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Living the Knight Life

The Essential Resources

Student Union

**Student Govt.
Association** | **Legal Services**
**Student
Involvement** | **Social Justice &
Advocacy**

Student Neighborhood Relations



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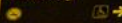
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On-Campus Housing

- Application for Spring Housing opened on November 1 and closed on November 22
 - Offers for spaces on-campus were sent out on December 6
- If you are living on-campus starting in the Spring:
 - Move-In:
 - Book a move-in appointment through the UCF Housing Portal!
- Visit our table at the Resource Fair if you have any questions!

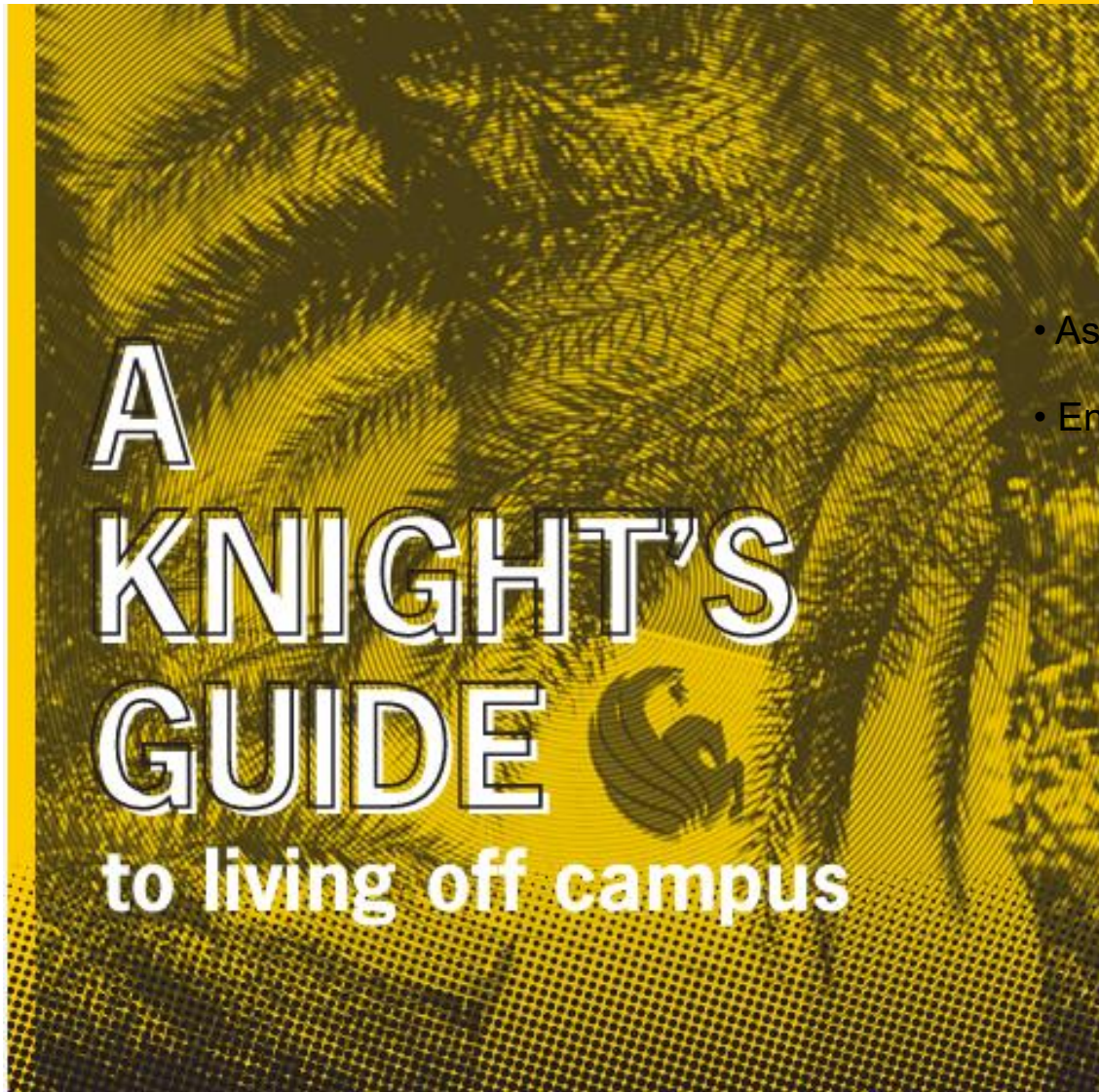
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Student neighborhood relations

- Assisting students who live off campus
- Enhancing UCF's relationships with property owners and managers
- Knights Guide to Living Off Campus
 - Choosing where to live
 - Signing a lease
 - Rights and responsibilities as a tenant
 - Tips for finding a roommate
 - Safety
 - Transportation

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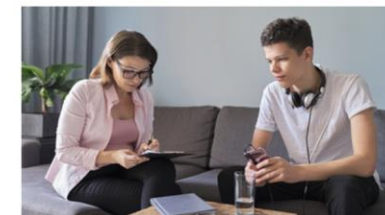
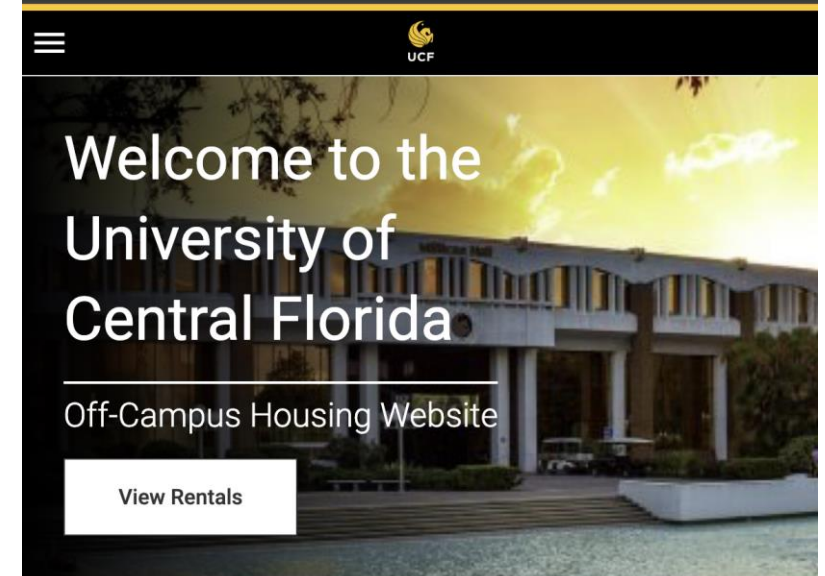
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Off-Campus Housing

- **UCF.OFFCAMPUSPARTNERS.COM**
 - Shows rentals available from:
 - *~40 apartment complexes*
 - *Individual homes and condos*
 - *Renters who appeal to students*
 - Find roommates by creating a profile!
 - Filter by price, amount of bedrooms, subleases, etc.
 - Many student apartments rent by bedroom



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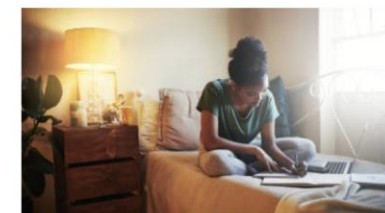
Student Care Services

If you or someone you know is in need of Care Services, please reach out to UCF through the link below. Enter the details related to your current needs so they can provide you with assistance. [Student of Concern](#)



UCF Off-Campus Shuttles

Need to get to campus? There are 15 [UCF Off-Campus Shuttle](#) routes to get you there.



Need to Sublet Your Place?



Avoid Scams and Fraud

Subleasing

- *"Involves creating a lease agreement under which a tenant rents out their apartment to another individual while their name is still on the lease."*
 - Extremely common
 - Students starting in the Spring often take this approach
- How do I find a sublease?
 - UCF.OFFCAMPUSPARTNERS.COM
 - Filter your search under the "More" tab
 - Contact properties directly
 - Facebook Groups
 - "UCF Class of _____"
 - "UCF Off Campus Housing & Roommates"
 - NOT affiliated with the University – use at your own discretion!

