Welcome all new and returning students to Spring 2014. We hope that you make the most out of this semester. Keep in mind that the International Student Center is always here for you, yes YOU! If you ever have a question or feel in doubt, stop by the office in Room: C-102 {can’t miss us, we have flags along the walls that direct you to the office} and we will be more than happy to assist you.

Also, don’t forget that there are several BCC resources that are readily available to you. Take advantage of these resources and make this semester count!

Since the school has been closed due to inclement weather, the school is required to make up the lost time in the classroom. Be aware that you may be accountable for the material that was supposed to be covered when school was closed. Your professor will provide instructions on how this will be handled.

Bad Weather (School Closure)

If the weather is very bad, the school will closed. To find out if BCC is closed, visit: www.bergen.edu, call (201) 447-7100, or visit: http://www.1010wins.com to sign up for e-mail notification of college closings.

You can also listen to WCBS/880, WOR/710, and WVNJ1160 on the radio or tune in to channel 12NJ on Cablevision TV.
Immigration News

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**Academic Reminders**

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**Tutoring**

Don't wait until the last moment to seek out help—begin now! Tutoring is free to all BCC students. Make the most out of the resources that are available to you.

**American Language Program (ALP)**

=> **English Language Resource Center** in Ender Hall (E-156)

=> Intercultural Conversation Partners program meets in the Cerullo Learning Assistance Center in the Pitkin Education Center (L-125).

**College Level**

=> **Cerullo Learning Assistance Center** in the Pitkin Education Center (L-125)

=> **Math Walk-in Center** is located in the Pitkin Education Center (A-113)

**E Grades**

Failure to attend classes and/or submit assignments may result in an E grade. An E grade is an unofficial withdrawal. F-1 students who earn a grade of E may end up losing their F-1 status.

If you are not going to your classes, please stop by the International Student Center and speak with your counselor as soon as possible.