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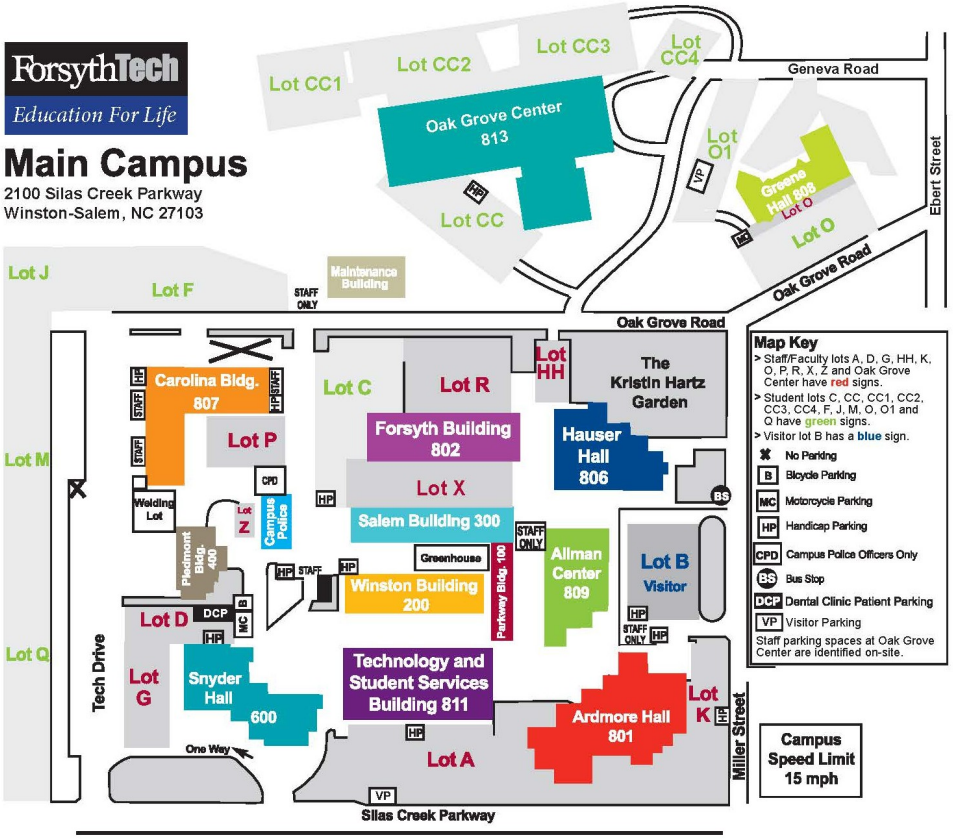
Forsyth Tech Survival Guide

COURTESY OF TECHNICALLY SPEAKING AND THE JOURNALISM CLUB

Your Forsyth Tech Campus



Other Forsyth Tech Campuses:

West Campus:
1300 Bolton Street
Winston-Salem, NC
336-761-1002

Mazie S. Woodruff Center:
4905 Lansing Drive
Winston-Salem, NC
336-734-7950

Small Business Center:
Chamber Building
601 West 4th Street
Winston-Salem, NC
336-631-1320

Forsyth Tech International Center:
Forsyth County Public Library
660 West 5th Street
Winston-Salem, NC
336-631-1325,
336-631-1326
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Swisher Center
1108 Swisher Center Road
Kernersville, NC
336-734-7903

Forsyth Tech Stokes County Center
1165 Dodgetown Road
Walnut Cove, NC
336-593-5402

Northwest Forsyth Center
3111 Big Oaks Drive
King, NC
336-734-7050

Transportation Technology Center
4255 N. Patterson Avenue
Winston-Salem, NC
336-757-3399