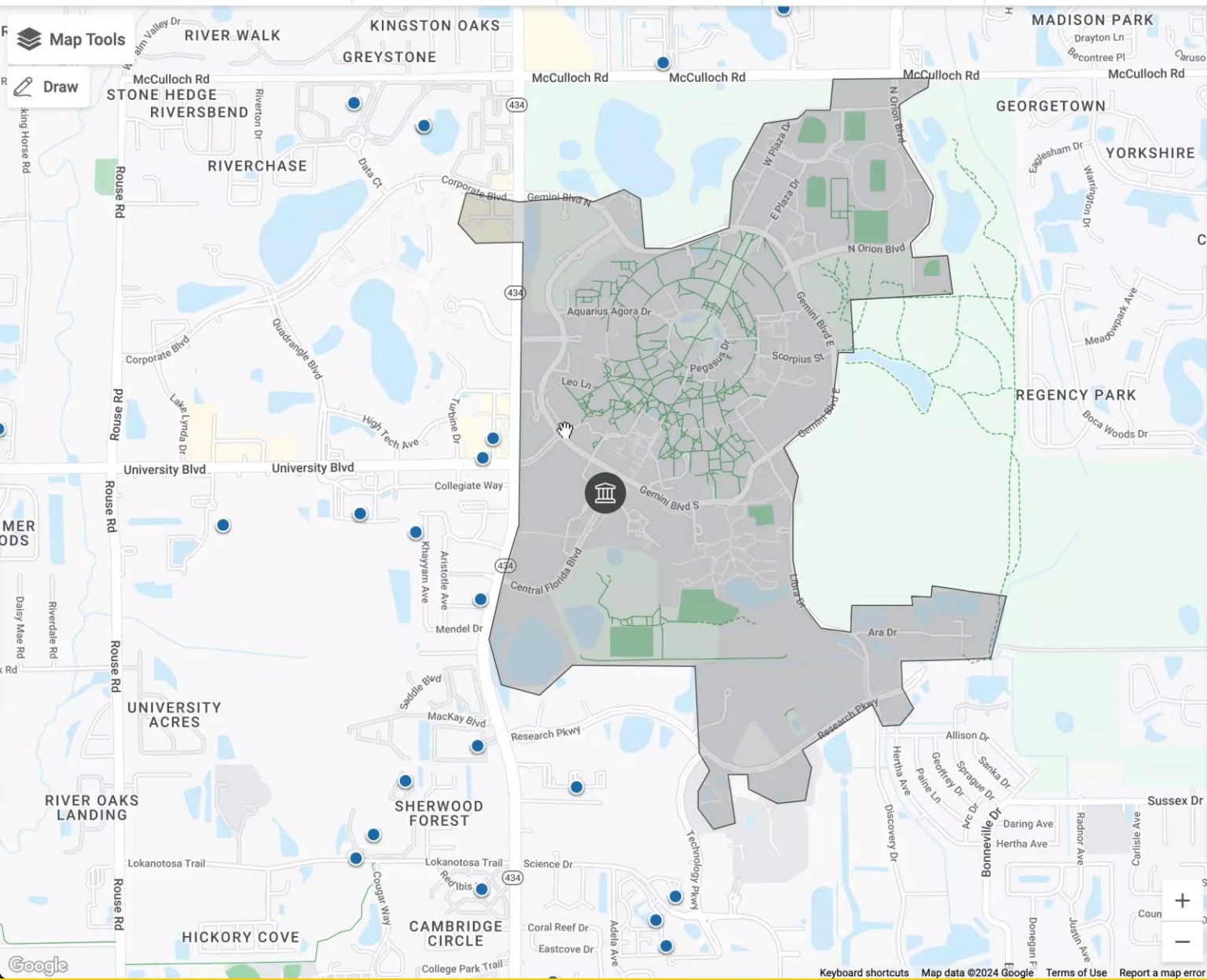


Roommate Finder

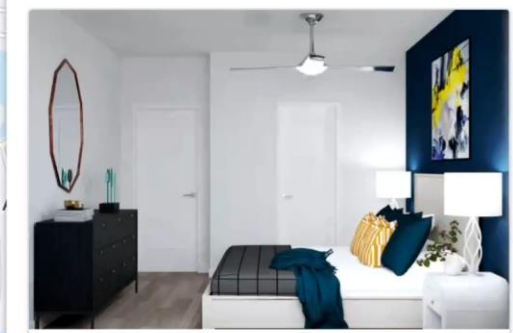
- For UCF students, faculty & staff **ONLY** – must sign up using a **ucf.edu** email
 - Create your own "Roommate Profile" that is visible to other users
- Message other students looking for off-campus accommodations!

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the 'My Roommate Profile' page on the UCF website. The page is titled 'Profile is in progress.' and 'My Roommate Profile'. The left sidebar contains navigation options: Personal, Education, Interests, Contact, Roommate, Housing, View My Profile, Delete Profile, and Beware scams (read our tips) ¹². The main content area is titled 'About Me' and includes a 'Save' button and a 'Save & Continue' button. The form fields are: Name * (Taylor T), Age * (0), Gender Identity * (with options: Woman, Man, Trans Woman, Trans Man, Non-binary, Prefer Not to Respond, Another Identity), Hometown, and Describe Yourself *. The page also features a navigation bar with 'Housing | Roommates | Resources | Add a Listing' and a user profile 'Taylor' with a dropdown arrow.

Campus or Neighborhood Price Pricing Type Beds & Baths Building Type More

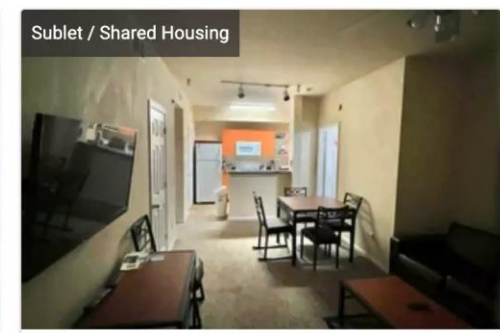


Off-Campus Apartments for Rent near UCF Main Campus
 146 Rentals Available



1 Day Ago

Dwell Oviedo
 500 Sugar Mill Rd, Oviedo, FL 32765
 1 - 3 Beds | \$1,695 - \$2,410
 5.3 miles to UCF Main Campus ★★★★★



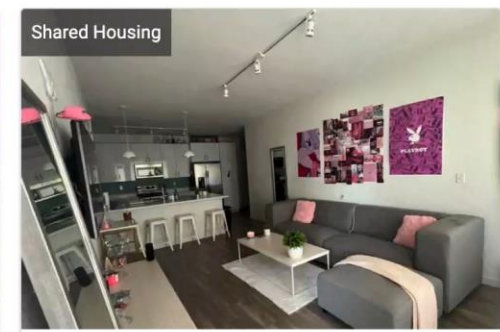
1 Wk Ago

The Lofts
 1915 Cuesta Drive, Orlando, FL 32826
 1 Bed | \$950
 2.4 miles to UCF Main Campus



1 Day Ago

Caroline Waterford Lakes
 12000 Bryonia Rd, Orlando, FL 32826
 1 - 3 Beds | \$1,685 - \$2,556



1 Wk Ago

Hub Orlando
 Hub Plaza, Orlando, FL 32826
 1 Bed | \$1,090

Shuttle Stops

- **PARKING.UCF.EDU/SHUTTLES**
 - 15 regular, fixed shuttle routes between campus and 22 off-campus apartments
 - Shuttles run from 6:30 am -10 pm
 - Ends at 8 pm on Fridays
 - Do not run when classes aren't in session
- Many complexes have their own shuttles!



Permits



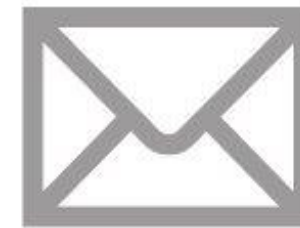
Citations



Shuttles



Regulations



Contact



Maps

Student Legal Services

- Free legal counseling
- Free court representation
- Great resource for:
 - Going over leases before signing one
 - Landlord/tenant issues



