

Parents as Partners in Student Success

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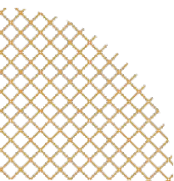
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Partnerships...



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As we get started...



You helped them
graduate once.



We will help them do it again!

Congratulations Class of 2030 Families!

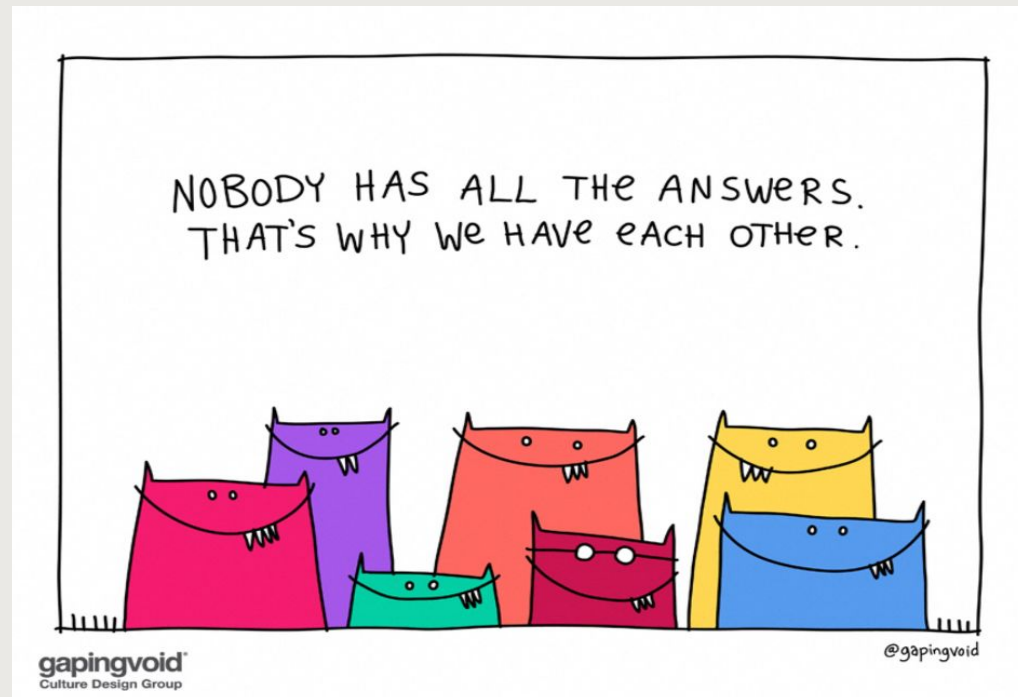


“It is not what you do for your [student], but what you have taught them to do for themselves that will make them successful human beings.”

~Ann Landers

Session Agenda

- ❖ Learn about offices Providing Academic Support
- ❖ Understand Academic Majors, Minors and Programs at Ramapo
- ❖ Learn about Academic Advisement and Course Registration
- ❖ Know Your Student's Tools



Offices Supporting Students

- [Access, Belonging & Community \(Multicultural Center\)](#)
- [Athletics, Intramurals, and Recreation](#)
- [Cahill Career Center](#)
- [Center for Student Wellness](#)
- [Center for Reading & Writing](#)
- [Center for Student Involvement \(CSI\)](#)
- [Center for Student Success](#)
- [Dining Services](#)
- [Educational Opportunity Fund \(EOF\)](#)
- [Financial Aid](#)
- [First-Generation Student Center](#)
- [Office of Specialized Services \(OSS\)](#)
- [Orientation](#)
- [Peer Facilitation](#)
- [Public Safety](#)
- [Registrar](#)
- [Residence Life](#)
- [Scholarships](#)
- [STEM Center](#)
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- [Student Conduct](#)
- [Testing Center](#)
- [We Care Program](#)
- [Military Affiliated and Veterans Center](#)

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Center for Student Success

New Student Experience

- Orientation, First Year Seminar, Peer Facilitators, Welcome Week

Placement Testing

- Accuplacer, STAMP, CLEP

Academic Advisement (First-Year and beyond)