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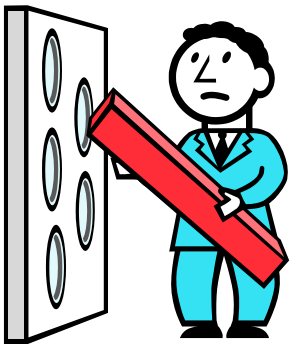
Find Your Niche

Clubs at Forsyth Tech

Club Name	Club Advisor	Contact Information
Alpha Delta Nu Nursing Honor Society	June Martin	734-7439
Alpha Mu Beta	Beverly Lewis	734-7512
Architectural Technology Club	M. Todd Shoaf	757-3311
Assoc. of Information Technology Professionals (AITP)	Deanne Cranford-Wesley	734-7305
Checknowlogy Club	Greg Young	734-3385
Creative Writing Club	LeeAnn Patrick	vpatrick@forsythtech.edu
Dental Hygiene Club	Jannette Whisenhunt	734-7414
Forsyth Tech Anime Club	David Emerson	demerson@forsythtech.edu
Future Advocates for Children's Tomorrow (F.A.C.T.)	Sharon Davis	734-7964
Geology Club	Tim Binkley	tbinkley@forsythtech.edu
Hispanic Student Association	Pauline Morris	631-1326
Human Services Club	Debby Lattimore	734-7958
Institute for Electronics & Electrical Engineering (IEEE)	Carroll Perkins	cperkins@forsythtech.edu
Interior Design Club	Giselle Taylor Wells	757-3200
International Club	Laura Hortal	734-3302
Journalism Club	Elaine Hage	734-7459
Karate Club	Daniel Beaudoin	734-7620
Math, Science and Technologies (MST)	Shelton Charles	734-7670
Medical Assisting Student Organization	Anna Hilton	734-7362
Paralegal Association	Warren Hodges	734-7276
Peers Accepting Challenges Together (P.A.C.T.)	Sarah Hawks	734-7155
Phi Theta Kappa	Maryanna Richardson	734-7174
Philosophical Society	Greg Chase	734-7246
Promotion, Respect, Individuality, Diversity & Equality (P.R.I.D.E.)	Kathleen Barnes	734-7424
Sigma Theta Kappa (CJC)	Jennifer Bryant	734-7060
Student Nurses Association (SNA)	Sue Ellen Miller	734-3250
Student Practical Nursing Association	Melissa Casey	734-3249
Student Veterans Association of FT (SVAFT)	Greg Chase	734-7246
Sustainable & Environmental Technologies Club	Toni Beery	734-7244
SWCircle	Sherraine McLean	734-7242
Transition Club	Cindy Nivens	757-3258



Note:

Club information changes quickly. While effort is made to make sure this list is accurate, look at this list as more of a means to display the variety of clubs available at Forsyth Tech rather than a definitive guide.

If something interests you, ask questions and explore to find more information. The Student Activities Office in Tec 124 is a great place to begin. Also look for representatives from clubs at events throughout the school year, beginning with Constitution Day in September.

Find Your Niche

Student Activities at Forsyth Tech

Develop Leadership Skills! Student Government

Membership Application available on Techlink for a limited time (look for flyers around school with the deadline to join).

YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR SGA IF YOU:

- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Have at least 3 hours per week to volunteer
- Are able to meet bi-monthly on Wednesdays at 3pm

TO APPLY TO SGA:

- Complete an application
- Complete the Availability Worksheet
- Submit a one-page personal statement
- Get 3 faculty/staff references

To learn more, visit Techlink and select "Student Government" under the Student Life tab.

Have Your Voice Heard!

Like to write or take photographs?

Contribute to your student newspaper, *Technically Speaking*!

Email technicallyspeaking@forsythtech.edu

Get Active!

Student Activities offers intramural competitions and golf tournaments to help keep you active!

Contact Student Activities at 734-7509 or 734-7512 or look for advertisements in *Technically Speaking*.

Let's Eat

Food at Forsyth Tech

The Grill at Forsyth Tech

Located on Main Campus in Hauser Hall, The Grill offers daily specials as well as a wide variety of delicious breakfast and lunch selections.

