

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION STUDENT NEWSLETTER

Fall 2025

workshop series fall 2025

Lunch & Learn the Ropes!

Set yourself up for success with your Academic Advisors!

ATE
Bootcamp



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to reserve your
plate and
exclusive swag

ATE Bootcamp

Ready to take the next step toward becoming a teacher? This workshop breaks down everything you need to know about the Admission to Teacher Education (ATE) process—what's required, how to apply, and tips to make it stress-free. Join us to get your questions answered, get help completing the process and leave feeling confident and prepared to move forward in your program!

In Person Option:

Monday, Nov. 17th

11 am-12:30 pm

Room 110 in the COE

Virtual Option:

Wednesday, November 19th, 3:15-4:15pm-Zoom)

Get Involved!

Raiders for Young Children

Raiders for Young Children is a newly re-registered student organization made up of education and related majors devoted to the education and well-being of young children. Our mission is divided equally between serving the children in our community and striving to improve our professional practice as educators, caregivers, and advocates for young children. For more information, reach out to Dr. Robyn Ridgley at Robyn.Ridgley@mtsu.edu

Thankful Thoughts



During the month of November, the COE will be celebrating fall with our "Thankful Thoughts" campaign. We invite you to join us in spreading gratitude and thankfulness by filling out a blank leaf at a station located on every floor of the COE. Join us in celebrating fall and help us spread positivity and gratitude throughout the COE!

Be on the Lookout

Be sure to look out for upcoming events in the College of Education and around campus by checking out flyers and advertisements posted around the building and on the interactive screens on the first floor of the COE. Updates and announcements are also available on our social media page @mtsu_education.

Difference Makers Student Hub



Need a place to study, unwind, or get work done between classes? **Stop by the Difference Makers Student Hub in Room 110 of the College of Education!** This student-friendly space is designed to help you stay productive and comfortable before, in between, and after classes.

Monday: 9:00am - 1:00pm
Tuesday: 10:00am - 2:00pm
Wednesday: 9:00am - 1:00pm
Thursday: 10:00am - 2:00pm

- Grab a coffee from the Keurig
- Heat up a meal in the microwave
- Print assignments using the black-and-white printer



Need academic support? Drop-in tutoring for **Math 1410 and Math 1420** is available in the Hub to help you stay on top of your coursework.

Math Tutoring: Monday 1:30-2:30pm, Wednesday 10:30am-11:30am and Thursday 10:30-11:30am and 2:30-3:30pm

Winter Wonderland

Residency I & II Applications Open November 1, 2025

College of Education
WINTER Wonderland
Come and Enjoy!
Movies | Coffee Bar | Hot Cocoa Bar |
Sugar Cookie Decorating | And More!
Tuesday, December 2nd
11:00am-3:00pm
COE Room 110
(The Difference Makers Hub)

Applications for Residency I and Residency II for Fall 2026 will open on November 1, 2025. Students planning to begin Residency in Fall 2026 should complete their application as soon as possible once it becomes available. The deadline to submit applications is January 30, 2026.

Detailed instructions and application links are available on the College of Education website:

- Residency I: The MTSU Foundation Scholarship Application is open as of October 1st and will close March 1st. You can apply to the scholarship by visiting the link <https://education.mtsu.edu/scholarships/>
- Residency II: The MTSU Foundation Scholarship Application is open as of October 1st and will close March 1st. You can apply to the scholarship by visiting the link <https://education.mtsu.edu/scholarships/>

Join the College of Education for some wintery fun and festivities before break! Come and enjoy a hot cocoa and coffee bar, sugar cookie decorating, movies and more!

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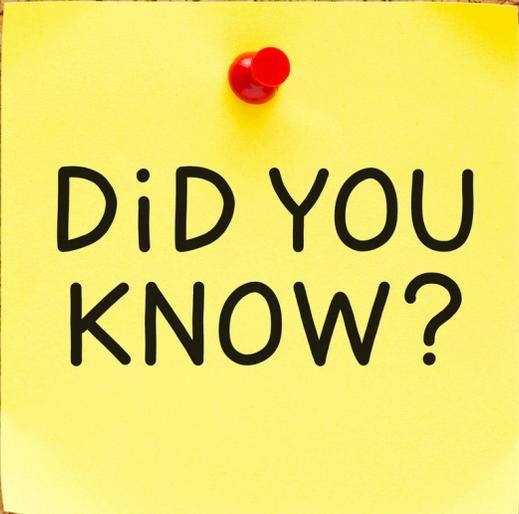
Department of Elementary and Special Education Scholarship Applications for the 26-27 school year opened up around October 15th! We encourage you to apply for scholarships early! You can apply by visiting the link:

<https://elementary.mtsu.edu/scholarships/>

Most scholarships are due by February 15th for the following academic year, but you may be eligible for scholarships in multiple departments:

- [University Scholarships](#),
- [Grants, Loans, or Work Study](#),
- [Non-Traditional Scholarships](#),
- [Military-Connected/Veterans Scholarships](#),
- [Fraternity and Sorority Life Scholarships](#),
- [Students with Disabilities Scholarships](#), and
- [College of Education Majors Scholarships](#).

*Eligibility for scholarships varies. Please visit each website for eligibility requirements.



DID YOU KNOW?

Internship Opportunity

MTSU Home and Community Based Early Intervention Program

Gain hands-on experience working with young children and families with special needs.

- Provides developmental therapy for children ages 0–3 with disabilities or developmental delays.
- Uses a coaching and routines-based model to empower caregivers in their child’s natural home and community settings.
- Serves families across Rutherford County.
- Volunteer opportunities available as well!

Reach out to Sharon.E.Scott@mtsu.edu for more information!

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