

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508**  
**County of Cook and State of Illinois**

[Financial Aid Awareness Day]  
**MALCOLM X COLLEGE**

**THE CHANCELLOR**

**REPORTS** that on February 28, 2008, the Malcolm X College Office of Student Financial Aid held its annual Financial Aid Awareness Event. This event was hosted in the Student Union from 10am – 6pm. Sarah Wahab from ISAC (Illinois Student Assistance Commission) and Vania Doss (District Office-Development) were present to assist and share information with students and parents regarding state grant programs and scholarship opportunities. This event has been one of many efforts to promote early completion of the 2008-2009 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). Several marketing strategies were employed to generate student interest and awareness; and

that bulk mailing efforts were implemented to notify students as well as CPS (Chicago Public School) principals of this event. Information regarding the various workshops has also been added to the Malcolm X College homepage and mass-email messages were transmitted to all student email accounts. Prizes, including 4 IPODS, were raffled to students who successfully completed their 2008-2009 FAFSA. A total of 72 students were serviced during this event. Additional workshops have been scheduled in an effort to further assist students with FAFSA completion.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chancellor

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