



THE COMPASS CHRONICLE

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER FOR USF ST. PETERSBURG CAMPUS
FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

FALL 2020

We are excited to welcome you and your student to The University of South Florida St. Petersburg. This is an exciting time and we are here to celebrate with you! You will be receiving this newsletter throughout the fall semester updating you on important events, institutional updates, and opportunities. Throughout this edition, we invite you to learn about Week of Welcome, the New Student and Family Toolkit, and Important Dates.

Our tradition of Convocation looks different this year!
Tune in at 11:00 AM on the [COMPASS Website](#) to hear video message from USF. St. Petersburg leadership.
There is no live portion to this virtual event.



THE UNIVERSITY OF
SOUTH FLORIDA
ST. PETERSBURG
WELCOMES YOU TO

VIRTUAL CONVOCATION

We invite you and your family to join us as we welcome the class of 2024 and celebrate the beginning of your academic journey

Saturday, August 22nd 11:00 AM

stpetersburg.usf.edu/student-life/compass



PEER COACH REVEAL

*For students who are beginning this fall semester**

Make sure your student joins us for one of our very favorite events of the whole year: **Peer Coach Reveal!** Your student's Peer Coach will be their go-to person for all their questions. Have your student join us on Teams this coming Saturday, 8/22, from 4:00 to 6:00 PM to find out who their Peer Coach is!



FALL WOW & FIRST THIRTY DAYS

WOW stands for Week of Welcome. There are several WOW signature events for your student to enjoy.

First 30 includes all the events happening during the First 30 days for you. There are a ton of events from all of the different offices at USF St. Petersburg.

Virtual Events? How Does this Work? Under each event in the WOW Booklet there will be a link, or it will direct you to the platform the event will be hosted on. Make sure to follow all of the social media accounts for the different offices and to direct you to the



Articles For You

- [Heading back to school: Students share their advice, expectations and concerns about fall 2020](#)
- [Responding to Coronavirus](#)

HELPFUL LINKS

NEW STUDENT & FAMILY TOOLKIT

As you and your student transition into the University of South Florida- St. Petersburg, we know there will be a lot of questions and uncertainty. USF has developed this [New Student & Family Toolkit](#) to help guide you and your student through this transition. In this toolkit you can find updated information on USF's response to COVID-19, quick links to resources on campus, and information on how your student can get involved virtually.



IMPORTANT DATES:

August 21: Last day to register for Fall 2020 without late fee

August 24: Fall classes begin

August 28: Drop/add ends

Fee liability/tuition payment deadline

Last day to submit Fall residency reclassification applications

