



# UNLEASH *TOMORROW*



ST. CLOUD STATE  
UNIVERSITY

Parent & Family Welcome



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## Parents and Families

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### Welcome to the Husky Family!

We recognize you play an important role in your student's college experience.

Use this website to access student support services, to discover campus events and to find contact information for campus offices.

When we work together, students receive consistent messages, learn to navigate the University system and develop the skills to be global citizens of the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

### Join the Husky Family Hub!

Student success improves when parents and families are engaged in their student's college experience. Our goal is to provide you with the information and resources you need to help your student navigate the challenges, opportunities and responsibilities of college life at St. Cloud State.

When you sign up to join the Husky Family Hub, you'll find all the information you need, in one convenient location. You'll find campus news, upcoming events and deadlines, and posts geared toward your interests.

Use the link below to sign up and access the information you need, when you need it.

**ST. CLOUD STATE HUSKY FAMILY HUB**

# ***Agenda***

**Partnership and Roles**

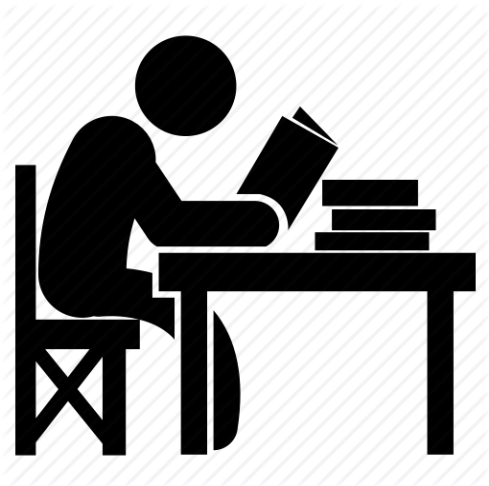
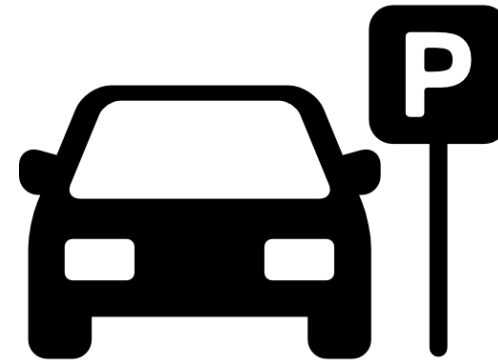
**Discuss the college transition**

**Share student success strategies**

**Introduce St. Cloud State University student support resources**

**Answer your questions**

# ***Transitioning to University Life***



# ***Tips for First Semester Success***



**MAKING  
CONNECTIONS**



**ATTEND CLASSES**



**GET TO KNOW  
FACULTY & STAFF**



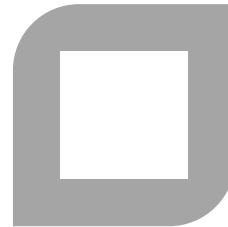
**USE A WEEKLY  
SCHEDULE**



**GET TO KNOW YOUR  
STUDENT SUCCESS  
TEAM**



**ASK FOR HELP EARLY**



**LEARN TO USE SCSU  
TECHNOLOGY**

# ***Your Changing Role***

- **Manager to mentor—LISTEN, LISTEN, LISTEN....**
- **Encourage independence—Provide support and ask them what they want to do.**
- **Offer gentle "nudges"**
- **Maintain perspective**
- **Conversation starters**



# *Academics*

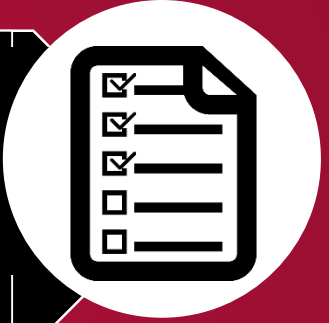


# Tips for College Success



Use the Career Center early

Stay Organized +  
Use a Schedule



Visit the Library

Utilize Professor  
Office Hours



Use tutors &  
support offices

Use your  
Success Team





# Success Teams



Career  
Counselor

Academic  
Advisor



Hall  
Director



Success  
Coach



Financial Aid  
Advisor

Athletics, Honors,  
ISSS, MSS, TRIO



# Tutoring Services @ SCSU

On campus, online  
and 24/7 tutoring:

[Tutoring Resources at SCSU](#)



**Encourage your Husky to start using tutors early in the semester and make it a habit.  
Thousands of tutor appointments are logged each year!**



# Making Connections

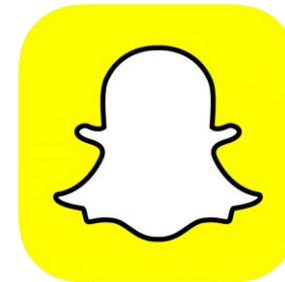


- Huskies First Four
- SCSU has over 200 student organizations
- Huskies Connect:  
[Huskiesconnect.stcloudstate.edu](https://huskiesconnect.stcloudstate.edu)



# *Support Centers*

- Multicultural Student Services (MSS)
- American Indian Center (AIC)
- Women's Center
- Veterans Resource Center
- Lindgren Childcare Center
- Student Accessibility Services (SAS)
- LGBT Resource Center
- Recovery Resource Center
- TRIO Student Support Services
- ***And many more!***



***Follow these departments on social media to learn about campus events & opportunities!***



# Finances



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- **Increase financial literacy:** [Financing an Education | St. Cloud State University \(stcloudstate.edu\)](https://www.stcloudstate.edu/financing-education)
- **Share financial expectations**
- **Review financial plan and FAFSA award**



# *Health*



# ***Eastman Hall: Center for Health & Wellness Innovation***

- **Medical Clinic**

- Doctors and Nurse Practitioners right on campus. You can schedule on-line, call, or walk-in.