Hours of Operation: Weekdays 7:30am-1:30pm; breakfast served until 10:00.

The Bytes & Beans Café

Located on Main Campus at the North end of the Parkway Building, the Bytes and Beans Café offers premium coffee products and an assortment of lunch and snack items.

Hours of Operation: Monday through Thursday 7:30am-7:00pm; Friday 7:30am-12:00pm

Note: The Grill and Bytes & Beans hours can change. For those times, and at any other time, bookstores and vending machines around campus provide a variety of snacks and beverages.

Need Personal Help? Resources at Forsyth Tech

The Career Center

—Personal counseling —Career assistance (such as writing resumes, interviews, etc.) —Free Myers-Briggs Career test —Academic counseling —And much more!

The Career Center is located on the Main Campus in Allman 148. Phone: 336-734-7226

The Shugart Women's Center

The mission of the Shugart Women's Center is to promote the educational, personal, and professional development of women attending Forsyth Tech by providing advocacy, referrals, information, and resources to assist in achieving positive outcomes.

The Shugart Women's Center is located on the Main Campus in Hauser 206. Phone: 336-734-7280

James A. Rousseau II Minority Male Mentoring Program

The James A. Rousseau II Minority Male Mentoring Program is open to all minority male students at Forsyth Tech. Students meet monthly with members of the local business community, faculty, and staff at Forsyth Tech. The goals of the program are to provide an open forum for minority males to discuss issues and concerns with professionals and mentors.

The MMMP office is located on the Main Campus in Allman 114. Phone: 336-734-7385 or 336-757-3385

Campus Police

Forsyth Tech's own campus Police Department is fully sanctioned and staffed by sworn officers and security guards. Located in the small building between the Salem Building and the Piedmont Building, the police officers are here to ensure the safety of Forsyth Tech students, as well as to enforce traffic regulations. The officers also offer other services such as escorting, jump-starting car batteries, unlocking car doors, and other car-related issues. Campus Police also handles lost and found items.

For emergencies on Main and West Campuses, call 336-734-7911. For non-emergency situations on Main and West Campuses, call 336-734-7243.

Veteran's Center

Forsyth Tech welcomes military veterans, active duty personnel, and their families/supporters. We have a brand new Veteran's Center in the Tech Building in room 123. Hours currently fluctuate, but please come by and see if we are open. When we are open, we have coffee and snacks and welcome veterans to come share their stories with other veterans and their supporters.

Eventually, the VA Certifying Official and the Veteran's Counselor will be in the Veteran's Center, but that will be at a later date.

Financial Aid Services: Money. Answers. Advice.

The Financial Aid Services office is located on Main Campus, Room 261 in the Allman Center, 336-734-7235

Need Academic Help? Resources at Forsyth Tech

The Learning Center Tutoring, Testing, Computer Lab

Free tutoring is available for Forsyth Tech students in many different subjects, including math, chemistry, biology, nursing, and English.

Either go to the Learning Center for a tutoring appointment or use Tutortrac to electronically sign up for tutoring! Visit https://tutortrac.forsythtech.edu. Use Techlink username and password to sign in. Search for available timeslots, tutors, and subjects.

Location: Ardmore Hall room 143

Hours: Monday through Thursday 7:30am-9:00pm; Friday 7:30am-3:00pm; Saturday 9:00am-Noon (Fall and Spring semesters only; Saturday hours not available during Summer semesters)

Phone: 336-734-7480

Smartthinking Online Tutoring and Writing Help

Smartthinking is an online tutoring service available to all Forsyth Tech students. Tutoring is available in math, biology, chemistry, economics, writing, Spanish, and many others. Critiques of written assignments are available, as well.

Smartthinking can be accessed through Blackboard. Students can sign in to Smartthinking with their Techlink username and password.

The Collaboratory Imagine. Create. Learn. Share.

