

SENIOR news letter

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It's hard to believe, isn't it, that your college career is coming to an end! Hopefully you've been fine tuning your résumé and working on a cover letter. Have you spoken with professors and employers to see if they'd be willing to write a recommendation for you? What about career fairs, on-campus interviews, and honing your interviewing skills? Now is a good time to bookmark the [senior class page](#). You should get in the habit of visiting it often.

MAYMESTER/ SUMMER SESSIONS

Registration begins on Feb. 28. Go to the summer sessions website for information. Email your questions to summer@cofc.edu.

MARCH 3-11
Spring
Break!

April 23
Last Day
of Class!

Planning for Graduation

Have you been using DegreeWorks to do your degree audit? This is a great tool that lets you review the courses you've already completed and see which ones you still have to take in order to graduate. Log into [MyCharleston](#), select the academic services tab and open DegreeWorks.

It's also a good idea to attend senior class meetings and, although you certainly are not required to participate in the commencement ceremony, we strongly encourage you to do so.

Whatever you decide to do, however, you **MUST** complete your [application for graduation](#) and pay the [graduation fee](#).

FIND YOUR NICHE

As you think about what you'll do after you graduate, spend lots of time in the [Career Center](#). The staff can help you develop the tools you'll need to market yourself to prospective employers, graduate schools or professional schools.

If you are about to enter the workplace after graduation our [Career Center](#) can help you!

Here are some services that may help you find your dream job:

- Assistance with your resume
- Help with your interviewing skills
- Locating part time and full time employment
- Participating in on campus interviews
- Establishing a credential file

DON'T FORGET THIS DATE!!!

MARCH 12th

Mid-term grades are available.

SPREAD THE NEWS

Did you make the dean's list? Were you voted homecoming king or queen? Are you about to graduate? If you want media relations to send a press release to your hometown newspaper, please complete the [hometown news form](#) and follow the instructions for submitting it.



A LIFE OF ACHIEVEMENT

SOON, THIS WILL BE YOU!



COLLEGE CALENDAR

DON'T MISS A THING DURING YOUR LAST YEAR AT THE COLLEGE!

Online Alumni Community

You will soon be part of the College's online alumni community! Benefits include: a permanent forwarding email address, access to our alumni directory and personal profile updates, as well as campus and alumni news. You can leave a class note, share your photo, register for upcoming alumni events and much more! [Registration is simple.](#)

CENTER FOR STUDENT LEARNING

If you haven't been to the Center for Student Learning (CSL) yet, and you're thinking about attending graduate or professional school at some point, you should make time during this final semester to go there. Staff members are available to talk with you about preparing for the [standardized tests](#) that you'll have to take if graduate school, law school, medical or dental school, or an MBA program are in your future.

CSL is located on the first floor of the Addlestone Library.

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