

Dear New Paltz student,

We present the November 4, 2022 edition of the **The Globe**!

The Globe is our International Student Newsletter. It is sent biweekly (every other week) on Fridays. In The Globe you will find announcements from International Student Programs office, important reminders, information on events, and more.

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## Announcements and Reminders

### **Registration reminders for F-1 students**

As we approach course registration for Spring 2023, please remember international students have (F1) status requirements that relate to your academics!

### **Full-time enrollment requirements**

All international students must maintain full-time status.

"Full-time" may differ depending on your program

- ALL Undergraduate degrees, MBA, and MFA: 12 credits
- ALL other graduate degrees: 9 credits
- An exception to Full-time enrollment is made in your FINAL SEMESTER only and requires approval

### **Method of instruction**

- Only ONE online course counts toward the full-time registration requirement each semester.
- Most of your courses must be seated and/or hybrid each semester.
- In your final semester, if you are only taking one course, it cannot be an online course.

### **Practicum, Internship, Fieldwork courses, and CPT approval**

If you are registering for a course in the spring that has a practical experience attached to it, you must remember to get CPT authorization BEFORE you begin any type of off-campus opportunity. For example, if you are registering for Practicum, Internship, Fieldwork, or an Independent Study that has an off-campus component, you must get CPT authorization before you begin your internship/practicum/fieldwork. You can learn more about this at our CPT workshops and by reading the [information here](#).

If you have questions or concerns about this, please contact [International Student Programs](#).

### **REMINDER: OPT and Future Workshops**

For a full list of upcoming workshops on CPT, OPT, and more, please click [here](#).

### **REMINDER: Academic Calendar**

Please reference the [Fall 2022 academic calendar](#) for important dates throughout the semester including deadlines, holidays, and finals. (Protip: Bookmark it!)

## Events and Opportunities

### **International Student Trip: Woodbury Common (November 12)**

The Center for International Programs will be sponsoring a trip to [Woodbury Common Premium Outlets](#) on Saturday, November 12.

### **What is Woodbury Common?**

Per their website, Woodbury Common is "The **ultimate destination for shopping and dining!** Woodbury Common Premium Outlets **features 250 of the most sought after, high-end fashion and designer retail brands in the world** including Tory Burch, Nike, Celine, Bottega Veneta, Polo Ralph Lauren, Michael Kors, Burberry, Coach, The North Face and more **all at savings of 25% to 65% every day**. The newly renovated Market Hall offers a variety of grab-and-go options including Chipotle, Tony & Benny's, Melt Shop, McDonalds, Starbucks, Lady M Cake Boutique, Pinkberry and more or enjoy dine in, curbside and outdoor dining at Shake Shack or Parm. Enjoy free Wi-Fi, expanded seating, and more while shopping your favorite brands!"

See below for sign up information.

**Destination:** Woodbury Common Premium Outlets

**Date:** Saturday, November 12

**Depart:** 11:00 AM from Parking Lot #28 on Rt. 32/Rt. 32 Parking (see below)

**Return:** 7:00 PM

**Cost:** \$20

**DEADLINE:** Friday, November 11 at 12:00 PM (Noon)

You can click [HERE](#) to view a campus map. At the bottom of the map you will see **Route 32 Parking**. There is a bus stop in this parking lot. You can wait there for the bus. Please be on time both for the departure and the return. We do not want to leave anybody behind, but the bus will leave on time!

### **HOW TO SIGN UP?**

- Click [HERE](#) to access our storefront and purchase your ticket.
- Select Woodbury Common (November 12, 2022)
- Complete form and purchase ticket

### **NOTICE**

Students must wear masks at all times while on the bus. Masks may also be required or strongly recommended by individual stores.

### **New Paltz ENGAGE-listed Events**

[New Paltz ENGAGE](#) is our campus platform for clubs, organizations, and events. Click Events at the top to see a list of upcoming activities. Keep checking their page as new events are added all the time!

### **Highlights:**

- Mu Sigma Upsilon Sorority, Inc: Are You Smarter than an Upsilon? (November 4)
- Residence Hall Student Association: RHSA Drag Show! ft. Kings and Queens of New Paltz (November 4)
- Black Student Union: Pre-Black Solidarity Day Vigil (November 6)
- Biology Club: Annual Biology Club Whale Watching Trip (November 6)
- ... and more!

## International Student Union



The international student community contributes to the diversity of campus culture and community engagement. We believe that Globalization is an integral part of New Paltz's teachings and social activities.

### **Want to learn more about the International Student Union (ISU) or join?**

Email: [isunewpaltz@gmail.com](mailto:isunewpaltz@gmail.com)

Instagram: [@isusunewpaltz](https://www.instagram.com/isusunewpaltz)

## Tip of the Day

Interested in a show? The Department of Theatre Arts has shows every semester! You can click [here](#) to see upcoming events and purchase tickets to shows.

## Quote of the Day

"When you are deciding on next steps, next jobs, next careers, further education -- you should rather find a purpose than a job or a career. ... Purpose crosses disciplines. Purpose is an essential element of you. It is the reason you are on the planet at this particular time in history."

- Chadwick Boseman