- Details to come later

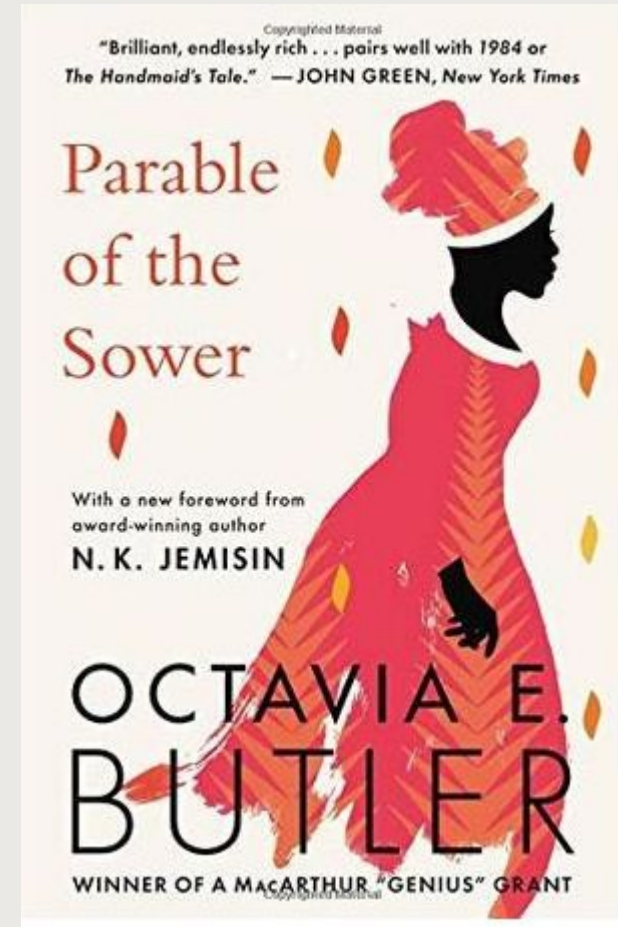
Our Mission: Student Success guides students towards graduation by providing services, resources, mentoring and community-building experiences that strengthen our diverse students acclimation and success in the Ramapo College community as both an academic scholar and engaged participant.



The First-Year Seminar

COMMON REQUIREMENTS

- Research paper or assignments
- Oral presentations
- Class readings and discussions
- Summer Reading discussions and essay
- Peer Facilitators assigned to each section



Peer Facilitation Program

Peer facilitators are experienced students who know the path to success.

- Peer facilitators pick up where Orientation Leaders leave off.
- Students will hear from their Peer Facilitator in August, connect with their peer facilitator during Welcome Week and meet with them weekly in their first semester.
- They provide guidance in areas of academic, personal and social development.



Cahill Career Center

Pathways Program

- Career Exploration
- Resume, Cover Letter, LinkedIn
- Interview and Job Search Practice



Career Advisors

Programming and Networking Opportunities

Cooperative Education/Internships



First-Generation Student Center

Tri-Alpha Honor Society
Mentorship Opportunities
Events & Programming



1st Gen
HISTORY
IN THE MAKING



Legacies in the Making Program

August 20-22, 2026

(Registration Required)



