helps build toward long-term goals, making January not just the start of a semester, but a new chapter in every student's journey.



Positions Open For you!

Check out the latest openings on the MSU Denver job board and take the first step toward an enriching work experience. Don't miss out—apply today and join the Roadrunner family in a whole new way!

- Flexible Hours: Work around your class schedule.
- Professional Development: Build your resume!

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