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Student of the Month for Apr. 2015

Student Support Services of Labette Community College, announces the April Student of the Month, Chelsea LaPee, of Chetopa, KS. LaPee, a Liberal Studies major, anticipates entering a health science program at LCC this fall.

"Once I complete my education here at LCC," LaPee said, "I then plan to get a job in the health field."

In addition to her studies at LCC, Chelsea also serves as a Student Ambassador and is a pitcher for the softball team. In 2014 for the Lady Cardinals, she was named honorable mention All-Kansas Jayhawk Conference and second team All-Region.

LaPee counts her mother Debbie Green, LCC
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Nursing Program graduate and former SSS participant, as her greatest educational inspiration. She continued, "Rikke Mitchell, my SSS Academic Advisor, inspires me to believe in myself and helps me to reach for my goals."

Student Support Services is a TRIO Program funded by the United States
Department of Education to improve the persistence, transfer, and graduation rates
of first-generation and income-eligible college students at LCC. Student Support
Services serves 215 students each year with an annual budget of \$300,916

