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Triton College Meal Pantry Receives \$711 Grant from 7-Eleven in Melrose Park



Triton College representatives along with 7-Eleven staff pose with a \$711 check that will be donated to the Triton College Meal Pantry.

RIVER GROVE, III. – 7-Eleven, located at 120 W. North Ave in Melrose Park, held their grand opening and ribbon cutting on Thursday, Aug. 3, featuring giveaways, balloon vendors, games and free Slurpees. 7-Eleven also presented a \$711 grant to the Triton College Meal Pantry.

The grant is a part of 7-Eleven's Project A-Game, a community outreach program dedicated to providing opportunities through education. Project A-Game has awarded more than 5,000 grants, with a community investment of more than \$3.5 million.

7-Eleven hopes that their contribution will help students who utilize Triton's Meal Pantry.

"We appreciate 7-Eleven for assisting with the Triton College Meal Pantry and we're looking forward to this great partnership," said Julia Willis, dean of Students.

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Triton College is a two-year college dedicated to helping members of the 25 Western Cook County communities in our district and beyond to achieve educational, professional and personal success. Located in River Grove, Ill., Triton offers more than 120 degree and certificate programs on its 110-acre campus, featuring a comfortable, friendly and diverse atmosphere. Triton also holds classes at satellite locations and offers online learning opportunities. Triton's dedicated faculty and staff work to provide high quality, convenient and affordable educational opportunities to more than 14,000 students each year. Triton College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission. Learn more at <u>http://www.triton.edu/</u>.

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