



**NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM**  
*H. Martin Lancaster, President*

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Presidents, Instructional Administrators, Network Administrators, Distance Learning Administrators, and System Administrators.

**FROM:** Janyth Fredrickson

**RE:** Virtual Learning Community Newsletter

A digital copy of the fourth issue of our "Creating a Virtual Learning Community" newsletter has been sent to your email address. This issue contains important information about release of the first ten Virtual Learning Community courses. It also contains information about training efforts around the system and upcoming developments in online student support services. In addition, there are articles about how to retain students in online courses and how to combine online elements into face-to-face courses.

You may forward the file or print copies and distribute them to others at your college. Five paper copies will be mailed to you in case you have difficulties printing the digital version. Previous issues are archived on the System Office web page at [http://www.ncccs.cc.nc.us/Distance\\_Learning/distance\\_education.htm](http://www.ncccs.cc.nc.us/Distance_Learning/distance_education.htm)

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