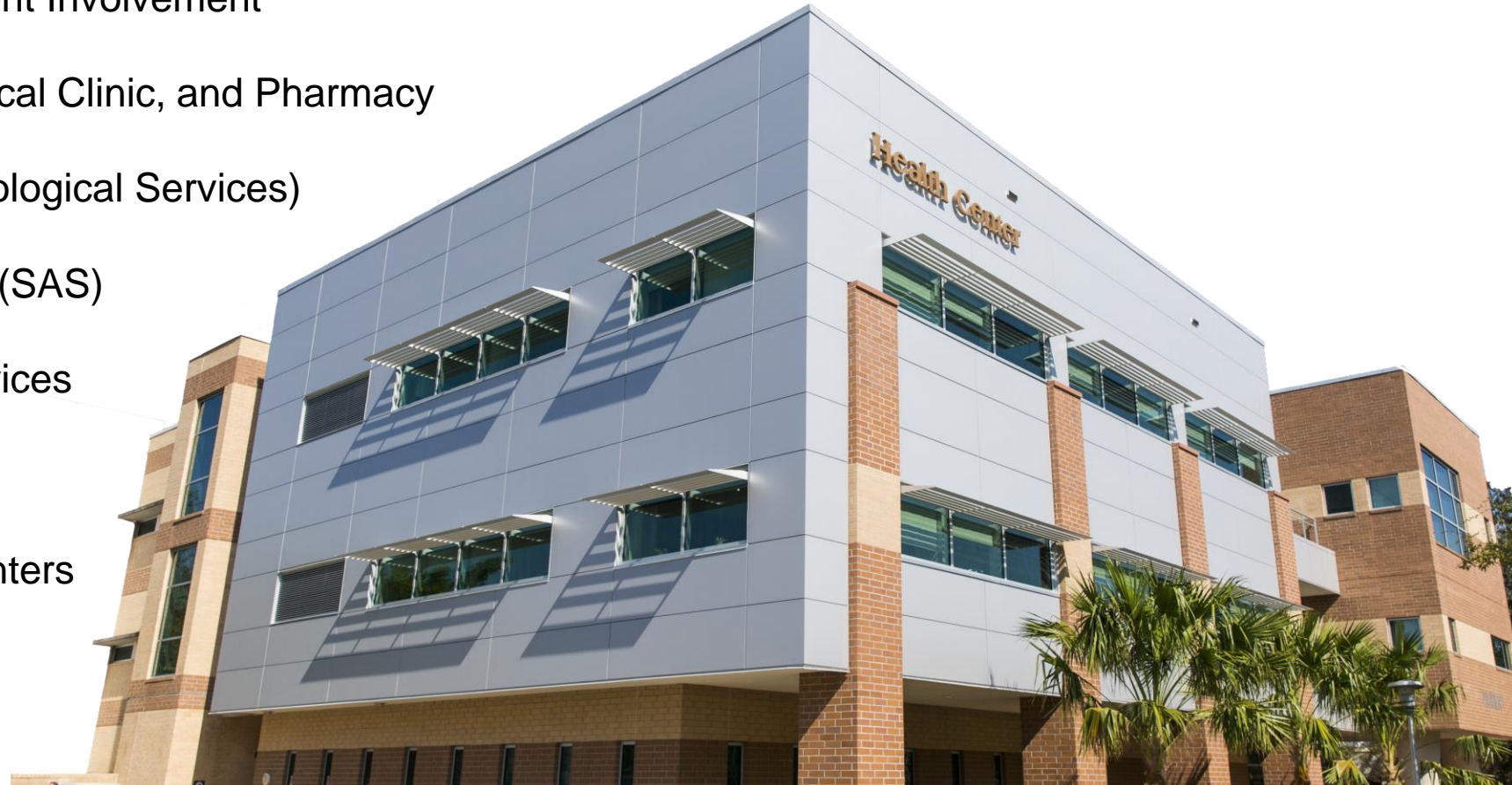
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Resources

All enrolled UCF Students have access to resources such as:

- Student Legal Services
- Events through Office of Student Involvement
- Student Health Services, Medical Clinic, and Pharmacy
- CAPS (Counseling and Psychological Services)
- Student Accessibility Services (SAS)
- Computer labs and library services
- Knights Pantry
- Intramural Sports and Rec Centers



Welcome Home!

CONTACT SNR

407-823-7233

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FAIRWINDS

Credit Union



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Official Student Banking Services Provider for UCF



Emergency Savings: Your First Step to Financial Freedom

Why Have an Emergency Fund?

Account Features

- Get **5.00% APY*** on the first **\$1,000** you save.



**APY = Annual Percentage Yield.*

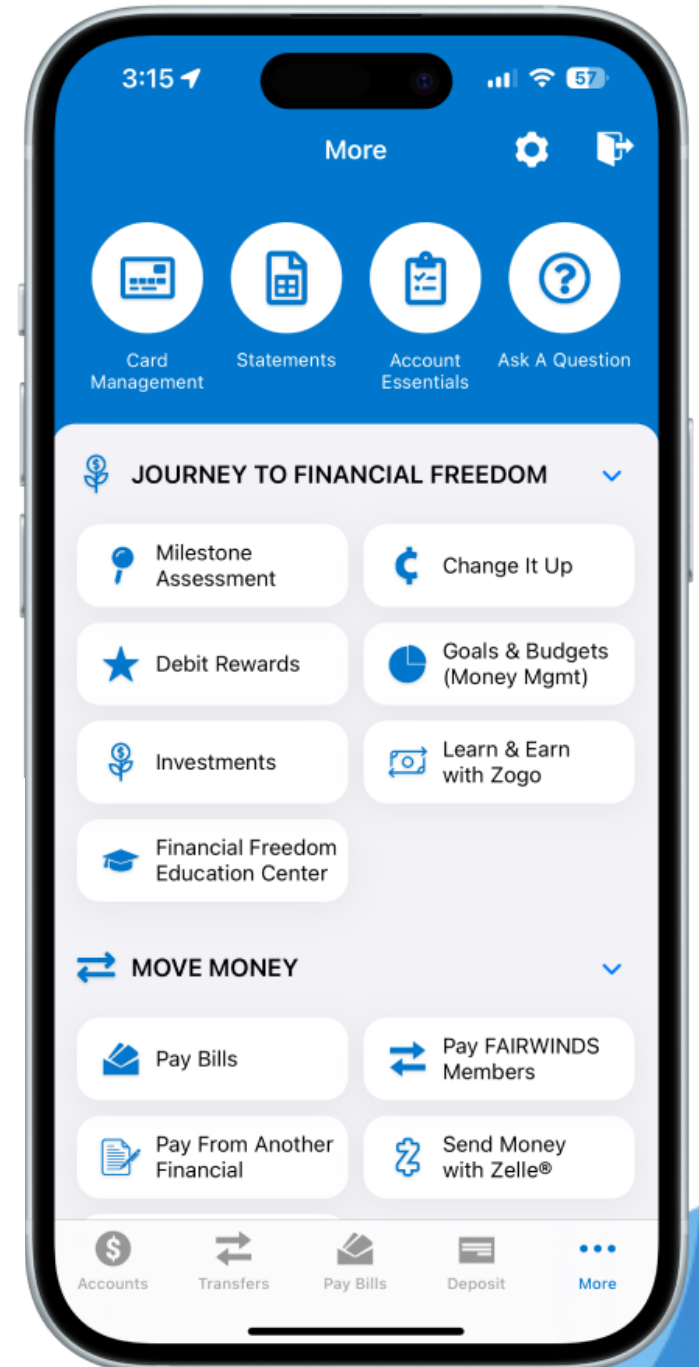


Easily Move Money

Move Money within the *FAIRWINDS* App

- Zelle
- Between Financial Institutions
- Member-to-Member Transfers

Third-Party Apps





Start Investing with EasyVest®

- What is EasyVest®?
- Benefits
- Perfect for Beginners





Learn Important Financial Skills

What We Offer

Why Attend?





FAIRWINDS On and Off Campus

- On Campus Branch
- ATMs
- Digital Banking



Questions?

In-Person: Visit us during the Resource Fair or stop by our branch.

Hours of Operation:

Monday – Friday: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Website: fairwinds.org/UCF



Parking & Transportation Services



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YOUR LICENSE PLATE IS YOUR PARKING PERMIT

Register your vehicle for a virtual parking permit online at parking.ucf.edu or use the QR code

YOUR LICENSE PLATE IS NOW YOUR PERMIT



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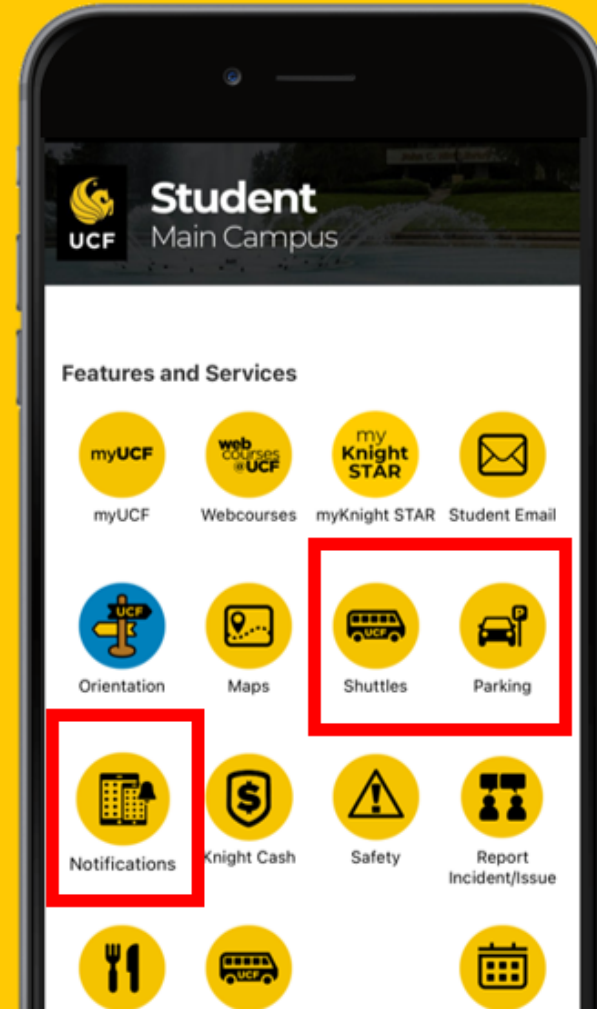
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Mobile App Short cuts