Center for Reading & Writing

Workshops

Reading and Writing Peer Consultants

Supplemental Instruction Program with CRWT course sections

Located in the Learning Commons



STEM Center

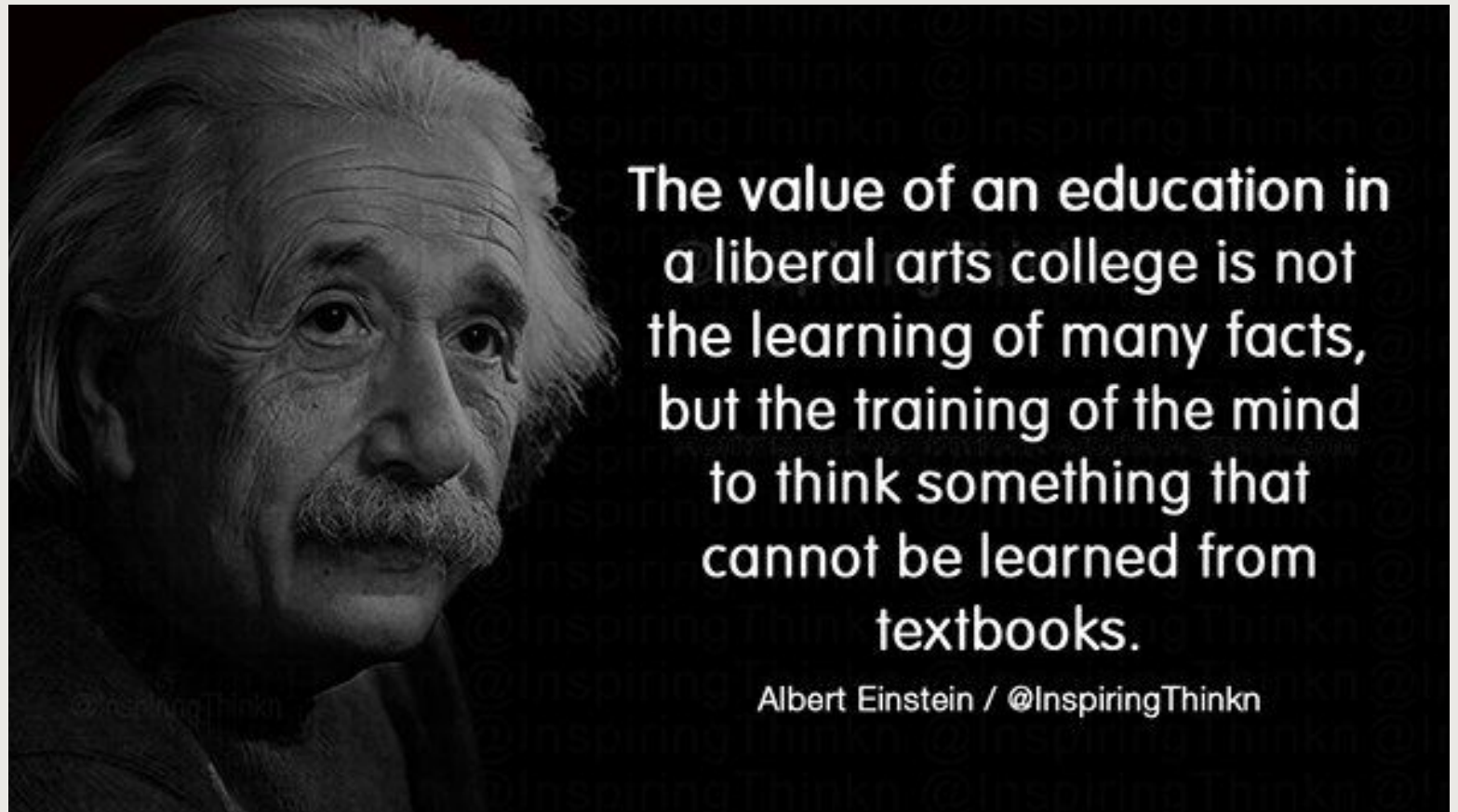
- One on one and group tutoring available for STEM subjects:
 - Math
 - Biology
 - Chemistry
 - Physics
 - Neuroscience
 - Computer/Data Science
- Workshops offered during school year to support STEM subjects.



Home to the **McNair Scholars Program**, which annually supports 25 students in their pursuit of post-graduate studies in STEM fields with the aim of obtaining a Ph.D

Majors, Minors and Programs

“a focus on the whole student”



Academic Schools

Anisfield School of Business (**ASB**)

School of Arts, Humanities & Education (**AHE**)

School of Science, Nursing & Health (**SNH**)

School of Social Science & Social Work (**SSSW**)



Ramapo Exploration Program (REP)



Helps undeclared students make informed decisions about major (& minor) declaration to find connection to a discipline and an academic home at the College.

