



## Retro Revival

May 2025 Edition

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# Congratulations Northern Kentucky University Class of 2025!

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We made it through another school year! As the 24-25 academic school year comes to an end, we want to help you prep for finals, celebrate your accomplishments, and find your summer style!

# May Mannequins: NKU Counseling Services Takeover

This Month, NKU's Counseling Services is taking over at the mannequins at the Care Closet @ NKU. Counseling Services provides comprehensive mental health education and assistance to students, staff, and faculty here at NKU. Located in UC 440, Counseling Services fosters student success and encourages fulfillment, both personally and professionally, among the NKU community. They are always available to help students, and if you or someone you know would benefit from a visit, check out the link on their [webpage](#).



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**Health, Counseling  
& Student Wellness**  
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## Important Dates & Reminders

- **May 5-9:** Final Examinations
- **May 10:** Commencement
- **May 12:** First day of Summer semester classes
- **May 20:** Last day to register or enter a course, Last day to drop with a 100% tuition adjustment
- **May 26:** Memorial Day - University Closed/No Classes
- **May 29:** Last day to drop with a 50% tuition adjustment, Last day to drop a course without a grade appearing on a student's transcript
- **May 31:** Deadline for filing application for degree candidacy for Fall graduation with the Office of the Registrar.

Click [here](#) for more important dates throughout the semester.

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# END OF YEAR SURVIVAL KIT



We know that the end of the year can be an extraordinarily hectic time for students with finals, graduation, interviews, and end-of-year extracurricular activities wrapping things out for the semester. However, UCAP-CC-FUEL team is here to help! Cramming for finals? Stop by FUEL and pick up some late night snacks. Worried about scholarships or funding for next semester? Our UCAP office can help. Scrambling to find professional clothing for that internship interview? The Care Closet @ NKU would love to assist in finding that perfect outfit. You have so many tools in your End of Year Survival Kit, so make sure to utilize all the resources available to you this month.

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## *Donate Your NKU Swag!*

Calling all Norse! Come help a future Norse out by donating your NKU spirit wear! This is an excellent way to give back and welcome incoming students to campus (and you get free Karma points from Victor E. Viking). Donate your extra merch so every Norse will have access to the Norse spirit! If your organization requires service hours, we would love to offer 1 service hour for your donations!

Until supplies lasts, we will have a free Bath and Body Works product for your donations thanks to our sponsor, the Newport Care Closet!

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# ***Keep Your Hats On!* How to Guide: Surviving the Windiest Campus in Kentucky with Our NKU Style Tips**

Northern Kentucky University is often credited with being one of the, if not *the*, windiest campuses in the entire state. Thanks to its Brutalist architecture, with clean lines and narrow passageways, wind funnels through campus, intensifying gusts that leave students with tousled hair, chills, and lost hats. But fear not! Here are a few simple solutions to combat NKU's notorious winds in style.

- **Bangs Blown Astray?**

If a sudden gust ruins your perfectly styled bangs, try clear lash glue. Apply a thin line along your forehead to keep those fine hairs in place—no more mid-stride fixes. Affordable lash glue can be found at Meijer or Kroger.

- **Cardigan or Sweater Slipping?**

Keep an on-the-go case of safety pins (available for free at the Care Closet @ NKU!) in your backpack. Pin your garment discreetly from the inside for a seamless hold. Bonus: They're also handy for emergency wardrobe malfunctions!

- **Chilled by Sideways Wind and Rain?**

Kentucky weather is unpredictable, so always carry a windbreaker. Check out the Care Closet @ NKU for affordable options. Lightweight and packable, windbreakers break up gusts as they hit you—making them a must-have for surviving NKU's breezy campus.

With these tips, you'll stay stylish and (relatively) wind-proof all semester long!



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## UCAP and Gown Reminders

### Quick Reminders for Finals Week

- **UCAP and Gown Pickup:**  
UCAP and Gowns can be picked up during Finals Week at the Care Closet (UC 142) from 9:30 AM to 3:30 PM.
- **UCAP and Gown Return:**  
Gowns can be returned May 10-16 between 10:00 AM and 3:00 PM at the following locations:
  - **UCAP Office (UC 120)** during normal office hours.
  - **Campus Recreation Center** outside of office hours.
    - May 10: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
    - May 11: 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM
    - May 12-16: 6:30 AM - 9:00 PM

NKU students are encouraged to **donate any unwanted textbooks to UCAP** and **any NKU Swag to the Care Closet** so that future generations of Norse can show off their Norse Pride!

# Find Your Vintage Vibe

Discover Your Style >



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