Hello Explorers, and welcome back to this week’s edition of The Compass! We only have 4 weeks until the end of the semester! Time has definitely flown by, and Finals Week is just around the corner. During this holiday season, make sure that you take time to relax and treat yourself, but also balance out your schoolwork. YOU are the most important thing though, so if you are stressed, take a break! Get yourself that Peppermint Mocha and face mask! It’s never too early to begin studying for your exams, so getting a head start is not a bad idea. This week in our newsletter, you will find information regarding the end of the semester, study tips/locations, and workshops!

**Study Locations**

There are so many study locations on campus, that it can be hard to decide where to go. If studying in your dorm gets too distracting, here are 2 of our personal favorite study locations:

- **Hicks:** If you haven’t had the chance to study in Hicks yet, you are missing the finer things in life. Hicks is underground next to Stewart Center, with very little distractions. It is always quiet, and since it is open 24 hours a day, with few windows, its always an exciting time when you walk outside not knowing what time it is! For quiet and blissful studiers, this is the place to go!

- **Lilly Hall Library:** This is a secret space that not many people know about! The Life Sciences Library takes up 4 floors! Not many people know that it occupies that much space, so if you go to the upper levels, you are practically guaranteed a quiet study space!

**Purdue Academic Success Center workshops:**

As we are nearing finals week, the Academic Success Center (ASC) is hosting 3 workshops in order to help students prepare for the rigor and stress of final exams. These workshops are all located in the Wiley Residence Hall, room C215. Workshops will be on the following dates:

- Tuesday, November 19th from 5:30-6:20
- Monday, December 2nd from 4:30-5:20
- Thursday, December 5th from 1:30-2:20

**PSUB Make your own snowglobe!**

Who doesn’t love snow globes?! PSUB is hosting a DIY snow globe event NEXT FRIDAY, November 15, from 6-8pm in the PMU. If you are interested, make sure that you bring some cute trinkets to place inside your snow globe! Please bring $5 to cover the costs of the materials. Come out and have a good time!

**Meet your EXPL Senators!**

Evan Christie, Saul Guzman, and Elli Didonna are your Student Government senators for this school year! They attend biweekly senate meetings, vote on legislation, and make our campus a better place! Their main goal is to be a voice for all of you and to raise concerns/issues to the administration at Purdue. Be on the lookout for their letter of introduction email!