- Emphasizes proactive advisement
- Small group and individual meetings
- Connects students to faculty and Career Center
- Explore majors through 10 General Education (Gen Ed) courses

Academic Advisement & Course Registration

First-Year

Second Year

Assigned Academic Advisor in the Center for Student Success based on School Liaison connections.

Declared students transition to Faculty Advisor in academic School of their declared major.

ASB/REP

AHE/REP

Associate Director

SSSW/REP

SNH

Nursing



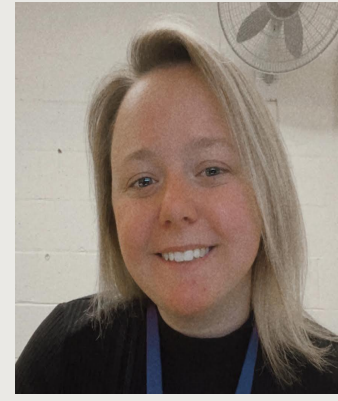
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Note: Nursing & EOF Advisors remain the same throughout your time at Ramapo.

Fall Course Registration

Fall 2026 Courses (16 credits):

1. First-Year Seminar (students choose today): INTD
2. Critical Reading and Writing: CRWT 101 or 102
3. Math: MATH 022, 024, 104, 108, etc.
4. General Education or Major Course: (SOC1, HIST, BIOL, etc.)

Notes:

- [College Catalog/My Graduation Plans](#) help with course planning.
- 12-18 credits is full-time status.
- 128 credits are required for graduation.

Questions or concerns about schedule or courses after registration?

Contact Center for Student Success

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Frequently Asked Questions

CREDITS PER SEMESTER

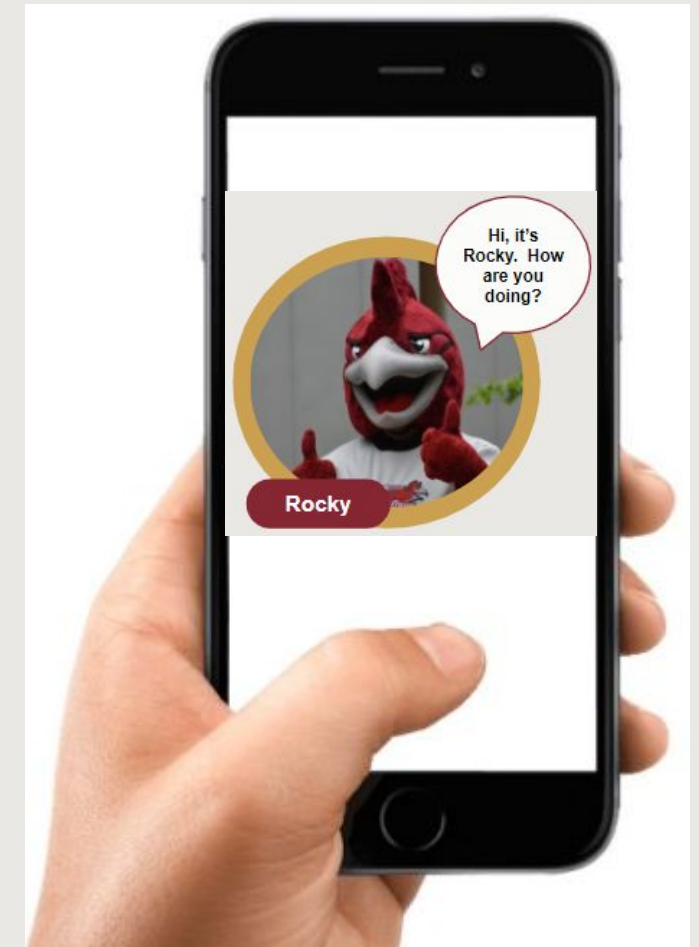
- 12-18 credits is considered a full time student
- Most majors will stay on graduation track if 16 credits are taken per semester
- 1-2 credit courses are offered each semester!
Here's some courses that are great options for making up credits:

- Leadership skills
- Stress Management
- Scuba Diving
- Spinning
- Tennis
- Yoga
- Theories of Coaching
- And more!



