



"I am thankful that the SCC Foundation supports faculty and staff mini grants. I was thrilled to receive the 2021 Foundation Mini Grant. The grant allowed for meeting student objectives while also serving the community through a service learning project. During the 2021 summer semester occupational therapy assistant students planned and implemented a virtual handwriting camp that served over 20 students in our surrounding service area. Participating children received a tote bag full of activities that were demonstrated in videos made by the OTA students that would improve handwriting skills as well as fine motor, gross motor, social skills, and visual perceptual skills. This project was of great benefit to the community because many children had limited exposure to handwriting skills in the school setting during that year due to the pandemic."

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