“The Liberal Arts program at NNMC has been extremely beneficial to my education. The instructors are amazing and have helped me attain a strong foundation needed for continuing on towards receiving my Bachelor’s degree. With the wide range of knowledge I gained, I have a job position I love and I am able to put the many skills I learned to use. Thank you, Language and Letters.”
– Jennifer Garcia, graduate, AA Liberal Arts

Mission Statement

The Northern New Mexico College Language & Letters Department provides an in-depth examination of the relationship between power and language in developing critical and creative thinking skills for thoughtful communication dedicated to engaged citizenship and social change.

Degree Works – Let’s Discover It!

Degree Works is a great tool to help you along your educational path. It enables you to explore your current curriculum status in relation to general education and all of your major’s core classes. Plus, it shows your current progress including all classes yet to complete.

A plethora of insightful functions are available to see the impact of changing your major and the necessary grade average to obtain the degree you’re seeking along with many other variations. I have found it to be a great resource and am happy to connect with you on how to utilize it.

Contact Jason at jason_lombard@nnmc.edu for an appointment.

Register for Second 8-week Spring Classes

Go to nnmc.edu for information and be sure to reach out to your advisors for any help. Hurry as some 8-week courses are still available. This is the time of opportunity and a short class could be the start of something amazing!
“The Writing Center has helped me gain so much knowledge along with focusing on better ways to... make my writing become complete. I have always wanted to find a way to say thank you to the staff who work in the writing center.... Here is the opportunity I am granted to say, thank you so much Writing Center staff! ... I am delighted that I have had the encouragement you all have shown to help me. Even when I felt that I did not have the belief in myself... you have shown the best support to a student who wants to become knowledgeable.”

– Poekwin G.

The Writing Center

The Writing Center mission is to provide tutoring that assists NNMC students in becoming strong, independent writers and readers.

Students can utilize the Writing Center in various ways:

• strengthen writing skills by working with a tutor at any stage of the writing process on any writing assignment from any course at the college

• revise and edit scholarship letters and application statements with the help of a tutor

• review citation and reference styles such as MLA and APA, strengthen research skills, such as evaluating sources, acceptable paraphrasing, introducing quotations, and avoiding plagiarism

• engage in critical reading process with guidance from a tutor.

Email writingcenter@nnmc.edu or call 505-747-2294 for the current hours and student tutoring needs.

Visit the Tutoring Resources webpage at https://nnmc.edu/tutoring/

It’s Getting Warm Outside!

Springtime 2021 is upon us and with it hope that a Covid vaccine will become available to all who desire it. The amount of snow has been heartbreakingly low, and Father Winter is apparently on vacation.

When the time is right the powers that be will begin the systematic process of getting back out in public and back in classrooms with fellow Students and Teachers and friends. Until then I wish everyone a healthy and safe time in the world.

Have you found a hobby in the past year? I want to know what you have found and how you came to find it. Do you have multiple hobbies? Do you have one favorite hobby? My inquiring mind wants to know, so write to me jason_lombard@nnmc.edu and tell me all about it.

Note: By submitting any writing you allow me to quote and use the writing for positive posting in this newsletter to share and expand our worlds for the good of us all.
TRICKSTER 2020 CROSSING BORDERS NOW AVAILABLE!

Trickster 2020, Crossing Borders

Trickster 2020 is now available to readers for just $8.00!

This issue focuses on the theme of “Crossing Borders” and has come together with many challenges due to the Covid situation. As always, it features incredibly talented artists, and we hope you will support us with your patronage.

TRICKSTER 2021 Now Accepting Submissions

CALLING ALL NEW MEXICO WRITERS & ARTISTS.

TRICKSTER 2021 will focus on work on the “new normal” created by the COVID-19 pandemic. In keeping with the theme, this year’s journal will be an online edition.

We invite you to share your talent and ideas as you explore your unique, compelling experiences, the challenges you face, and what you have learned along the way. Tell us about your “blursdays” as you deal with “The Rona,” socialize through virtual happy hours, work from home (WFH), take classes remotely, stand in lines, and distance from loved ones.

Please send us your unpublished fiction, nonfiction, poetry, and artwork. Go to our Trickster webpage for submission guidelines.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MAY 14, 2021

Thank you for your interest in Trickster. We’re anxiously awaiting your work!
Get in Touch!
Get interested!
Get in School!

Please contact us for more information or to register for Spring 2021 8-week classes.

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