The Game of Life, an interactive inequality simulation, will take place on Thursday, Jan. 29, at 4:30 p.m. in Room 310B at the Kent Student Center. This event is open to all Kent State University faculty, staff and students, and is meant to be an immersion-style game played with real people, real emotions, but fake money.

The Game of Life event is part of activities marking Kent State’s Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration. The event is co-sponsored by the College of Education, Health and Human Services’ Office of Diversity Outreach and Development, the Student Multicultural Center, Student Accessibility Services, Office of Global Education, the Division of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion’s Special Projects and Initiatives, the Women’s Center, Residence Services and the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Student Center and Black United Students.

“The Game of Life is similar to the board game, but acted out by the participants and the simulation actors. It is a way for individuals within our community to gain a greater awareness of the inequality that exists within our society. It is really a hyper-play on the stereotypes and acts of discrimination that occur around issues of sexuality, gender, race and ability level.”

~ N.J. Akbar, Director, Diversity Outreach and Development

Managing Conflict During Winter Break Move Out:

- Respect others’ possessions.
- Make a weekly chore list for next semester.
- Consider mediation to resolve disputes.
- Deal with conflict in healthy ways.
- Disrespecting one another is the fastest way to conflict.
- Avoiding conflict is not healthy.

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Finals Week Exam Schedule

With finals week soon approaching it is important to know when and where your class is scheduled to take the final. It is possible that the classroom you had a class in is not the same room you will take your final. The time of your final will also be different then your class time during the semester. It seems like a lot! To the contrary, it is actually quite simple. Most Professors will tell you during class when and where your finals. Also, it may be on your syllabus when you finals will be held.

Just in case you do not have the information you need to determine you final exam information please click on the link below. Easy as 1,2,3!!

Final Exam Schedule
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Creating an inclusive and diverse learning environment

Highlighted Student Of The Month: Eric Braxton

Meet Eric Braxton! He is a Senior majoring in Exercise Physiology/Exercise Specialist. He transferred to Kent as a freshman from Youngstown State University where he is a native. Originally wanting to be a nurse but after an injury put him into physical therapy he became interested in the field.

"I am not trying to be the normal Physical Therapist. I want to open my own clinic filled with physical therapists, strength trainers and skills trainers of every major sport! I am particular when it comes to basketball and soccer as I have done both my whole life. Physical Therapy isn't the easiest field to get an education in, as many may have known. I had to learn that the hard way but I haven't lost my excitement for this subject of interest."

There are many professors who he has come into contact with through classes that have not only taught him so much but fueled his interest in many ways. "Professor Jeff Huston is a great Anatomy and Physiology teacher. As I end my time here at Kent, I can say I have obtained knowledge that will definitely benefit me in my future profession."

Coming to Kent has also brought forward new friendships and connections for Eric. He has met many from playing basketball at the recreational and wellness center and working at Eastway on campus. He has not only become friends with fellow students but also professors that seek more than to just teach the subject. Professors and staff like Denise Harrison and Eboni Pringle have done more than their share to ensure that students like Eric stay on the right path and strive to be great. "I hope to keep in touch with the great friends I've come in contact with."

"Freshmen who are looking into the field of Physical Therapy I give you this advice; study hard, ask questions, enjoy the amenities this campus has to offer, and live life to the fullest while you're in college. We are supposed to work hard, yes, but all work and no play just doesn't coincide with the meaning of college life."
~ Eric Braxton