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THE END IS NEAR



Aashi Agarwala She/Her/Hers Chemical Engineering

As the semester quickly comes to an end, finals begin! Finals tend to be stressful; however, they are not as bad as you think! Remember that the

difficulty of your finals should be on par with your prior tests, and can even benefit your grade! With these tips, you will ace your exams!

Destress

Finals can be quite stressful; however, a high stress level may hinder your ability to prepare and perform your best on the exam. Taking breaks by going to get some ice cream from Deet's with a few friends is a great way to combat this. Also, during finals, McCommas will offer free group exercise classes. These classes are a great way to destress and keep yourself healthy! Also, the University will host many fun events to help you destress like by giving out free grilled cheese and hot chocolate in the library.

Study Spots

During finals, finding a nice quiet place to study can be quite difficult. The library and Torg bridge are usually very crowded making it difficult to find a table for you and your friends to study at. However, if you come early in the morning, finding a table should not be a problem! Also, you can study in empty classrooms like in McBryde and New Classroom Building. Lee Hall also has some great spots, like the study lounges and Studio 2. Squires is also a great choice! There are many smaller rooms available to study in as well as the ballrooms! Tables with outlets will be set up in the ballroom for your convenience.

Time Management

Make a schedule of all of the specific topics that you want to go over. For each topic/chapter, set aside time to go over each topic. For example, I would go over Topic 5 from 3-4 pm. This will help manage your time while studying for exams. Also, make sure that you have you final exams in your google calendar and make note of its location as many times you take the final exam in a different location than your lecture classroom.

Good luck on all of your finals, and try to give yourself a pep talk before taking your exam! Happy Holidays!

STEM Pun of the Week:

A physicist gets pulled over. The Cop says, "Do you know how fast you were going!?"

Physicist says, "No, but I know exactly where I was."

IS MILK A SAUCE?



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My roommate brought up this question one day and now I have to know what you guys think. Is milk a sauce? Could it

ever be a sauce? I hope you can get a laugh out of this short article during finals or maybe it is too weird of a question. Either way, I hope everyone has a great winter break soon and good luck on whatever finals you might have left for your first semester!

Why it could be a sauce?

Simple. Milk and cookies. The milk is the sauce that the cookies are dipped in.

Why it is not a sauce:

Because this is just wrong. Milk is a drink and a

drink only. Period.

Tell me what you think below!





SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS



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If you're interested in an engineering organization that

unites and empowers women in engineering, I have the perfect club for you. The Society of Women Engineers is an organization that meets every other week on Mondays from 7:30-8:30pm in Litton Reaves 1870. The meetings are usually company sponsored (a great way to network!) and discuss important topics such as leadership, communication, and teambuilding. The club, though largely professional, also sponsors social and service events. Part of the purpose of the organization is to connect people and provide a strong backbone of support throughout college and professional life. Their next social event is 9/28/19 and it will be hiking the Cascades. All of our professional and service events do count for your Galipatia hours and events!

SWE is not only for women in engineering- there are men who come to the meetings! The organization works to connect people and make them stronger and better engineers, regardless of gender. It creates a network of like-minded individuals who want to grow and become the best they can be. The organization is an amazing way to meet new people and make new friends! SWE also takes a yearly trip to WE '19, the largest national conference for women in engineering. This year's conference will be in Anaheim, CA, and they are taking general body members to go! Soon, the application will be open and candidates will be chosen to attend with travel and hotel nearly completely covered.

If you are interested, follow them on Instagram @swe_vt or find them on Facebook! You can also read more about their mission on GobblerConnect!