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NEWSLETTER

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As we step into March, the chill of winter begins to fade and the first signs of spring start to appear. It is a wonderful time for fresh beginnings, renewed energy, and new opportunities. With Daylight Savings Time bringing longer, brighter evenings and convocation fast approaching, this season feels especially full of momentum and anticipation.

This month's newsletter is packed with timely features, celebrations, and helpful resources to support you throughout this vibrant time of year. Inside, you'll find:

- International Women's Day celebrations
- Convocation Updates
- Important March reminders, including the start of Daylight Savings Time
- Seasonal Wellness tips / Family Spring Activities
- Upcoming events and deadlines you won't want to miss
- Spotlights and community celebrations

We hope this edition inspires you to embrace the longer days, fresh opportunities and meaningful milestones ahead.

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INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2026: GIVE TO GAIN



This year's theme for International Women's Day on March 8, 2026 – **"Give to Gain"** highlights the powerful impact of lifting one another up. It reminds us that when we invest in the growth, rights and opportunities of women and girls, we strengthen not only individuals, but entire communities. Empowerment creates a ripple effect: **when women thrive, everyone benefits.**

Here at ACE Career College, we proudly celebrate the remarkable women who shape our community in countless ways. This includes the instructors who teach, mentor and inspire, as well as the women working behind the scenes – in administration, student services, admissions, tech support, and every department that keeps our college running smoothly. Their dedication, expertise and often-unseen contributions form the backbone of our institution.

We also honour our female students who continue to upgrade their skills, pursue new opportunities, and redefine what is possible for themselves and their families. Their determination and resilience reflect the spirit of this year's theme. When we support one another, we all rise.



Let us take this moment to recognize the achievements of women across our campus celebrating how far we have come while acknowledging the work that still lies ahead. By supporting one another and promoting equity, we can build a more inclusive, equitable future – one where every woman and girl can grow, lead and thrive.

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Daylight Saving Time started on Sunday, March 8, 2026. At 2:00 a.m., clocks moved forward by one hour, which meant we lost an hour of sleep but gained more daylight in the evening.



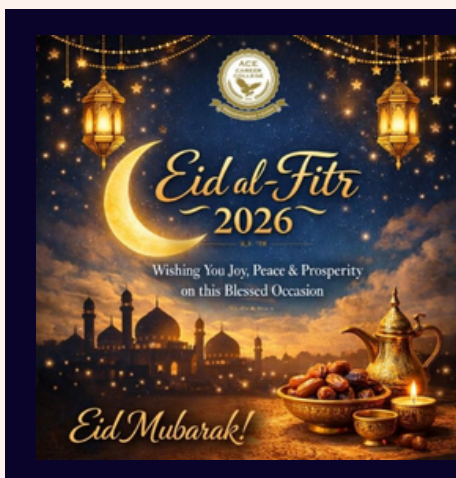
With this change, sunrise and sunset both occurred about one hour later than the day before. As a result, evenings felt brighter and longer, which many people found helpful for activities after school or work.

To avoid confusion, it was a good idea to adjust any manual clocks before going to bed on Saturday, March 7.

While most devices like smartphones, laptops, and tablets updated automatically, people still needed to change wall clocks, microwaves, ovens, and car dashboards.

Daylight Saving Time was used in most parts of Canada for a large part of the year. It shifted an hour of daylight from the morning to the evening, allowing for extended daylight later in the day.

People were reminded to check their clocks on Sunday morning to ensure everything was set correctly.



As part of our commitment to celebrating the diverse cultures within ACE Career College, we would like to acknowledge the recent celebration of Eid. Eid is one of the most significant holidays in the Muslim community, marked by morning prayers, festive gatherings, acts of charity, and expressions of gratitude.

Even though the holiday has passed, we extend our warmest wishes to everyone who observed it. May the spirit of Eid bring continued peace, happiness, and blessings.

Eid Mubarak!

Spring job fairs are happening, and it is a great time to get ready for new career opportunities. A little preparation can help you make a strong impression.

- Update your resume with your latest skills and experience.
- Practice a short introduction so you feel confident speaking with employers.
- Dress professionally to show you are serious about your job search.
- Research employers attending the fair so you know who you want to meet.
- Bring essentials like copies of your resume, a notebook, and a pen.



Spring job fairs are a great chance to connect with local employers and explore new possibilities. With a bit of preparation, you will be ready to shine.

Spring Opportunities: Industries Hiring This Season

As spring begins, many workplaces become busier after the slower winter months. This often leads to increased hiring, making it a good time for students and job seekers to explore opportunities.

You may start to see more openings in areas like customer service, administration, and general operations, as businesses prepare for higher demand.

For students, this is a good opportunity to gain experience and build skills such as communication, teamwork, and time management—even through short-term roles.

If you are planning to apply, consider the following:

- Keep your resume updated and tailored to each role
- Reach out to your network, including classmates, instructors, or previous employers
- Check job platforms regularly for new postings
- Stay open to both temporary and long-term opportunities

Spring is a season of growth, and taking small steps now can lead to valuable opportunities in the coming months.



St. Patrick's Day in Canada

St. Patrick's Day is a fun and festive time across Canada, especially for Irish immigrants who bring their traditions, music, and culture to the celebrations. Many cities host parades, community events, and lively gatherings filled with green attire and Irish pride.