Know Your Student's Tools

1. Ramapo Gmail (@ramapo.edu)
2. Canvas (Learning Management System)
3. Rocky the Roadrunner Chatbot
 - ★ Academic
 - ★ Well-being
 - ★ Financial
 - ★ Engagement




Know Your Student's Tools




Connect

RCNJ Experience: Web Self-Service & Registration




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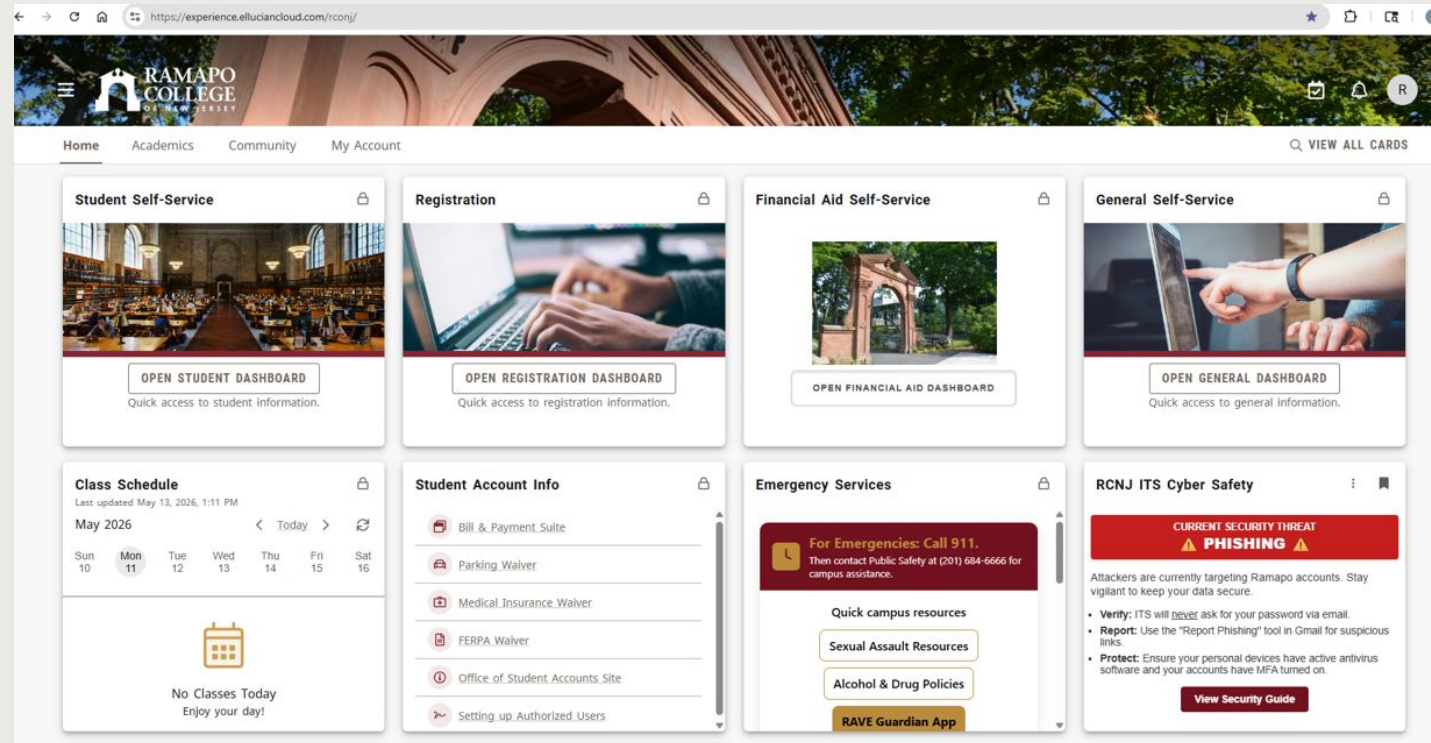
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The screenshot shows the RCNJ Experience web dashboard. The header includes the Ramapo College logo and navigation links for Home, Academics, Community, and My Account. The main content area is a grid of self-service cards:

