

Supporting Our Students: Key Points

- Cottey has many systems in place to promote a healthy study/life balance.
- The Wellness Center offers full-time counselors, daily health provider hours, the Cottey Cupboard (pantry and various clothing closets), and more.
- The Cottey Outreach and Response Team (C.O.R.T.) serves as an early-alert system to aid in student wellness.
- Peer resources add to student accessibility, including peer listeners and resident assistants.

Supporting Our Students: Key Points continued

- The Kolderie Center hosts disability services, international student support, internship and career planning, study abroad, and our Learning Center/tutoring hub.
- Academic resources are available to every student.
- Additional services promote a safe, healthy, inclusive environment.
- Cottey's small community is strong and promotes support of each student.

Supporting Our Students: Key Points continued

- The P.E.O. Sisterhood is a key partner in promoting student support on campus.
 - Information about support opportunities is available through cottey.edu/peo
- Cottey personnel encourage students to acknowledge the support given and say thank you!
- Cottey may only release directory information, which is shared with s/p/d Cottey chairs and advisers.
- Monetary gifts of \$50.00 or more may impact a student's financial aid package, however this amount does not apply to gift cards.

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Cottey Supports

- Student Wellness Center
- C.O.R.T
- Peer Resources
- Academic Resources
- The “Extras”
- Small Community Relationships

Student Wellness Center



- 2 full-time counselors
- Health provider hours every weekday
- Cottey Cupboard

Student Wellness Center

Physician Offices



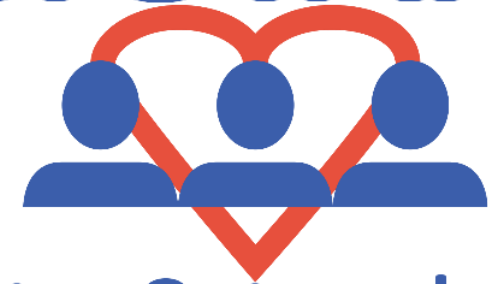
Cottey Cupboard



Cottey Outreach and Response Team (C.O.R.T.)

- Created to aid in student wellness, behavior intervention, and retention management
- Any faculty or professional staff member can submit a C.O.R.T. notice
- Notices are reviewed by a small but diverse team to determine response

C.O.R.T.



Cottey Outreach and
Response Team

Peer Resources

Peer Listeners



Resident Assistants



Peer Resources

Student-Lead Programming

- Peer Listener and Resident Assistant Programs
- Student Clubs and Organizations
- Class Organizations
- Student Government Association
 - Suggestion box

Academic Resources

Kolderie Center

- International Student Support
- Study Abroad
- Disability Services
- Internships and Career Planning
- Learning Center
 - Independent and collaborative work areas
 - Tutoring



Academic Resources

Writing Center

- Trained Peer Tutors
- Written assignments, job documents, scholarship applications, etc.
- No editing, rather, teach editing strategies

Tutoring Center

- Trained Peer Tutors
- Promote proactivity in educational endeavors
- Foster collaborative learning
- Each tutor has specific academic focuses and has often taken the exact classes they tutor for.

Faculty Advisors

- Assist in building a productive class schedule
- Review academic progress and offer educated transfer and career suggestions
- Build supportive relationships in the academic world

The “Extras”

- Career Closet
- Formal Attire Closet
- Housing Hand-Me-Downs
- Bike check-outs
- Security
- Full-time, professional, live-in staff available after hours

