

Parent and Family Engagement

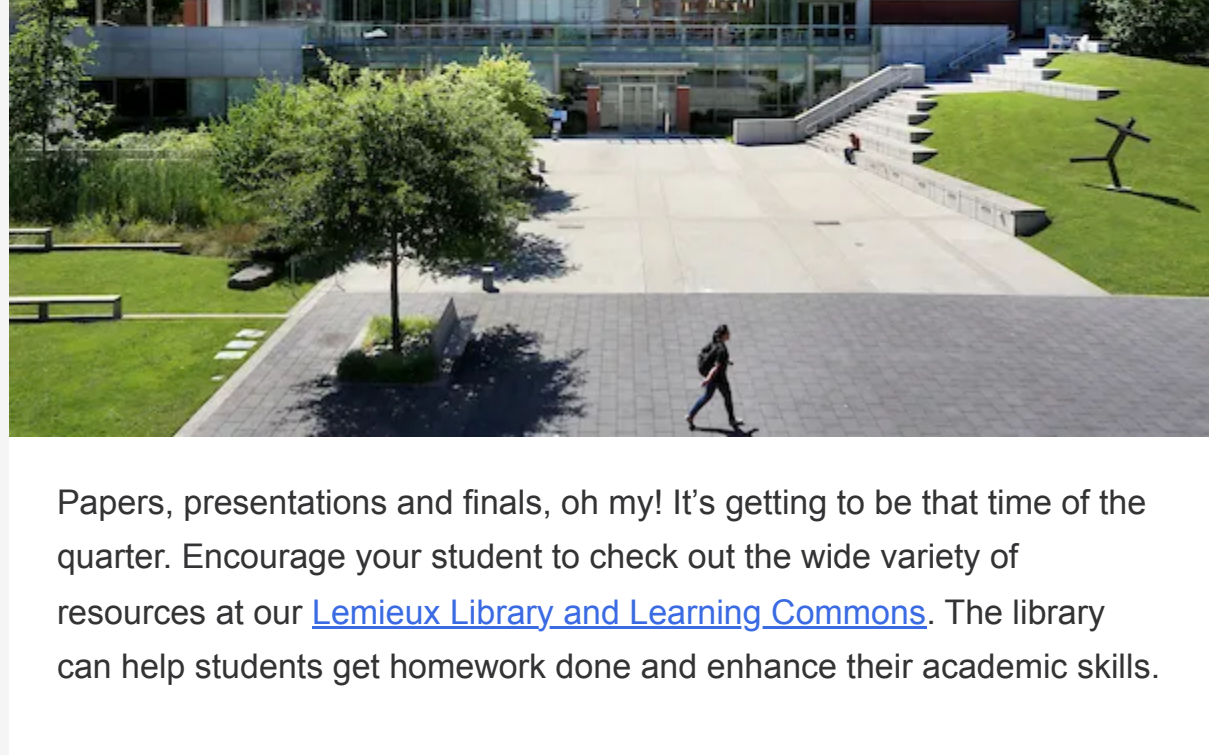
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Welcome to “***Family Connections***”, our Seattle U family e-newsletter. We know how important parents and families are to our students’ success. Our goal is to keep you updated on campus happenings and share information pertinent to parenting a college student.