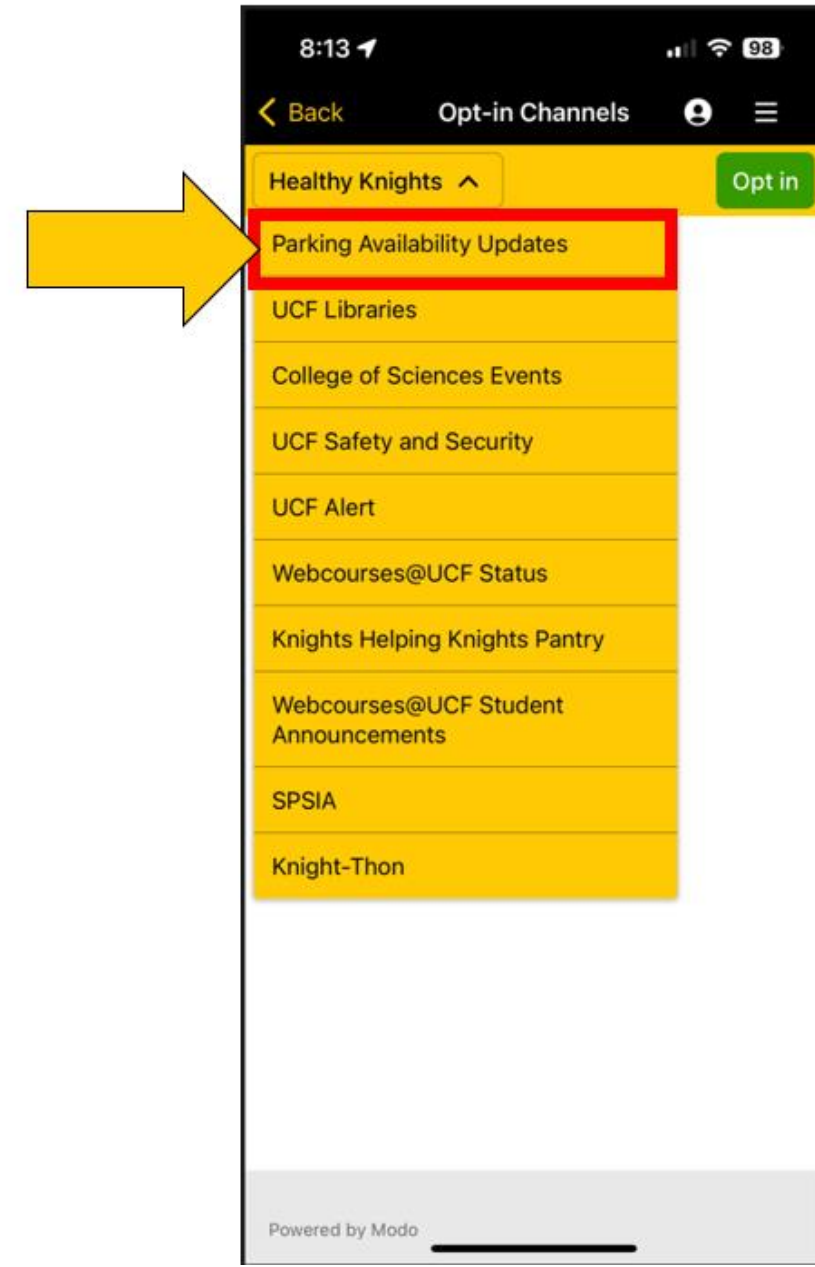
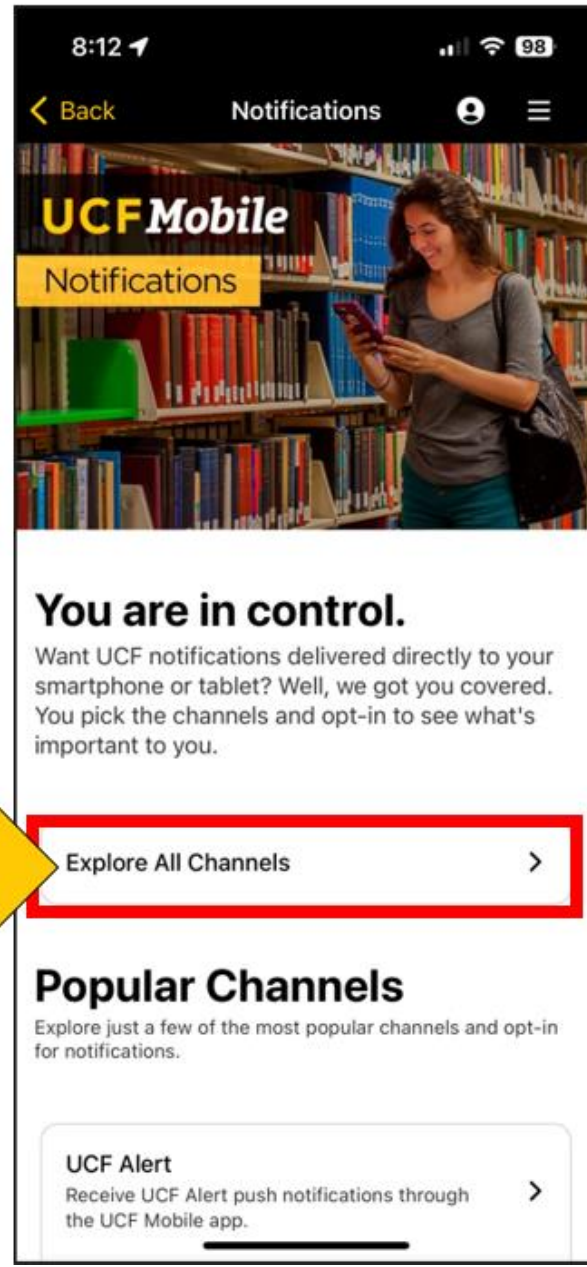
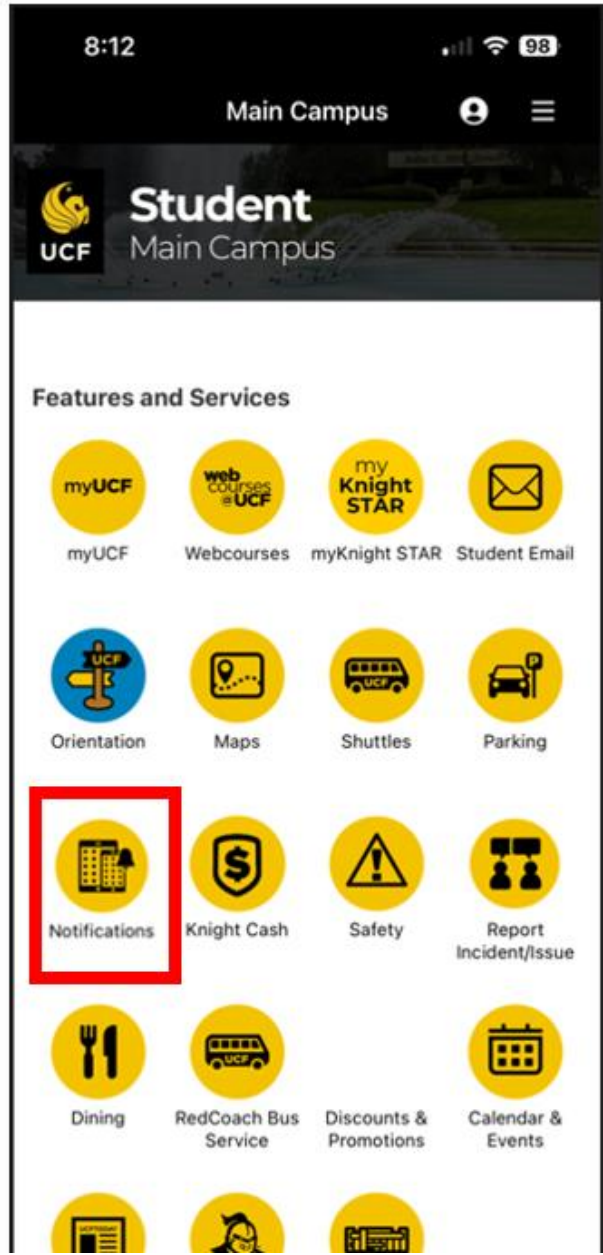
UCF Mobile

Stay Connected, Knights.

