

FPC Allen Campus Board Report October 2026

- FPC participated in College Day events at Perryton High School on September 23 and in Canadian on September 24. FPC representatives shared information about the college's workforce training programs and general education opportunities, highlighting the variety of educational pathways available to students. Students from Perryton, Canadian, Booker, Follett, Darrouzett, Miami, Wheeler, and Fort Elliott attended the events, providing FPC with an opportunity to connect with area high school students and promote the college's programs and resources.
- Several Allen Campus students were recognized for their achievements and awarded scholarships during the Scholarship Banquet held on September 29. These awards celebrate students' dedication to their education and help support their continued academic and career goals.
- Monica Hernandez, Rene Schwalk, Abraham Cano, and Misty Stockton have been actively recruiting throughout the fall, visiting area high schools to share information about the educational and career opportunities available at FPC. Their outreach efforts have included visits to Booker, Spearman, Balko, Follett, Ludi Pena Martin Alternative Education Center, and Darrouzett, helping students explore FPC programs and learn how the college can support their educational and career goals.
- The Perryton CDL program is off to a strong start in the 2026–2027 fiscal year, with 29 students receiving training during September and October. Training opportunities included Entry-Level Driver Training (ELDT), bus driver training, and hazardous materials transport training. These programs support workforce development by helping students gain skills and credentials needed to pursue commercial driving careers and meet area workforce demands.
- Karen Metzger represented FPC at the Perryton High School Financial Aid Seminar on September 28. The event provided parents and students with valuable information about planning for life after high school, navigating the college application process, and exploring scholarship and financial aid opportunities. Attendees also learned about the Pathways Scholarship and the resources available to help students pursue their educational goals.
- The Pathways Scholarship Committee recently approved scholarship awards for FPC's continuing education EMT programs, expanding financial assistance opportunities for students pursuing workforce credentials. Students are now eligible for scholarship awards covering up to 60 credit hours of an academic program, 50% of CNA and Phlebotomy program costs, and 25% of CDL and EMT program costs. These expanded opportunities help reduce financial barriers and support students as they pursue educational and career pathways that meet the workforce needs of our region.
- National Coffee Day was celebrated on September 29th with hot and iced coffee and cookies served by Rene Schwalk and student volunteers Gisel Contreras, Fernanda Silva, and Lizett Villanueva. The campus also hosted a small Community Resource Day featuring information tables from Gideons, Pregnancy Support Center of Perryton, Panhandle First Bank, and Security Finance. Students had the opportunity to enjoy refreshments while learning about local businesses, community resources, and available services.
- The Perryton Christian Academy and local homeschool students toured FPC's Perryton facilities on October 30 to learn more about dual credit opportunities and the college and career pathways available through Frank Phillips College.