The Collaboratory is a place where students can meet to collaborate on group work, projects, etc. Laptops are available for use along with audiovisual assistance, a large touchscreen monitor, and Blackboard help. Please note the Collaboratory is a paper-free zone, meaning no printer is available.

Students must present their Student ID card prior to being assigned a laptop. The Collaboratory is located in The Oak Grove Center Room 2343.

Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:00am-5:00pm; Friday 9:00am-2:00pm; Evening hours - 5:00pm-7:00pm (by appointment only)

To reserve call: 336-734-7887

The Mechtild Montgomery Language Lab Learn Another Language

At the Mechtild Montgomery Language Lab, use Rosetta Stone to learn a language … for free! There are a variety of languages available, including Arabic, Chinese Mandarin, French, German, Greek, Italian, Polish, Russian and Spanish.

The lab is open on Monday through Thursday 8:00am-8:45pm and Friday 8:00am-2:45pm. To contact, call 336-757-3287 or e-mail foreignlanguagelab@forsythtech.edu.

Note: All information found here is subject to change, so we encourage you to explore and ask questions!
Information Desk: 336-723-0371

QEP

Information Literacy at Forsyth Tech

QEP Modules

Forsyth Tech will offer a series of interactive learning modules covering topics related to information literacy. Topics will include the importance of acknowledging and giving credit to the source of borrowed work(s), use of the Modern Language Association (MLA) and American Psychological Association (APA) formatting guidelines for writing papers, effective search strategies, and much more. These modules will be available to all as they are piloted, revised, and released for widespread use. For now, please consult with your instructor about the availability of these modules or contact the Center for Transformative Learning at 336-734-7887.

Look for QEP events taking place throughout the year!

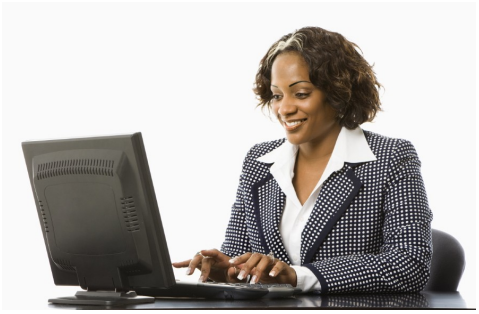
Find a Job!

Online Job Board at Forsyth Tech

Use Forsyth Tech's online job board to help your job search!

All students are eligible to use the online job board; just follow these simple steps:

1. Go to: www.collegecentral.com/forsythtech
2. Select the Student icon, and read the information and announcements on the next screen.
3. Go to Create Account.
4. Create an Access ID and a Password then Continue Registration.
5. Complete the registration form as thoroughly as possible.
6. Search for jobs by clicking Search for Jobs/Opportunities Posted to My School



The online job board also includes a résumé and portfolio builder.

Get Your Tech Fix

Computer Labs at Forsyth Tech

Main Campus, Winston-Salem

The Learning Center in Ardmore Hall
Monday through Thursday: 7:30am-9:00pm
Friday: 7:30am-3:00pm
Saturday: 9:00am-12:00pm (Spring/Fall semesters only)
Phone: 734-7480 E-mail: tutor@forsythtech.edu

Bob Greene Hall Computer Lab
Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday
3:00pm-7:00pm
Location: W121
Printing is not available at this facility.

Oak Grove Center
The Collaboratory in room 2343 has laptops available for use. Students must present their Student ID card prior to being assigned a laptop.
Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:00am-5:00pm (5:00pm-7:00pm by appointment only); Friday 9:00am-2:00pm

The Business Information Technology Lab
The BIT Lab is available for computer-related courses which require specific software.
Location: Hauser Hall 246
Phone: 734-7233

Grady Swisher Center, Kernersville

Computer Lab & Study Center, Room 240
Hours: Monday through Thursday: 8:00am-9:45pm; Friday: 8:00am-2:45pm
Phone: Front desk 734-7903

Important notes for Swisher Computer Lab:

- Printing is available at the computer next to the printer; there is no internet available on this computer, but all the other computers have internet access.
- There is no Wi-fi available at this campus.
- Printer paper is available at the Front Desk for students (10 sheets per day).