Small Community Relationships



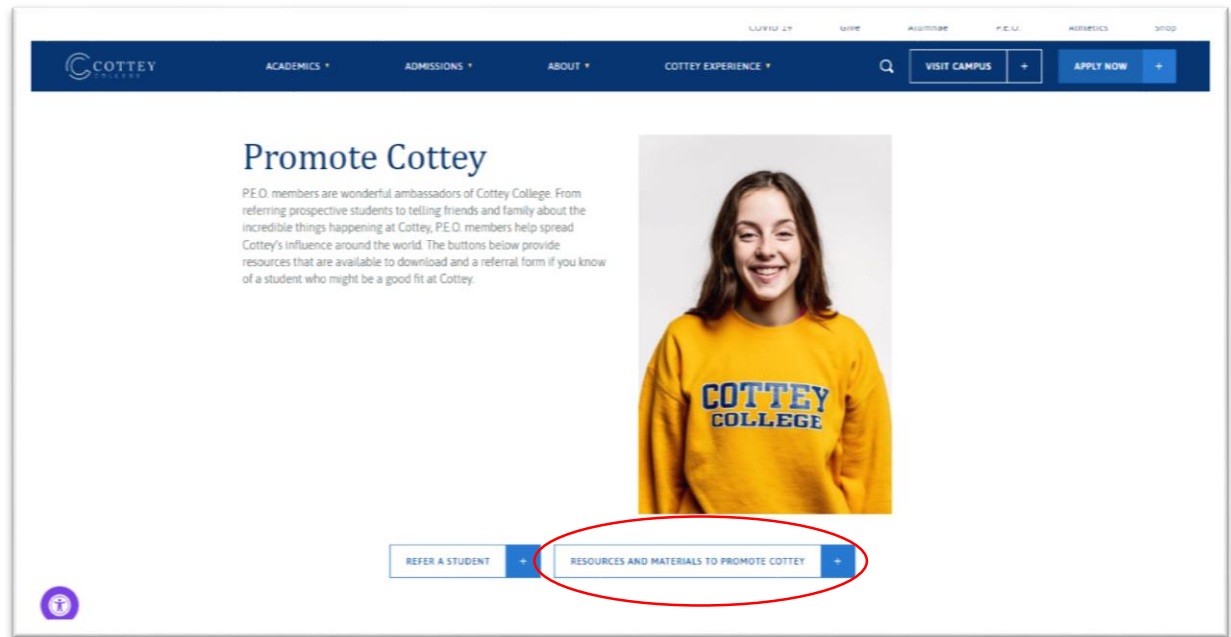
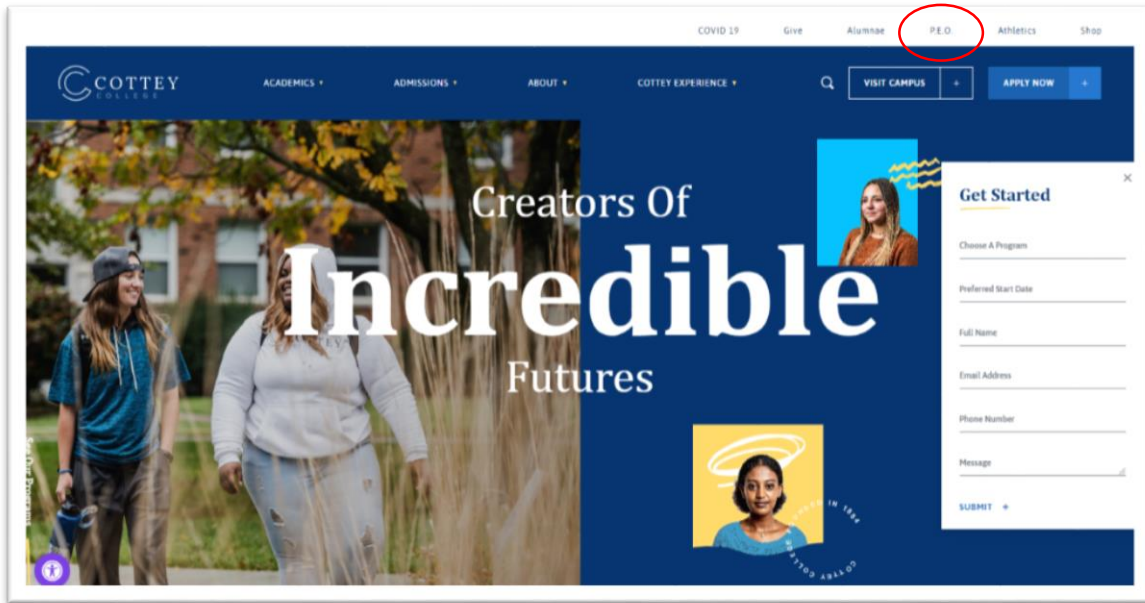
At Cottey, students build strong personal and professional networks. Our small but diverse community fosters close-knit relationships and organically aids in creating well rounded, worldly leaders. Those same close relationships also enable staff, faculty, and even fellow students to better understand the needs and abilities of each student, and offer more intentional and effective support and resource referrals.



P.E.O. Support Opportunities

- Promote Cottey
- Cottey Cash
- Cakes for Cottey
- Support-a-Suite/Student
- Care packages
- Written support
- Things to remember

Promote Cottey



Cotley Cash

- “universal Cotley gift card”
- One Cotley Cash Dollar = One USD
- Cotley Cash can be sent to individual students or to suites
- To order, mail a check to Shaun West in the Student Life office or, if using a credit card, you may use the form on our website.

Cakes for Cotley

- Celebrate your student’s birthday or other special event by sending them a cake!
- A project led by Chapter DW, MO
- Order by email or phone – more info can be found on our website.

Care Packages

Personal Care Packages

- Send to suites or individual students
- Content ideas:
 - Snack foods and single-serving microwavable items like mac and cheese
 - Gum
 - Notebooks, pens, and other school supplies
 - Laundry detergent/pods
 - Gift cards – the more accessible, the better!
 - Hand sanitizer
 - Stamps and stationary
- More ideas and information are available on our website!

Finals Week Care Packages

- Order online or via phone by calling the Student Life office
- \$25 per package, and we take care of everything!
- Packages include items such as chips, nuts, fruit, gum, and a variety of other snacks.
- All proceeds support the Nancy Denman Student Life Scholarship, awarded annually to one or two Cottey students.



Important Details to Remember

- Cottey may only release directory information, we cannot release home addresses
- Each semester, State Cottey Chairs are provided a list of all students that includes the following information:
 - First and Last Name
 - Residence Hall and Suite
 - Birthday (month and day only)
 - Home City, State, Country
- We strongly encourage students to write thank you notes, but we do not monitor that process.
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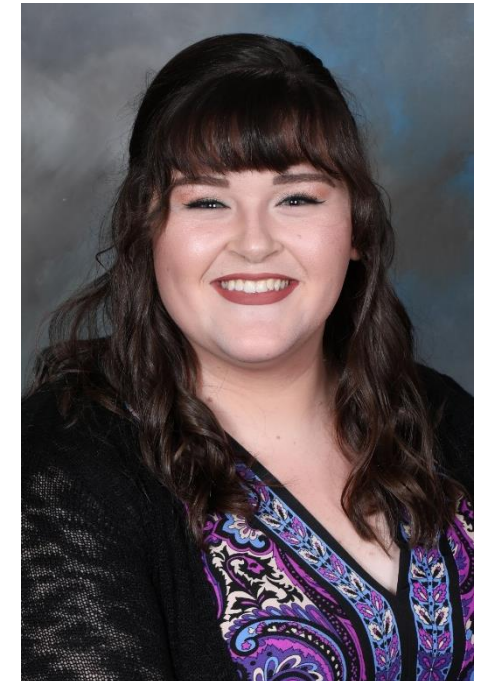
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