- Student Self-Service:** Quick access to student information. Includes an "OPEN STUDENT DASHBOARD" button.
- Registration:** Quick access to registration information. Includes an "OPEN REGISTRATION DASHBOARD" button.
- Financial Aid Self-Service:** Quick access to financial aid information. Includes an "OPEN FINANCIAL AID DASHBOARD" button.
- General Self-Service:** Quick access to general information. Includes an "OPEN GENERAL DASHBOARD" button.
- Class Schedule:** Last updated May 13, 2026, 1:11 PM. Shows a calendar for May 2026 with "No Classes Today" on Monday, May 11.
- Student Account Info:** Lists various account management options: Bill & Payment Suite, Parking Waiver, Medical Insurance Waiver, FERPA Waiver, Office of Student Accounts Site, and Setting up Authorized Users.
- Emergency Services:** Includes a "For Emergencies: Call 911" alert and quick campus resources like Sexual Assault Resources, Alcohol & Drug Policies, and the RAVE Guardian App.
- RCNJ ITS Cyber Safety:** Features a "CURRENT SECURITY THREAT PHISHING" alert and instructions on how to verify, report, and protect accounts.

Know Your Student's Tools

Degree Works

Degree Audit

Key Information/Dates-RCNJ

- ✓ Review the Academic Calendar for important Summer deadline dates.
- ✓ Classes for Fall 2025 start on August 27, 2025.

Student ID: RO0BXXXXX | Name: Roadrunner, Rocky | Degree: Bachelor of Science

Advanced search

Level: Undergraduate | Classification: Freshman | College: Theoretical & Applied Science | Major: Biology | Holds: Grad App-ALLOWS Registration

Academic | What-If | View historic audit: 05/15/2025 at 12:10 AM UG/BS

Format: Student View

Degree progress

1% Requirements | 3% Credits | Cumulative GPA: 0.000

Audit date: 05/15/2025 12:10 AM

Degree in Bachelor of Science INCOMPLETE

Credits required: 128 | Credits applied: 4 | Catalog year: 2025-2026

Unmet conditions for this set of requirements: Your last credits must be taken in residence at Ramapo College. However, you have 4 credits towards this requirement and still need 28 credits to complete the requirement.

<input type="radio"/> Minimum Total Credits Required	Still needed: 128 credit hours are required. You currently have 4 credits including both earned and in-progress courses. To graduate, you need to successfully complete a minimum of 124 additional credits and all graduation requirements.
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Know Your Student's Tools

Ramapo Intranet Homepage



The screenshot shows the Ramapo Intranet homepage with a dark header and a grid of resource tiles. The header includes the college logo, the text 'RAMAPO COLLEGE Intranet', and two utility buttons: 'RESOURCES FOR' with a gear icon and a dropdown arrow, and 'CHECK E-MAIL' with an envelope icon. Below the header is a 'Popular Resources' section containing a 4x4 grid of red tiles, each with an icon and a label. At the bottom, two gold buttons categorize the resources as 'Student Resources' and 'Faculty & Staff Resources'.

RAMAPO COLLEGE Intranet		RESOURCES FOR	CHECK E-MAIL
Popular Resources			
 Check Ramapo E-mail	 Web Self-Service & Registration	 Canvas	 Faculty & Staff Contact Directory
 Connect	 Space Reservations	 Library	 Bookstore
 Handshake	 Dining Services (Sodexo)	 Student Opinion Survey	 Degree Audit Tools
 Archway	 Transportation & Shuttle Bus	 People Ops. & Employee Resources	 Tutoring
Student Resources		Faculty & Staff Resources	

Save the Dates

IMPORTANT DATES

Resident Check-In:

August 23rd, by appointment
Students placed in housing will receive their appointment time in mid-August.

Commuter Check-In:

August 23rd, in the afternoon
Students will receive an email about specific commuter check-in times.

