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Dear First-Year Student,

All of us at CCSU look forward to seeing you and your parents this summer for your **Academic Advising Day**! This very important day begins the process of developing your plan of study and familiarizing you with the CCSU community. You will receive advice and information about CCSU’s academic requirements and expectations, policies, procedures, the general education program, your BlueNet computer account, and campus life and activities.

This summer’s Academic Advising days have been scheduled for **Tuesday-June 22; Thursday-June 24; Tuesday, June 29; Thursday, July 1; Thursday, July 8; and Tuesday, July 13**. Your Academic Advising Day will begin with check-in from 8:00-9:00 a.m. in the Student Center, and will conclude at 4:00 p.m. You will receive your Fall 2010 schedule of courses, have your photograph taken for your University ID card, and pick up a parking decal if you need one. You will also meet other students and become more familiar with the campus.

Your parents/guardians are welcome and encouraged to attend with you. A special program, “Parents as Partners”, will answer their questions about our services, academic expectations, career planning, and campus life opportunities.

In late April, you will receive the **First-Year Guide**; a document essential to your success at CCSU. Also, you will be expected to complete the on-line **New Student Registration Form**. The information in the **First-Year Guide** will help you understand how to answer many of the questions about the on-line form. Your responses will be used to assist an academic advisor as s/he prepares your preliminary fall course schedule.

If you have any questions, please contact us at (860) 832-1601 or e-mail StuAffs-Calendar@ccsu.edu.

For more information about the Academic Advising Days and Opening Weekend Orientation, visit the CCSU Orientation website at [www.ccsu.edu/studentaffairs/orientation](http://www.ccsu.edu/studentaffairs/orientation). We are excited that you chose to attend Central and look forward to meeting you at a Summer 2010 Academic Advising Day!

Sincerely,

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