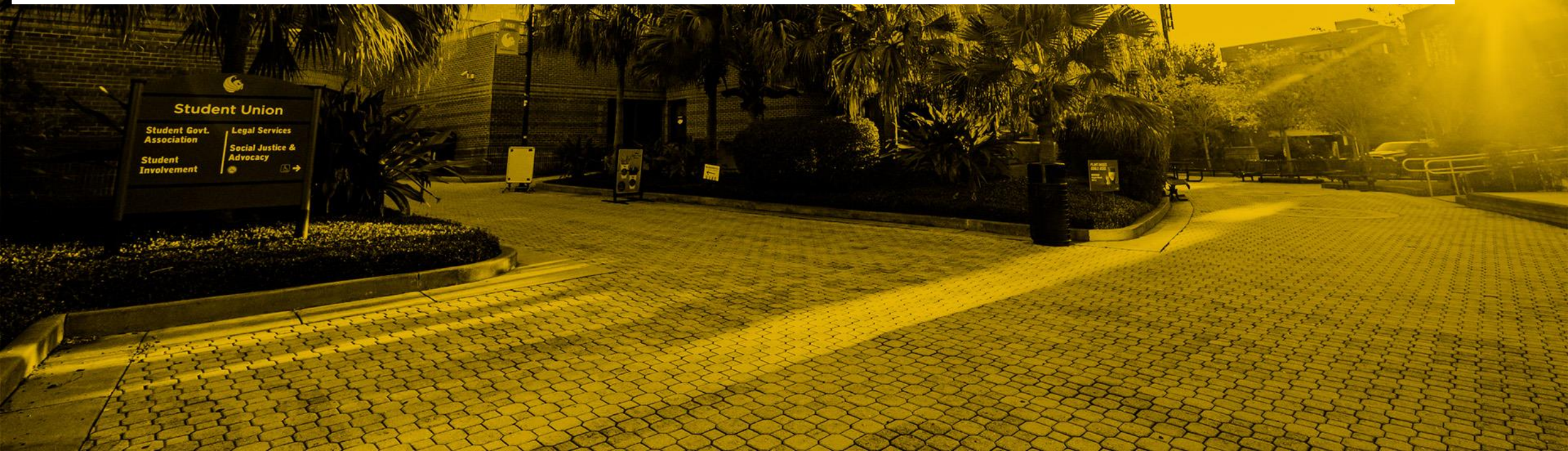




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# **Knight to Knight: Connecting on Campus**

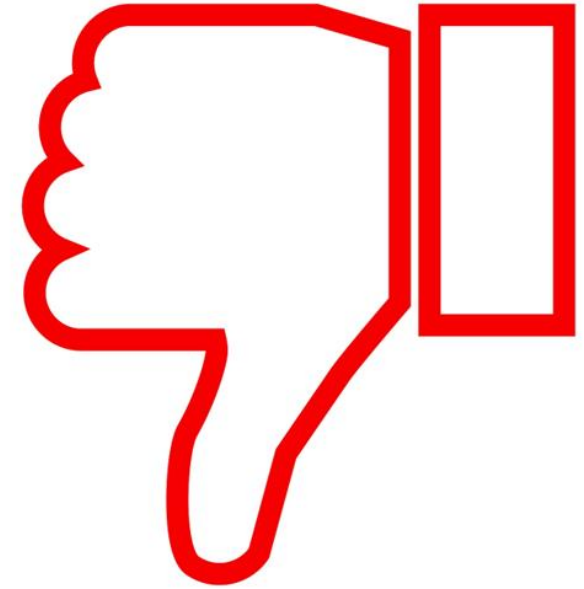
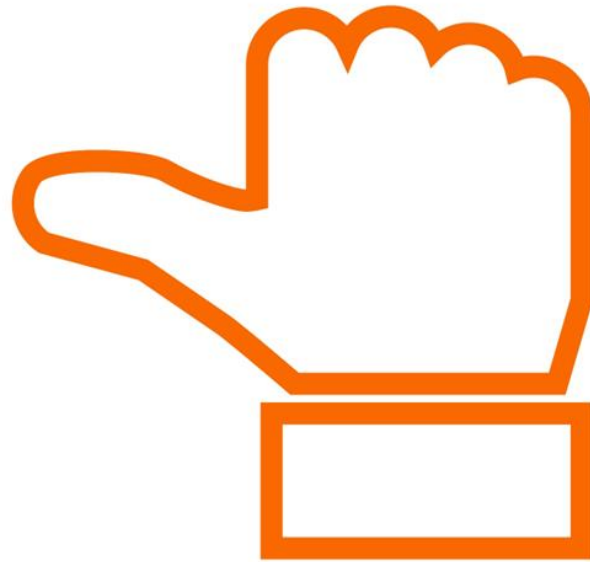