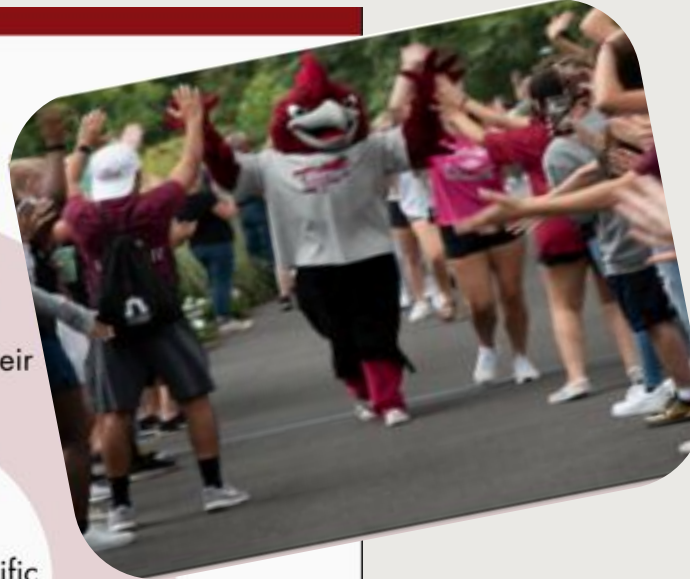
First Day of Fall Classes:

Wednesday, August 26th

Academic Calendar:

For more information on important dates, please visit:

<https://www.ramapo.edu/academic-calendars/>



Scan for our
Academic Calendar



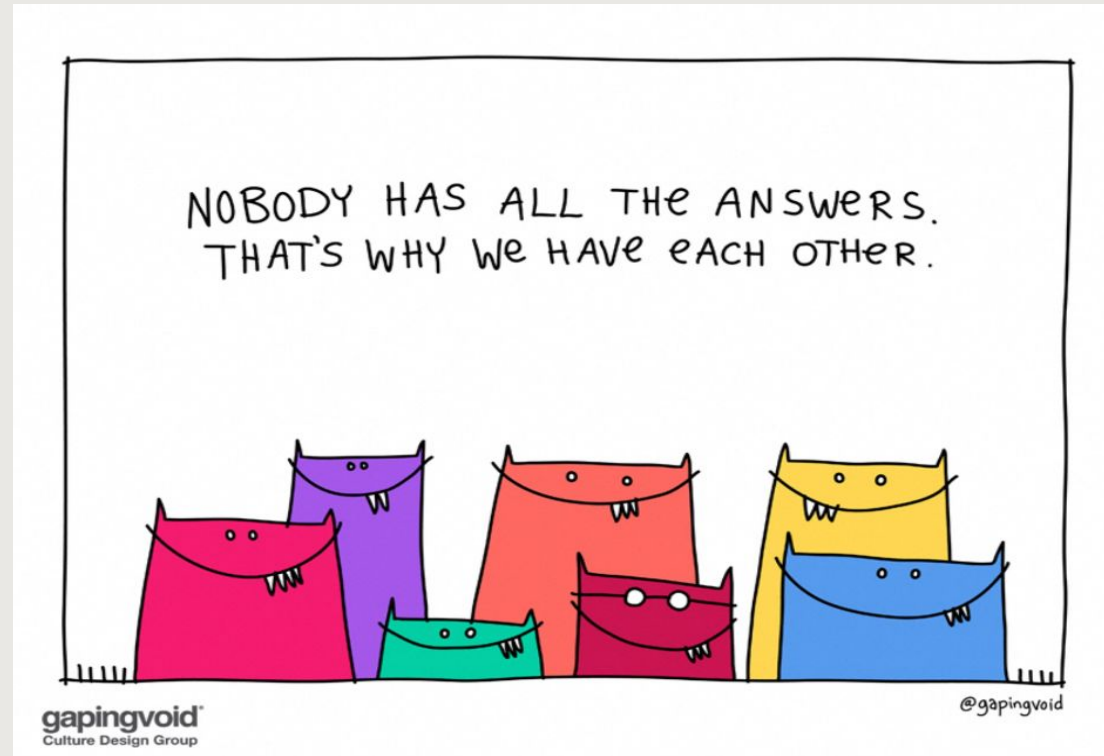
*Fall Family Day:
Saturday, October 4, 2026*

Stay in the Know with our Newsletter



<https://www.ramapo.edu/parents/family-newsletter-signup-form/>

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