Did you know that over 4.5 million Canadians have Irish roots? Canada is also home to one of the oldest St. Patrick's Day parades, first held in Montreal in 1824.

Whether you are celebrating your heritage or just joining in the fun, St. Patrick's Day is a great reminder of the joy that comes from sharing culture and community.

► Family Spring Activities

Spring is finally arriving, bringing warmer days, fresh air, and plenty of chances for families to get outside and enjoy the season together. Whether you are in the mood for an outdoor adventure or a relaxed weekend outing, spring offers something for everyone – no matter where you live.

Enjoy the Outdoors. Take a family walk, bike ride, or picnic at a nearby park. The sunshine and blooming scenery make even simple outings feel special.


Visit Animals and Nature. Farms, nature centres, and wildlife parks often have seasonal programs where kids can learn and explore.

Check Out Spring Markets. Local spring markets and fairs are a great way to enjoy treats, crafts and community fun for all ages.



Indoor Fun for Rainy Days. If the weather turns, try a museum, science centre, art studio, or recreation centre for hands-on activities.

Spring is all about fresh starts and making new memories – no matter how simple the activity may be. Whether you stay close to home or venture a little farther, there are plenty of ways to enjoy the season together.





Stand Out from the Crowd:
CAREER READINESS & INTERVIEW SKILLS
MARCH 24, 2026

Join our webinar where we go over:

- Resume and Cover Letter Crafting
- Mastering Interview Techniques
- Understanding Employer Expectations
- Confidence Building
- and more!

Enriched Academy is proud to offer a chance for Post-Secondary school students to receive **up to \$1,000.**

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The “Stand Out from the Crowd: Career Readiness & Interview Skills” webinar hosted by Enriched Academy has been completed. The interactive session provided guidance on preparing effective resumes and cover letters, strengthening interview skills, and building professional confidence. Participants also received insights into employer expectations, enabling them to present themselves with clarity, professionalism, and impact. Please stay tuned and regularly check the Enriched Academy website for information on future sessions and additional updates.

Earth Hour Activity in Calgary

Earth Hour is an annual global movement that raised awareness about climate change. People around the world switched off their lights for one hour at 8:30 p.m. on the last Saturday of March. The hour encouraged individuals, businesses, and government organizations to reflect on their environmental impact and take steps toward a more sustainable, low-carbon future.



Whether participants chose to enjoy a candle-lit dinner, explore the interactive exhibits at the library, or simply turn off their lights for the hour, Earth Hour served as a simple yet meaningful way to support the planet.

The City of Calgary hosted its Earth Hour celebration at the Central Library on Saturday, March 28, 2026, from 6:00 to 9:30 p.m., with the lights turned off from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m. This free, family-friendly event featured music, Indigenous performances, interactive exhibits, and youth activities focused on climate action and sustainability.

The City of Calgary also took part by turning off non-essential and decorative lighting at participating municipal buildings, including historic City Hall, all fire stations, and the Water Centre, from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m.

CONVOCATION 2026

APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

37 days to go until
convocation!

CONVOCATION DETAILS

Date: May 09, 2026 (Saturday)

Venue:

Best Western Premier Calgary Plaza Hotel & Conference Centre
1316 33 ST. NE, Calgary, Alberta, Canada,
T2A 6B6

If you have not yet submitted your application, please complete the form using the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/r/SsCK8SKS7Y>

HONOURING ACHIEVEMENT: APPLY FOR VALEDICTORIAN

ACE Career College is pleased to announce that applications for Valedictorian are now open for the upcoming convocation. This honour is awarded to a student who has demonstrated exceptional academic performance, including maintaining a 4.0 GPA, along with professionalism, leadership, and a positive impact on both their classmates, the school, and the wider community.

CELEBRATING THE OUTCOME OF YOUR HARD WORK

Graduation is more than just the end of a program—it marks the result of your hard work, commitment, and perseverance. Each assignment completed, deadline met, and challenge overcome has led to this moment. It's an achievement you should take pride in and one that reflects your dedication to your goals.

We are pleased to share that students who have received their Program Completion email from the Administration are now eligible to apply for Convocation 2026. This is your opportunity to celebrate alongside your classmates, instructors, and loved ones.

Eligible students will receive the official application form directly. The selected Valedictorian will represent their graduating class and deliver an inspiring address at the ceremony - a moment that highlights hard work, dedication, and achievement.

We look forward to celebrating the outstanding accomplishments within our ACE family.

If you have any questions, please contact Admin office via email

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mr. Juancho Las!

We would like to extend our warmest wishes to one of our Board of Director, Mr. Juancho Las.

May your special day be filled with joy and celebration, and may the year ahead bring continued success and happiness.



>>> REMINDERS

Exit Interview Submission: If you have finished your program, kindly submit your student exit interview forms to the Admissions team.

Stay Updated: Please check your school email frequently to stay informed about important announcements and updates.

Feedback Opportunity:
We value your input—after each course, please take a moment to complete a short survey to help enhance the learning experience.

Requesting Transcripts:
Students who have completed their program are now able to request official transcripts through the school.

IMPORTANT DATES

March 05 - ITT March Intake, Student Orientation


March 09 - ITT March Intake, Start of Class

March 12 - BAPA/EA March Intake, Student Orientation

March 26 - BAPA/EA March Intake, Student Orientation

April 03 - Good Friday, no class

April 06 - Easter Monday, no class

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