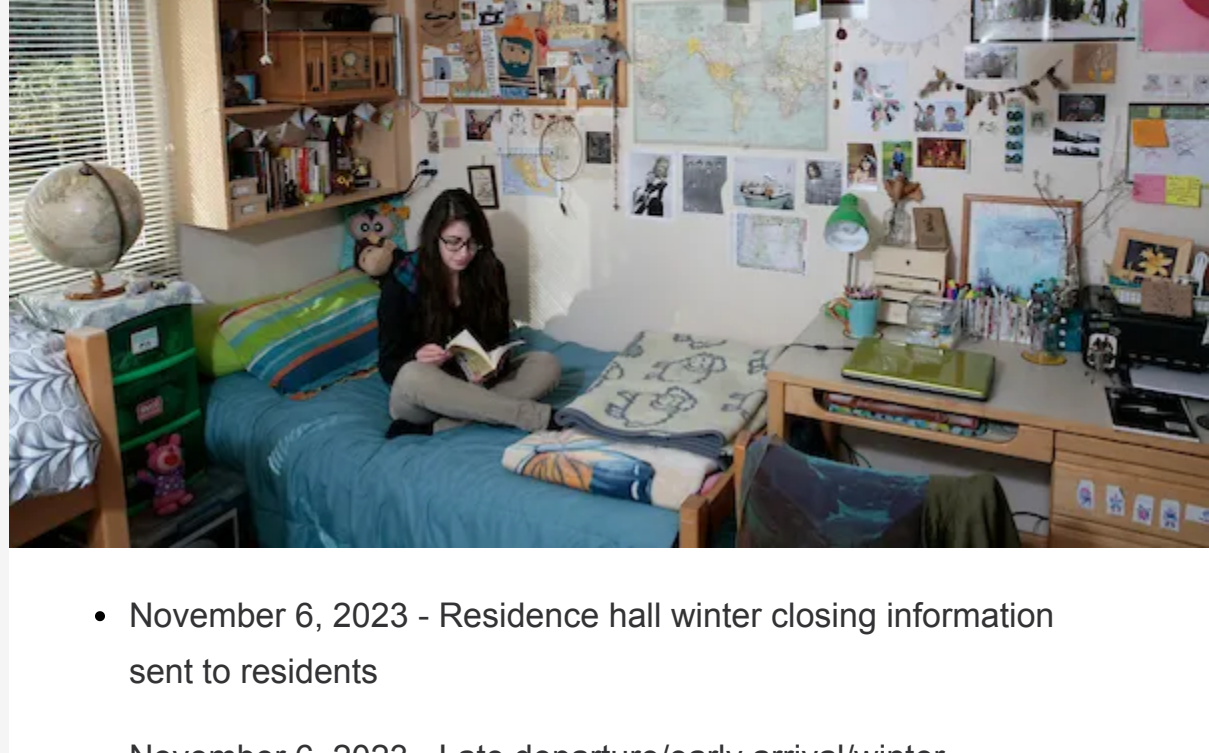
SEATTLE U PARENTS & FAMILIES

Lemieux Library Resources




Papers, presentations and finals, oh my! It’s getting to be that time of the quarter. Encourage your student to check out the wide variety of resources at our [Lemieux Library and Learning Commons](#). The library can help students get homework done and enhance their academic skills.

Important Housing Dates



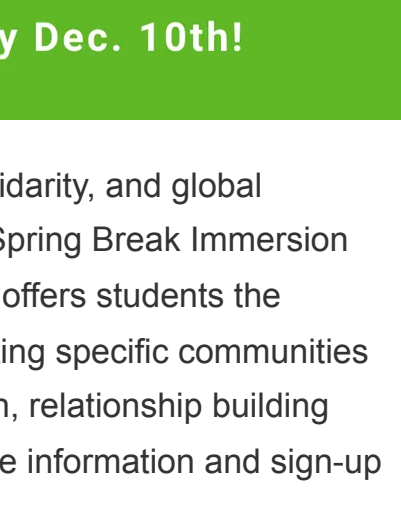


- November 6, 2023 - Residence hall winter closing information sent to residents
- November 6, 2023 - Late departure/early arrival/winter occupancy request opens on the [Housing portal](#); deadline to submit by November 30, 2023
- November 10, 2023 - Veteran's Day: no classes
- November 21, 2023 - Preliminary Winter/Spring 2024 room assignments released*
- November 24-27, 2023 - Thanksgiving break: no classes
- November 30, 2023 - deadline to submit late departure/early arrival/winter occupancy request
- December 2, 2023 - Last class day
- December 4-9, 2023 - Final exam week
- December 9, 2023 - Residence Halls close at noon for Winter Break
- December 10 - December 31 - Winter Break
- December 22, 2023 - Housing and most University offices close for Winter Break
- January 1, 2024- New and returning student move in
- January 2, 2024 - University offices open
- January 3, 2024- Winter Quarter classes begin

