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Information Technology Services' series of monthly emails to all employees aimed at improving communications with campus about tips, information, technology updates and services offered in ITS.

Upcoming D2L Brightspace Downtime



D2L Brightspace will be unavailable during a domain change process from approximately 8:00 am to 12:00 noon on Wednesday, December 27, 2017, during winter break. The D2L Brightspace login URLs for all sites will be updated from the current mnscu.edu domain to the new minnstate.edu domain to align with the Minnesota State branding.

Detailed information is forthcoming, yet if you have questions at this time, please see the <u>D2L Domain Change Questions and Answers</u> for more information.

Windows 10

Windows 10 is available for faculty and staff. In fact, there are currently over 400 computers using Windows 10 on campus and we expect this number to grow as more people make the decision to upgrade and as new PC computers arrive with it as the originally-installed Operating System. More information can be found on St. Cloud State University's Technology site.

If you are interested in upgrading to Windows 10 or if you have questions, please contact your technician or HuskyTech at (320) 308-7000 or at huskytech@stcloudstate.edu.

Campus Card Reminder



Please pick up your new Campus Card if you have not done so already and encourage our students to do the same.

Campus Card is located in HuskyTech, Miller Center 102, and is open from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm Monday through Friday during the academic year.

If you have questions, please contact Campus Card at (320) 308-1683.

Apple Watch at HuskyTech



HuskyTech will now be able to offer the popular Apple Watch to employees and students at educational pricing, along with a variety of fashionable wristbands. This is an exciting opportunity to explore what the watch can provide. Along with the watch, HuskyTech carries a variety of Apple products including iMacs, MacBook Pro and MacBook Air models. We also carry the iPad Pro that comes in 12.9 and 10.5-inch sizes. Be sure to stop into HuskyTech in Miller Center 102 to check out our educational prices on all of these products.

IT Security Tip - Own Your Online Presence

- Personal information is like money. Value it. Protect it.: Information about you, such as your purchase history or location, has value just like money. Be thoughtful about who gets that information and how it's collected through apps and websites.
- **Be aware of what's being shared:** Set the privacy and security settings on web services and devices to your comfort level for information sharing. It's OK to limit how and with whom you share information.
- **Share with care:** Think before posting about yourself and others online. Consider what a post reveals, who might see it and how it could be perceived now and in the future.

IT Security Tip information from Stop. Think. Connect.: https://www.stopthinkconnect.org/tips-advice/general-tips-and-advice



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