UCF on-the-go for iOS and Android.

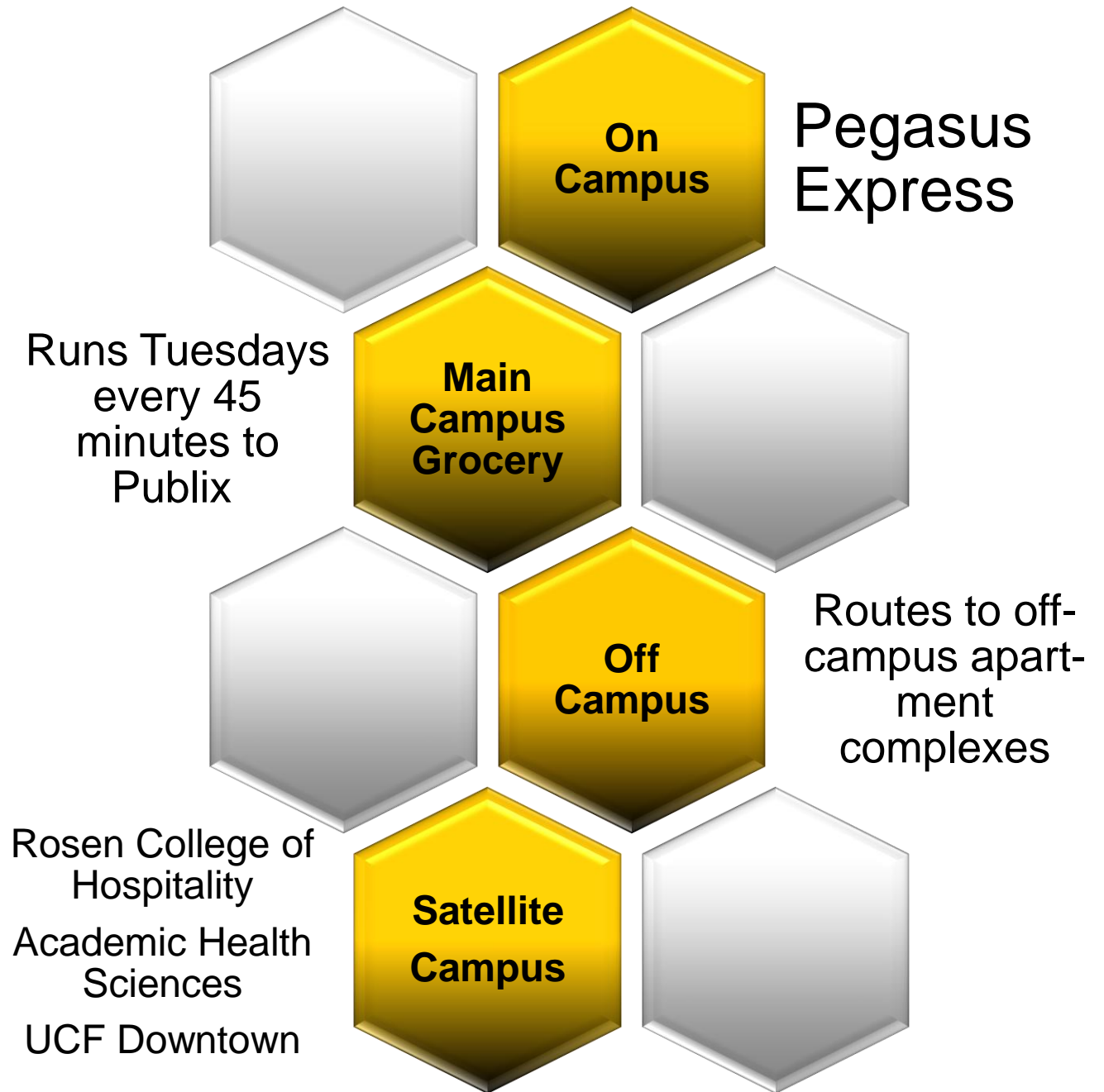


Mobile App Short cuts – Parking Availability Updates



Shuttle Service

- A valid UCF ID is required prior to boarding shuttles.
- Visit ucf.doublemap.com/map to track shuttles in real time or download the UCF Mobile app! All UCF shuttles are equipped with GPS
- Visit parking.ucf.edu for updated shuttle routes and schedules.



I live on main campus. Where do I park?

On-campus residents have designated parking areas relative to their housing communities.



You are required to park **Monday through Friday** between the hours of **7:00am to 5:30pm** in the designated residential parking area for your parking permit.



Main Campus & Parking Map

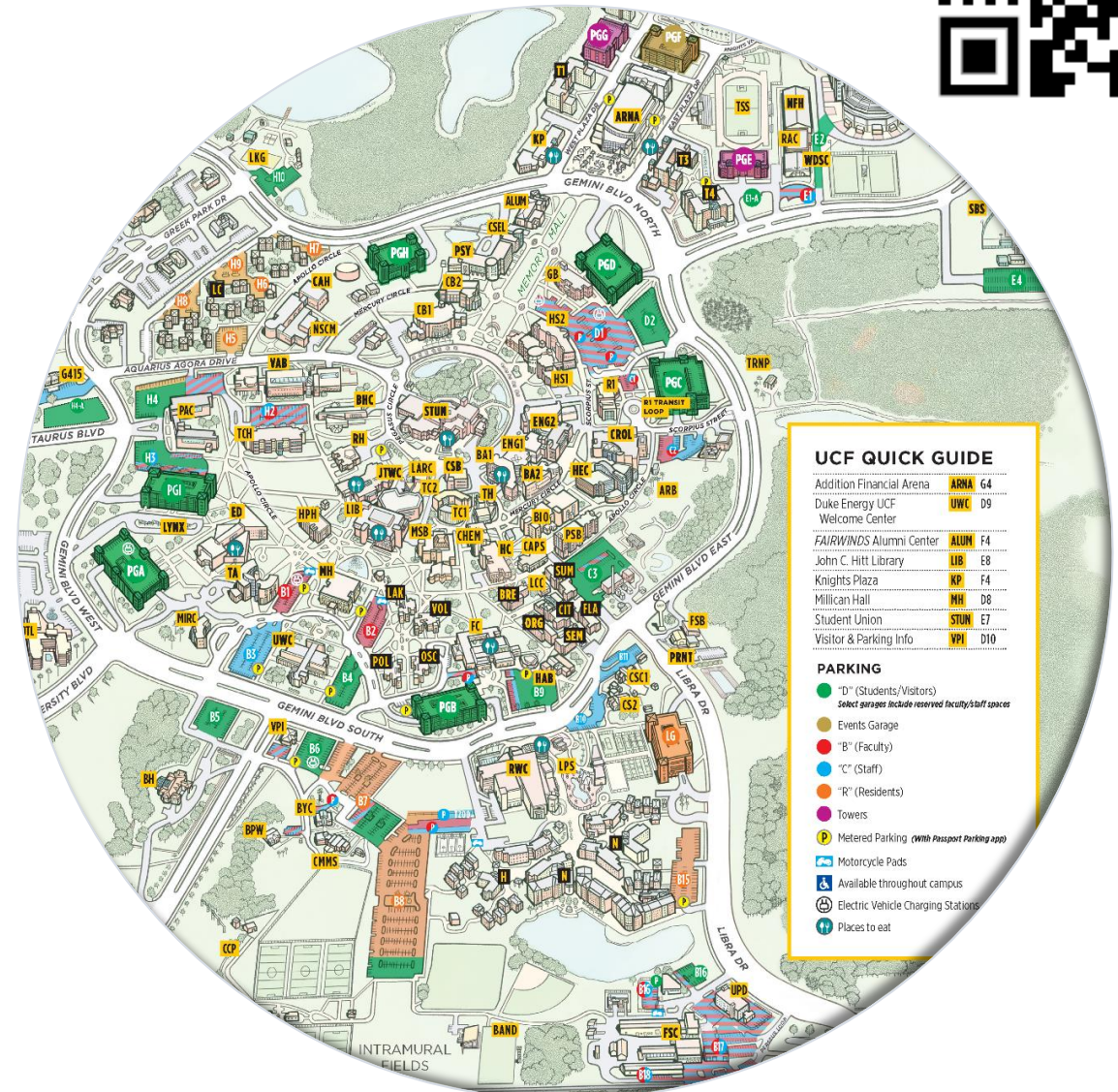


Commuting students and visitors park in **green D**.