Northwest Forsyth Center, King

Computer Lab, Room 106
Hours are not available for this lab; check with the center's front desk
Phone: Front desk 336-734-7050

Transportation Center, Winston-Salem

Computer Lab, Room 134
Hours: Monday through Thursday: 8:00am-8:00pm; Friday: 8:00am-3:00pm (hours pending lab support)

Important notes for Transportation Center Computer Lab:

- Students printing in the lab will be limited to ten pages per day; power points should be printed in note form only.
- Food, drinks, and the use of cellular phones are prohibited in the computer labs.
- TRAN 134 Computer Lab has supplemental learning resources, i.e. tutoring, and there are computers for students use.

Mazie Woodruff Center, Winston-Salem

Marvin Allen Community Computer Lab, Room 106
Hours: 8:00am-8:30pm (pending evening lab support)
Phone: 734-7920

MWC Student Computer Lab, Room 219
Hours: 8:00am-3:00pm
Phone: 734-7922

MWC Learning Center/Tutorial Lab, Room 240
Hours: 9:00am-2:00pm (pending lab support)
Phone: 734-7921

Important notes for MWC Computer Labs:

- Students printing in the lab will be limited to ten pages per day; power points should be printed in note form only.
- Food, drinks, and the use of cellular phones are prohibited in the computer labs and MWC 240 Learning Center.
- MWC 240 Learning Center has supplemental learning resources, i.e. tutoring, and there are six computers for student use.

Stokes County Center, Walnut Cove

Computer Lab, Room 121C
Hours: Mondays and Thursdays from 7:00am-3:00pm; Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 1:00pm-5:00pm
Phone: Front desk 336-593-5402

NOTE: Hours for any computer lab are subject to change without notice. Call the front desk or lab to find out more information on hours or lab usage guidelines and restrictions.

Get Your Books! (and your t-shirts, school supplies, and snacks)

Bookstores:

Main Campus Bookstore: 336-734-7289 Monday through Thursday 7:30am-7:00pm, Friday 7:30am-3:00pm

Oak Grove Center Bookstore: 336-734-7884 Monday through Thursday 8:30am-1:00pm then 2:00pm-5:00pm, Friday 8:30am-2:00pm

West Campus Bookstore: 336-734-7754 Monday through Thursday 8:30am-2:00pm then 4:00pm-6:30pm, Friday 8:30am-1:00pm

Northwest Forsyth Center Bookstore: 336-734-7055 Monday through Thursday 9:00am-1:00pm then 2:00pm-6:00pm, Friday 8:00am-2:00pm

Transportation Center Bookstore: 336-757-3393 Monday through Thursday 7:30am-12:15pm then 12:45pm-4:00pm, Friday 7:30am-1:30pm

Get Your Research on at Forsyth Tech's Library

Come visit the Library! Located in Ardmore Hall, the library offers numerous resources:
—Interlibrary loans
—NCLive research database
—Periodical room
—Videos for school and more!

Hours: Monday through Thursday 7:30am-9:00pm
Fridays 7:30 am-3:00pm
Saturdays 9:00am-12:00pm
Contact: 336-734-7219
Reference Desk: 336-734-7415

Did you know?

Winston-Salem State University and Forsyth Tech offer a dual enrollment program. For more information call 336-757-3336

Lose Something?

On Main Campus, Campus Police handles lost and found items.

On other campuses, visit the Information/Registration Center for lost and found items.

Please report any valuable lost item.

Find *Technically Speaking*, Forsyth Tech's student newspaper

Main Campus:
- Allman Center
- Ardmore Hall
- Hauser Hall
- Snyder Hall
- Tech Building
- Oak Grove Center

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