



EMCC began their inaugural chapter of the National Society of Leadership and Success (NSLS) spring 2024, becoming the first Community College in the state of Mississippi to have a chapter. The NSLS is the nation's largest leadership honor society. In addition to honoring excellence, the NSLS provides a step-by-step accredited program for members to build their leadership skills and the option to earn college credit. Upon completion of the program, members receive their leadership certificate and take their place among the top student leaders on their campus and across the country. Membership is for life and provides access to benefits including scholarships and awards, employer recruitment through an online job bank, and discounts on computers, textbooks, grad school prep courses, insurance, and much more.

As we embark on this exciting journey, the inaugural chapter represents more than just the launch of a new program. It symbolizes the college's dedication to its values and its vision for the future. It's a commitment to providing an education that is not only comprehensive and challenging but also adaptable and forward-thinking.

In conclusion, the inauguration of this chapter at our college is a pivotal moment that reflects our aspirations for a brighter, more inclusive future. It's an invitation to students, faculty, and the wider community to engage and contribute to the legacy of our institution. As we move forward, we do so with the knowledge that this inaugural chapter is just the beginning of a transformative journey that will leave a lasting impact on our college and the world beyond.

Eligible students were sent invitations to join the chapter in January. The last day to join is Friday, February 9th, 2024. Advisors for the program are Teretha Conner and Jessica Scarbrough.



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