Main Campus Housing Residents:

- **Orange LC** is for Lake Claire
Surface lots H5, H6, H7, H8, and H9
- Purple KP** is for Towers at Knights Plaza
Garages E and G
- **Orange R** is for Apollo, Libra, Hercules, Nike and Neptune
Garage Libra, surface lots B15 and B8

Vehicles with valid parking permits are allowed in **red (B)** or **blue (C)** after 5:30pm



Motorist Aid

Call the University Police Department's non-emergency number **407-823-5555** and they will dispatch one of our units to assist.

Lost Vehicle Escorts



Battery Jumps



Tire Inflations



Towing Services



Tire Inflations



Door Openings



10 Ways to Avoid Parking Citations



1 Your license plate is your parking permit. Register your license plate at parking.ucf.edu.

2 Obey all signs, pavement markings, and barricades in all lots and garages, especially ones that allow multiple permits.

3 Do not use accessible parking spaces if you do not have an accessible hangtag.

4 Do not park on the grass or sidewalk.

5 Do not park in reserved or numbered parking spaces unless it's your space. And do not block or park in service vehicle spaces.

6 Park your vehicle nose-in, license plate out.

7 Download the Passport app to pay for street parking during the required times — even if you have a parking permit.

8 Use the Pegasus Express shuttles to get around campus.

9 Arrive early. Give yourself plenty of time to find an appropriate parking space.

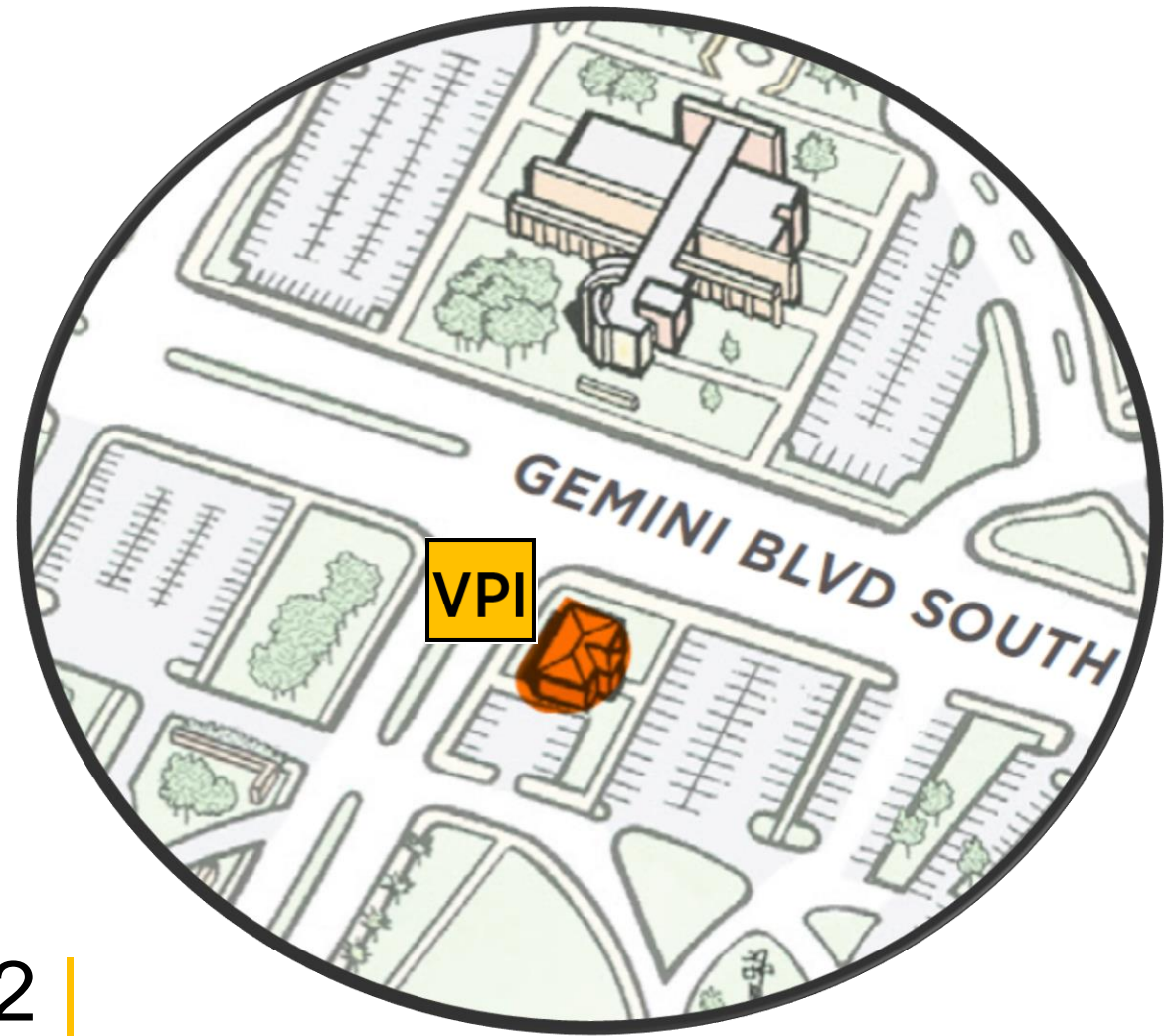
10 If you receive a parking citation, be prompt with your response to avoid late fees, immobilization or towing.



Visit Us!

**The Visitor and Parking
Information Center **VPI**
is open Monday-Friday
from 7:30am-4:00pm**

**Parking.ucf.edu | 407-823-5812 |
decals@ucf.edu**



Campus Store



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Your UCF Campus Store

- **ADDRESS**

- 101 Aquarius Agora Drive, Orlando, FL 32816
- John T. Washington Center
- Other locations:
 - B&N Spirit Shop, next to Addition Area: shopucf.com
 - Rosen College Bookstore: ucf-rosen.bncollege.com
 - UCF-Valencia Downtown: ucf-vc.bncollege.com

- **HOURS**

- SUMMER: Monday-Friday 8am-6pm
- FALL & SPRING: Monday-Thursday 8am-7pm
Friday 8am-5pm, Saturday 12pm-4pm

- **WE'RE OPEN 24/7 ONLINE**

- UCF.BNCOLLEGE.COM



ucfbookstore



ucf.campusstore



Getting Your Course Materials Is Easy!

RENT OR BUY course materials from the UCF Campus Store and get...

THE RIGHT COURSE MATERIALS: We worked directly with your professors to ensure the right course materials are available for all of your classes.

LARGEST SELECTION: Your course required course materials are available through UCF Campus Store.

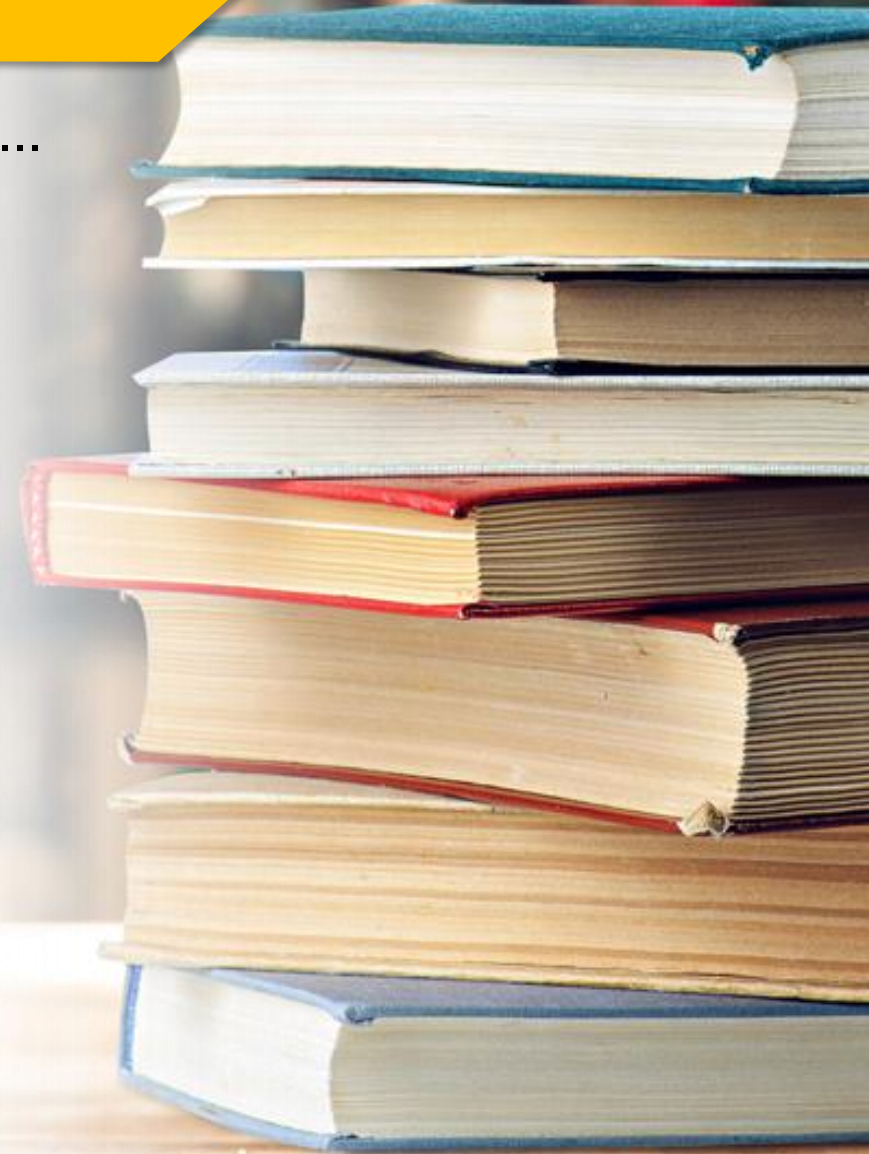
SAVINGS: Save up to 80% when buying or renting course materials from your campus store