- **Counseling & Psychological Services (CAPS)**

- Offerings include: assessment and counseling, individual and group therapy, seminars, and consultation provided by Mental Health Professionals. Students can request an appointment online.

- **Wellness Coaching**

- Free opportunity to discuss personal goals with another student in a collaborative and encouraging environment.

- **Recovery Resource Center**

- Supports students in or seeking recovery from a substance use disorder or other addictive behaviors.







# Campus Recreation

## “Something for Everyone”

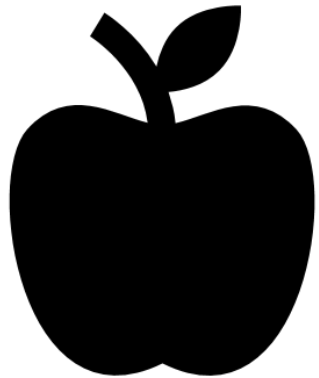
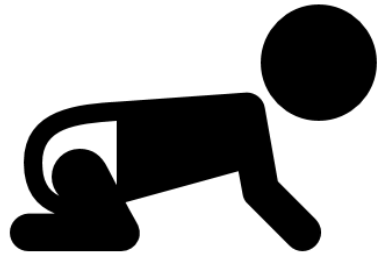
- Intramurals & Club Sports
- Fitness Center: *Free weights, rowing, treadmills, Stairmasters*
- Group X Classes: *Yoga, ZUMBA, Step, Express Abs, Pilates*
- Outdoor Endeavors & Rock Climbing Wall
- Open Ice Skating & Swimming Pool
- Fieldhouse & Martial Arts rooms
- E Sports

**Memberships:**  
*Very affordable!*

***Try us this weekend!***



## *Meeting Student Needs*





# ***Student Code of Conduct at SCSU***

## **Student Code of Conduct:**

- Student rights and responsibilities
- Expectations for student behavior and process if students are not living up to those expectations
- Assures every Husky can achieve their educational and personal goals

## **Office of Community Standards:**

- Supports student learning, personal growth, and citizenship
- Addresses actions both on and off-campus
- Being found responsible for serious violations could result in suspension or expulsion from SCSU

## **Common violations include:**

- Use or possession of alcohol and other drugs
  - Sexual Violence
  - Academic integrity
  - Misuse of property
- Non-compliance with University staff



**The Student Code of Conduct can be found at:**  
***[stcloudstate.edu/studenthandbook/code](http://stcloudstate.edu/studenthandbook/code)***





*Communication*



# ***Communication***

- **Encourage your student to begin checking Huskynet E-mail regularly**
- **FERPA**
- **Emergency situations**
- **Communication plan (discuss how often you want your student to check in with you...daily, weekly, etc?)**



***Safety***

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- **Public Safety Department (have your student sign up for the [Safe@St.Cloud](#) App)**
- [www.stcloudstate.edu/publicsafety](http://www.stcloudstate.edu/publicsafety)
- **Personal safety**
- **Care of property**
- **On-line safety (not sharing your personal information)**
- **Star Alert (students will automatically be signed up)**







# *Keeping in Touch*



# ***Sign Up for the Husky Family Hub***

- Notice of info and events
  - Personalized updates
  - Newsfeed & articles to save/share
  - Tips to help your student navigate
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- [www.stcloudstate.edu/parents](http://www.stcloudstate.edu/parents)



# ***Important Dates***

<b>Aug. 18-21</b>	<b>Huskies First Four Begins &amp; Move-In Day Convocation 3:00 followed by Parent &amp; Family Social</b>
<b>Aug. 22</b>	<b>Day and Evening Classes Begin</b>
<b>Sept. 17</b>	<b>Family Day 2022</b>
<b>Oct. 18-22</b>	<b>Homecoming 2022</b>
<b>Nov. 21-25</b>	<b>Thanksgiving break</b>
<b>Dec. 9</b>	<b>Last day of fall term classes</b>
<b>Dec. 12-15</b>	<b>Final exams</b>
<b>Dec. 19- Jan. 6</b>	<b>Winter Break</b>



# ***Your Questions and Feedback***

- Please send your questions to:  
[huskyfamilyhub@stcloudstate.edu](mailto:huskyfamilyhub@stcloudstate.edu)

Dean of Students:

- Jen Sell Matzke (320) 308-3111 or [jsmatzke@stcloudstate.edu](mailto:jsmatzke@stcloudstate.edu)