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Dear Westminster Students:

I hope your summer is going well and that you are as excited as am I to begin the new academic year this fall. I was recently named Westminster's next VPAA/Dean of Faculty and I cannot wait to get started! Great things are happening at Westminster College!

In May of this year I completed my 40th year in higher education (I'm really not THAT old!). Most of those years I was a professor of political science but I have also held a variety of administrative posts over the years. I applied for Westminster's position specifically because it allows me to return to my roots at an outstanding school that cares about its students and their success.

As an administrator my greatest fear is losing touch with the students because my entire career has been student-centered. I want to do everything possible to continue that tradition at Westminster. Consequently, I plan to attend as many campus events as possible, to have lunch in the dining hall, and to wander around campus as time permits. Always feel free to stop me and introduce yourself or to visit my office in Westminster Hall (I have a very nice coffee maker!). I also hope you will be certain I'm invited to any events at which you would like my attendance. I promise to attend whenever possible.

Always let me know if you have concerns or suggestions for improving the student experience at Westminster College. You are the reason we are here!

Sincerely,

Dr. David Roebuck  
Vice President for Academic Affairs  
Dean of Faculty