PRICE MATCH: Rent or buy! We price match Amazon, bn.com and local competitors. See our website for complete details.

CONVENIENCE: Your Campus Store is right on campus. And fast in-store pickup is an available option with every online order.

HASSLE-FREE RETURNS: Dropped a class? Get a full refund if you need to return your book by end of Add/Drop.

GET CASH BACK: Your books may be eligible to sell back to us for cash.



Be Prepared and Save Money with FIRST DAY®

Get An Edge on Academic Success

When students Opt-In, the cost of course materials is added as a digital course materials fee for the course, by UCF, and students receive the benefits including:

- Deeply discounted, lowest price materials
- The guaranteed right materials
- Single Sign-On (no access codes)
- Access on or before the first day of class

Not having to wait for books, means you are prepared on the First Day of class.

Don't Miss Out

Students need to Opt-In on [Webcourses@UCF](#) for each material they want to participate in the First Day program.

- Opt-In option available once the professor opens their course but no later than the Sunday before classes start.
- Deadline is the first week of class.

*During the opt-in period, students will have free access to the publisher material. Once the Drop/Add window closes, if the students did not Opt-In, then students will lose their free access and will need to purchase the materials elsewhere.

Easy Way to Pay

When students choose to “opt-in” to First Day®, they will not be expected to pay at that time. Instead, their UCF student account will get after the Opt-In deadline, and they will be responsible for payment when their account comes due.

****Log into [Webcourses@UCF](#) and click on the Course Materials tab see if you are enrolled in a First Day course****



More Than One Way to Shop

We make it as easy as 1, 2, 3... Our team is ready help you.

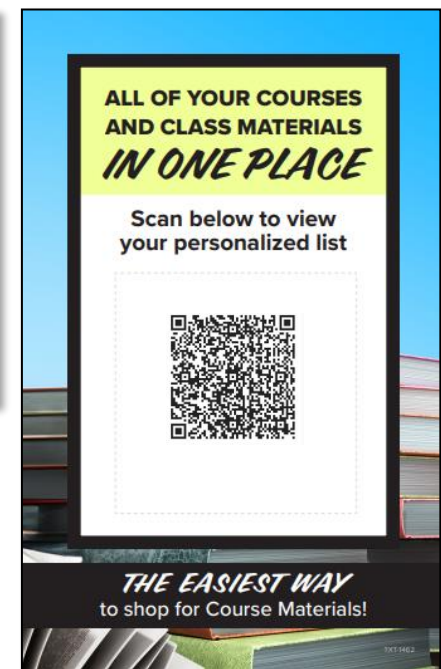
1. Visit us in store with your course schedule
2. Find your Department and Class in our course materials aisles, which are in alphabetical order by subject.
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Congrats, you're on your way to success!

SHELF TAG EXAMPLE

CET 2691			
Section: 610		REQUIRED	
Instructor: HACKER			
LEGAL+PRIVACY ISSUES IN INFO.SECURITY			
Author: GRAMA			
Book ___ of ___ 7804			
	Rent		Buy
Used	\$52.50	Used	\$78.71
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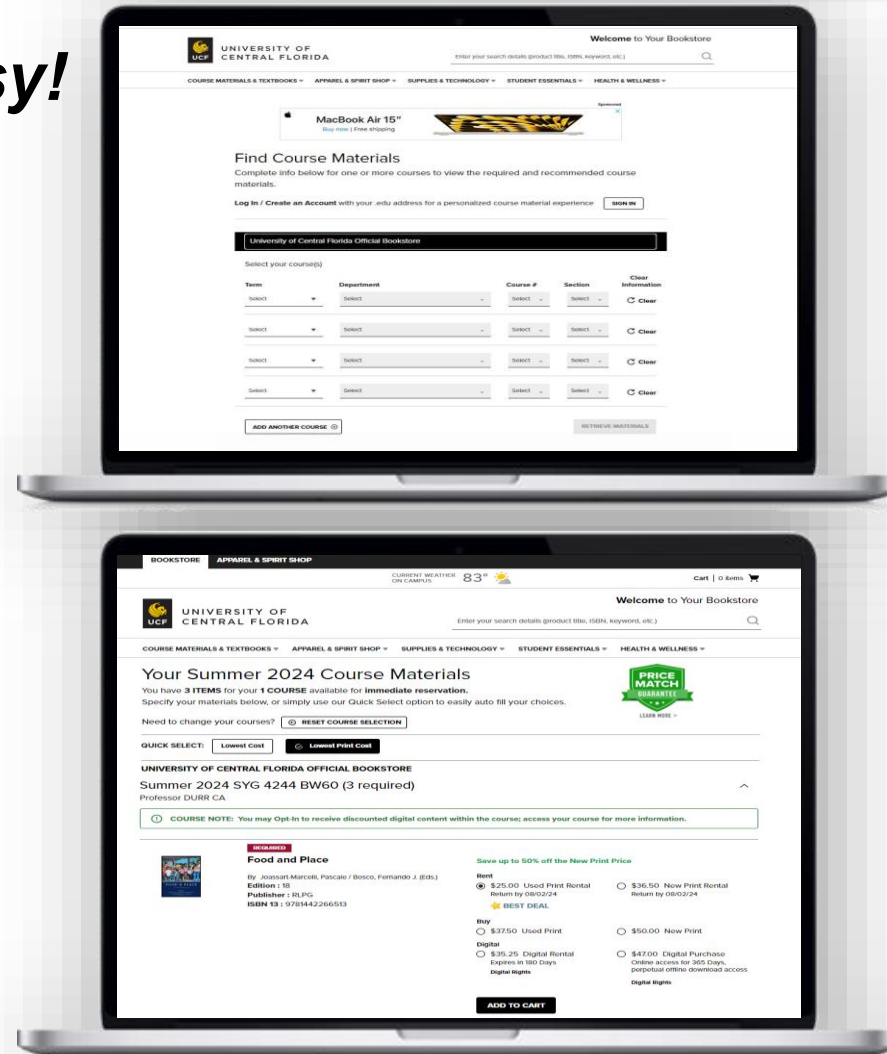
BUYING OR RENTING ONLINE!

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Online Ordering
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Registration
Integration

Ordering is quick and easy!

1. Visit ucf.bnccollege.com to start ordering online.
2. Simply add your courses into our lookup tool. Your required course materials have been preloaded!
3. Choose to rent or buy your new, used or digital course materials.
4. Select how you want to get your order and then check out. We'll email you when your order has shipped or is ready for in-store pickup.



1. Visit my.ucf.edu Student Center to start ordering online. On schedule page, click on link "Click here to order my textbooks". Your required course materials have been preloaded!
2. Choose to rent or buy your new, used or digital course materials.
3. Select how you want to get your order and then check out. We'll email you when your order is ready for in-store pickup or has shipped.

We Accept Student Financial Aid

The UCF Campus Store is the only place that accepts approved Textbook Purchase Program funds!

- Visit my.ucf.edu Student Center to enroll in the Textbook Purchase Program *EACH* semester.
- Use your approved funds to purchase everything you need for school, including:
 - Textbooks and textbook rental fees (credit card required to secure rental).
 - Required course materials like access codes, culinary kits, medical supplies.
 - School supplies like pens, pencils, notebooks, calculators
- **Approved funds** can be used for purchases from starting 3 weeks before the first day of class through the end of Add/Drop **in-store** or online at ucf.bncollege.com.

Other payment methods include cash, Knight Cash, all major credit cards, and B&N gift cards. Checks are not accepted.