**Studies have shown that students who are involved are more likely to return from their first year to their second year and graduate on time!**



**As a supporter of a  
new Knight, what  
are you worried  
about?**





**Your student is  
ready to do their  
own laundry.**



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# Laundry

## Students living on-campus:

\$1.25 per wash and dry load



## Students living off-campus:

Students should inquire with the property manager about their amenities and if laundry is in-unit or in a dedicated location on the property.

**Your student will be  
able to avoid or  
resolve any  
roommate conflicts  
on their own.**



# SERVICES & RESOURCES

## Students living on-campus:

Resident Assistants can help students come to compromises, form agreements, and mediate discussions.

Students could also contact their community office.

## Students living off-campus:

Students should speak with property management before signing a lease to inquire about their policy on roommate conflict resolution options.

Students can also connect with UCF Legal Services to review their lease agreement before they sign.





**You feel confident  
your student will  
know how to make  
connections/friends.**



## Making Connections

# Office of Student Involvement (OSI)

Supports student success and enhances the campus environment by focusing on our core principles – **Connect, Involve, Impact** -through quality programs, services, student leadership opportunities, and intentional environments.



**Your student is aware  
of how their tuition,  
fees, and expenses at  
UCF will be paid.**



# Tuition & Fees



The purpose of the **Cent\$ible Knights** financial literacy program is to provide students with information and resources that enhance their financial knowledge and equip them to make sound financial decisions.

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**You are confident your student will be able to find the resources they need on campus.**



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## Resources

# Student Academic Resource Center (SARC)

The learning center on campus where students can access high-quality academic support programs and services.



**Your student's high school classes prepared them for the academic rigors of college.**



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# Welcome New Knights!

Your student being here today, shows they have prepared themselves for the start of this new learning journey. UCF and the many resources we offer will continue to support their academic successes.



**Your student is confident they have a dedicated strong support unit (family, friends, etc.).**



# Thank You Supporters!



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**I know exactly how I  
can get involved as a  
supporter to encourage  
my student's success at  
UCF.**



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# Getting Involved

## Resources for UCF parents and families to support your student's success:

- UCF Parent & Family Portal Powered by CampusESP
- Parent & Family Philanthropy Council (PFPC)
- Parent & Family Fund Grant
- Family Weekend







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[knightconnect.campuslabs.com/engage](https://knightconnect.campuslabs.com/engage)





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## It Takes A Village

The mission of It Takes a Village is to provide an expansive support network and resources to non-traditional students, with an emphasis on supporting students seeking further education post-undergraduate completion.



## Knights Build

The mission of Knights Build is to help affordable housing organizations build homes for our local community and nationwide.



## Tubanauts

The mission of Tubanauts is to explore avenues of performance for the tuba/euphonium ensemble, bring innovation to the standard repertoire, and inspire the communities on the campus of the University of Central Florida, in Orlando, and beyond.



**Interest areas and  
questions to help  
support your student's  
success at UCF**



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## **Leadership**

Who does your student look up to as a leader and what qualities stand out to them about that person?

What great leadership books, blogs, websites, YouTube channels, etc. might you know about that you would recommend to another family member or student supporter?

## **Sports**

Will your student compete in intramurals? If so, in which sports does your student plan to participate?

What are your thoughts on UCF's move to the Big 12?

## **The Arts**

What kinds of arts does your student most prefer to take in? Concerts? Shows? Art festivals? Other?

What's your student's favorite musical or play?

## **STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math)**

How does your student plan to balance success in demanding STEM classes with their involvement in co-curricular or extracurricular activities while they are a student at UCF?

## **Exploring Orlando**

How does your student plan to get around Orlando while being a student at UCF? Does your student drive? Will your student take local transportation?

## **Culture and Traditions**

What is something about you and your student's culture that make you proud? Which UCF tradition are you most excited for your student to participate in this year?

## **Greek Life / RSOs / Academic Clubs / Environmental Groups**

How do you hope being involved can help your student have a better UCF experience?

What are your student's hobbies or involvement goals?