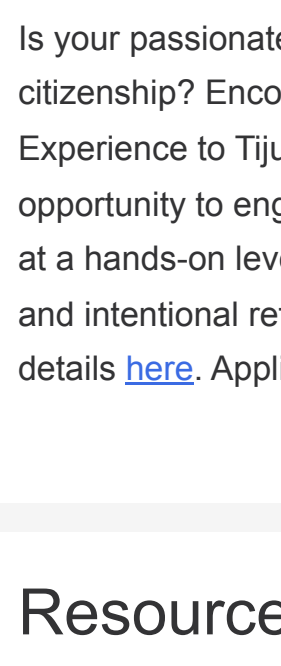
Spring Break Immersion



SPRING BREAK IMMERSION 2024

- ✓ Learn about immigration, just housing, and border relations
- ✓ Visit border wall and discuss issues/polices surrounding it
- ✓ Work side-by-side with Mexican families





TIJUANA, MEXICO

Scan the QR code to apply by Dec. 10th!

Is your passionate about service, spirituality, solidarity, and global citizenship? Encourage them to apply for SU's Spring Break Immersion Experience to Tijuana, Mexico! This experience offers students the opportunity to engage with justice issues impacting specific communities at a hands-on level through formation, education, relationship building and intentional reflection. Students can find more information and sign-up details [here](#). Applications are due Dec. 10.

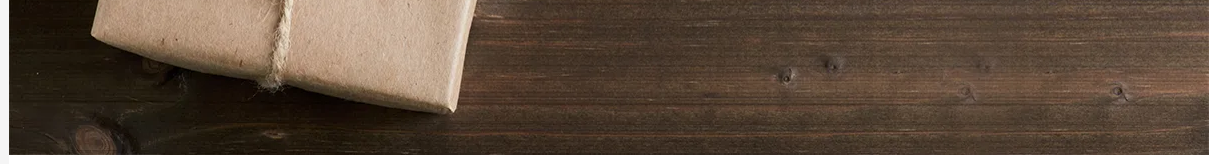
Resources for student transitions



The academic year is in full swing and your students are very busy.

- Whether you have a new student, one that is partway through their SU journey or one ready to be launched into the “real world” at the end of the academic year, your ongoing support is one of the key things that sustains them.
- The Parent & Family Engagement Office is pleased to offer you these parent resources related to these important academic year transitions. Download the free ebooks [here](#). Enter promocode: **Redhawk2023**

Care Packages



CARE PACKAGES

Does your student have a birthday coming up? Do they need an extra boost to get through the end of the quarter? Check out these [care packages](#) from our Redhawk Dining team. (Scroll down to the bottom of the page.)

Gratitude



In this season of gratitude, we are grateful for you, our Redhawk families for all the ways you support your student and Seattle U. Thank you!

November questions to ask your Redhawk:

What are you doing for self care?

Tell me about the friends you've made?

Important links for you...

THIRD PARTY ACCESS TO STUDENT FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

There are two types of suggested access that students may give to parents or supporters.

Proxy Access allows family/supporter to speak to SFS Office about account status, balance, award letter, and required documentation.

Authorized User Access allows family/supporter login access view billing and payment information, setup payment plans, see tax documents, and get email notifications about billing invoicing. [Check out our video](#) for step-by-step instructions for how a student can set up Proxy and Authorized User access for family or supporters.

CAMPUS HAPPENINGS/IMPORTANT DATES

Keep track of important academic dates with the [Academic Calendar](#).

See club events and student activities on [ConnectSU](#).

Check out upcoming [Music, Theatre and Gallery Openings](#).

Show your SU Redhawk Spirit! Info on [Athletic Events](#).

PARENT AND FAMILY FACEBOOK GROUP

We invite you to join our [Seattle U Parents and Families](#) Facebook group. Be part of this virtual community just for SU parents and families! Share your experiences, ask questions and support one another. You are important members of the Redhawk family!

Do you have a topic you would like us to cover? Please let us know at parents@seattleu.edu.

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