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Inaugural Class of Presidential Ambassadors Announced

Florida Southern College proudly announces its Inaugural Class of Presidential Ambassadors, a select group of 15 students chosen to represent the College and embody its values of academic excellence, leadership and service.

Presidential Ambassadors were nominated by Florida Southern College faculty and staff, and selected by campus reviewers. Students hold a term of 15 months, and their terms are renewable through their graduation from FSC. Ambassadors serve as official representatives of the college, participating in significant events, initiatives, and programs to promote the college's mission and values.

These student leaders play a vital role in fostering community and engagement within the college and beyond and will collaborate closely with college administration, faculty, staff, and alumni to enhance the student experience at FSC. "We are thrilled to have such an impressive group of students representing Florida Southern College," said President Anne Kerr. "The Presidential Ambassadors program aims to recognize and involve students who exemplify the spirit of Florida Southern College both on and off campus."

For more information, please visit the FSC website ([link](#)).

9th Annual Mother's Day Dinner

Please consider joining us on Thursday, May 30 for the 9th Annual Mother's Day Dinner and hear from our featured speakers: former first daughters and #1 *New York Times* bestselling authors Jenna Bush Hager and Barbra Pierce Bush. Bush Hager and Pierce Bush are celebrated for their varied contributions to literature, social impact, and global health. Co-authors of bestselling titles *Sisters First* and *The Superpower Sisterhood*, the twin sisters draw

inspiration from their own families for their latest work, *Love Comes First*.

Individual tickets start at \$100, and sponsorship opportunities are available. All proceeds from the Mother's Day Dinner benefit the Roberts Academy Scholarship Fund ([link](#)).



Florida Southern College School of Architecture Announced for Fall 2025

We are proud to announce the establishment of the Florida Southern College School of Architecture on our historic Frank Lloyd Wright campus. Set to open fall 2025, this groundbreaking initiative marks a significant milestone in the College's commitment to architectural education and preservation and offers unparalleled opportunities for students to learn and excel in the field of architecture.



Full press release [here](#).



Fall Housing Update

The summer has just begun, but it's not too early to begin planning for Fall 2024 Move-in. Please encourage your Moc to visit the Office of Community Living's Fall Opening webpage ([link](#)) and review the Move-in Guide ([link](#)).

Important Upcoming Dates:

- May 30: Roberts Academy's 9th Annual Mother's Day Dinner
- July 15: Fall Student Account Balance Due Date
 - Students must have paid at least 10% of a payment plan.
 - International students must pay for the first semester in full.
- August 18-19: Move-in for Returning Students
- August 20: Fall Term Classes Begin
- August 26: Family Weekend Registration Opens
- October 4-6: Family Weekend
- October 14-18: Fall Break
- For the complete 2024-25 Academic Calendar, please visit the [FSC website](#).

Did You Know?

- FSC students may purchase discounted Disney Theme Park tickets. Through this discount, even out-of-state students pay 18% off of Florida resident prices. The link to purchase tickets is on the [FSC Portal](#) under "Resources" (after log-in).
- A full list of community discounts for FSC students may be found on the [Student Government Association webpage \(link\)](#).
- FOX 13 News Tampa Bay recently featured a story on the Morning Grind, FSC's experiential on-campus learning lab. Check out the story and video [here \(link\)](#). Morning Grind is closed for the summer but reopens on August 26.
- The Hollis Wellness Center offers personal training and nutrition coaching for students! Students should visit the Wellness Center and speak to a staff member for more information.
- Have a question but not sure where to send it? The "Submit a Question" button on [FSC's Parents and Families page](#) is your two-click solution to finding the answers you seek.

Florida Southern has a page for parents and family members.

Counseling Services

Florida Southern offers free, confidential, individual counseling and support groups.

Student Health Center

In partnership with Lakeland Regional Health, FSC provides quality, accessible health care. Walk-ins are welcome.

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