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New Three Rivers Middle College High School
To Offer Exciting Opportunities For Students

NORWICH, CT — Three Rivers Community College (TRCC) is pleased to announce the establishment of the Three Rivers Middle College High School at our Norwich campus this fall. In a process which began in April 2008, LEARN, Regional Education Service Center, has been working with TRCC to finalize plans on opening the Middle College High School in August 2012.

The Middle College Magnet High School will serve junior and senior high school students who are interested in pursuing studies in the fields of engineering technology, business and finance, and hospitality management. A dual enrollment high school the students will complete high school graduation requirements while having the opportunity to take college classes. The fields of study were selected as a means of responding this region’s workforce needs. The programs enjoy a stellar reputation by businesses in this region and beyond. The College has transfer agreements with many four year institutions. Thirty high school juniors will be accepted into the first class.

The mission of the Three Rivers Middle College High School is to provide students with a comprehensive academic experience that will include a strong, focused academic curriculum, and character development as well as active participation in community service. Three Rivers Community College provides a supportive learning environment where high academic achievement in science, math, business, finance and engineering technology is promoted and pursued by students who are actively investing in their education. To be introduced to TRCC, its resources and culturally diverse population will be invaluable for the students of the Middle College. Important career preparation activities and essential life skills will also be part of the curriculum to ensure a successful long-term transition to employment, and lifelong learning.

Three Rivers Middle College High School will focus on students in the last two years of their secondary education when they are prepared to experience and explore specific academic fields of interest. Students will be chosen by a lottery system and must have completed the requisite credits needed to enter their junior year, including passing the CAPT test. They will enter the Middle College High School with the desire to participate in the college environment and complete the required high school courses while on the TRCC campus.

Three Rivers serves hundreds of high school students each year. We believe the Middle College High School is the next step in bringing students to the campus of a full-time basis. They will have the opportunity to invest in their future by entering the college learning community while completing high school requirements.

Dates for open houses scheduled to take place on the Three Rivers Community College:

Monday. July 23 at 6pm
Thursday. July 26 at 9:30 am and also 6:30 pm
Tuesday. July 31 at 9:30 am
Thursday. August 2 at 6:30 pm

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