Want free textbooks? Follow us on social media in the Spring semester to apply for our Textbook Scholarship "If I were a book, my title would be..." essay contest.

Merchandise & Events

UCF APPAREL & GIFTS

Your UCF Campus Store carries the largest selection of apparel and gifts from your favorite brands like Under Armour, Nike, Champion, etc.

NEW STUDENT SHOPPING

Attend an exclusive VIP shopping event for new students

GAMEDAY

Your home for tailgate necessities, spirit gear & accessories **#GKCO**

FOXTAIL CAFE

Weekly trivia on Wednesday at 6pm (5pm for Summer)

DE-STRESS FEST

Unwind with fun & relaxing activities like cookie decorating, DIY crafts petting therapy animals & more

EXCLUSIVE and LICENSED Apparel & Gear

NEW PRODUCT & PROMOTIONS
throughout the year

Sign up for email to receive invites!

Connect With Us to Receive Exclusive Promotions and Offers

WELCOME STUDENTS & FAMILIES

GET 10% OFF

YOUR PURCHASE JUST FOR SIGNING UP!

Plus, you'll become a member of our loyalty program, which gets you exclusive deals you won't find anywhere else - all delivered right to your inbox.



Visit welcomeclassof.com and receive

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Fun Environment

Earn competitive wages in a professional working environment; view open positions & apply online: bncollegejobs.com

Employee Discount

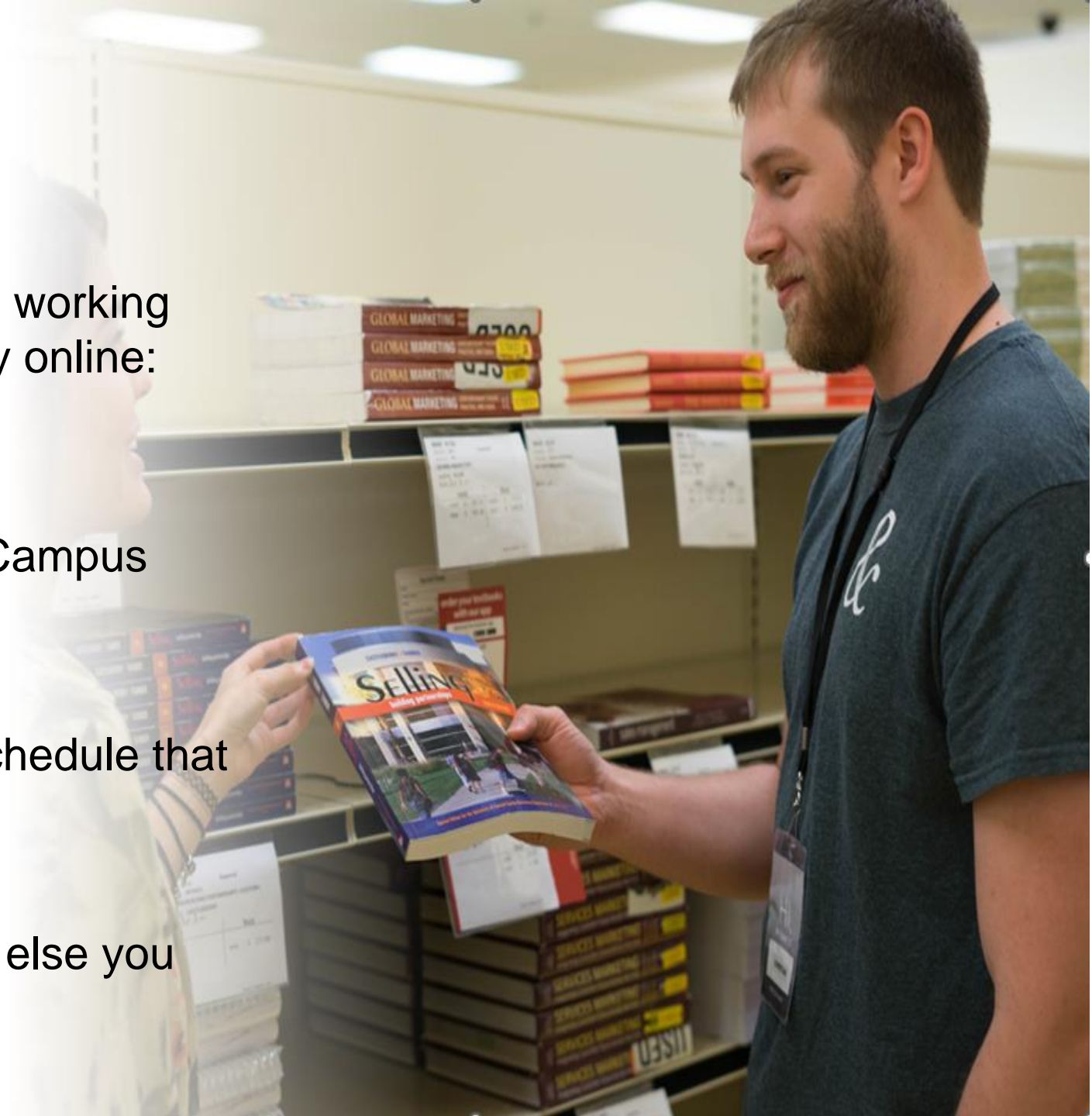
Discount on course materials and other Campus Store merchandise

Flexible Schedule

We'll partner with you to create a work schedule that works with your classes

Convenient

We're right on campus, near everywhere else you need to be





Your Campus Store is a proud member of the UCF community.

#GOKNIGHTS #CHARGEON

Dining Services



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Ace Your Appetite



ALL YOU CARE TO EAT

- Over 9 stations to choose from
- Need your meals to go? Purchase a reusable to-go container.

Knightro's



ON THE GO

- Over 20 locations across campus



Dining Services

Hours of Operation:
www.ucfdining.com

Student Favorites



Dining Services

eating made easy

CAMPUS DINING MAP

KNIGHT'S PLAZA

- 1 KNIGHTRO'S
- 2 JIMMY JOHN'S
- 3 KNIGHTSTOP ATHLETICS VILLAGE

HEALTH & PUBLIC AFFAIRS I

- 4 STARBUCKS

STUDENT UNION

- 5 WHICH WICH
- HUEY MAGOO'S
- PANDA EXPRESS
- QDOBA
- STARBUCKS
- STEAK 'N SHAKE
- KNIGHTSTOP
- KNIGHTCADE
- BENTO SUSHI

JOHN T. WASHINGTON CENTER

- 6 CHICK-FIL-A
- 7 KNIGHTS ON THE GO

EDUCATION BUILDING

- 8 EINSTEIN BROS BAGELS

UCF LIBRARY

- 9 BARNIE'S COFFEE

TECH COMMONS

- 10 CAFE BUSTELO

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION I

- 11 EINSTEIN BROS BAGELS

REFLECTING POND

- 12 TOPPERS

FERRELL COMMONS

- 13 '63 SOUTH
- 14 UCF DINING SERVICES

REC & WELLNESS CENTER

- 15 CHICK-FIL-A

SOUTH ACADEMIC VILLAGE

- 16 P.O.D. MARKET

INNOVATION BUILDING

- 17 NEW LOCATION COMING

Legend:

- Accepts Meal Swipes
- Accepts Dining Dollars
- LRR Local Restaurant Row Location
- Accepts Transact Mobile Ordering
- Accepts Snap Stamps

CONNECT WITH US @UCFDINING



'63 South



Dining Services

Renovations have begun on '63 South. Once completed, the new True Balance station will include meals prepared without the top 9 allergens.

Knightro's

Knightro's



Dining Services

Local Restaurant Row



Dining Services



+More Locations
Coming Spring 2025

Meal Plans

Meal Swipes

- All you care to eat at '63 South & Knightro's
- Over 9 stations to choose from including:
 - Medi Eats Halal Station at Knightro's
 - True Balance Station at '63 South

Dining Dollars

- Can be used at all UCF Dining locations including Local Restaurant Row
- Use dollar-for-dollar
- Plus they're tax-free!



Spring 2025: On-Campus

Unlimited

Unlimited Meal Swipes
Choose \$300 or \$450
Dining Dollars

Starting at \$2,779

Any_14

14 Meal Swipes Per
Week
\$300 Dining Dollars

\$2,499

Any_10

10 Meal Swipes Per
Week
\$400 Dining Dollars

\$1,999

Best Value

Unlimited
w/ \$450 Dining
Dollars

SAVE 40% PER MEAL



Dining Services

Spring 2025: Off-Campus

Create Your Own

Choose 25, 50, or 80

Meal Swipes

Choose \$400, \$500, or

\$600 Dining Dollars

Starting at \$689

\$800 Dining Dollars

\$800 Dining Dollars

\$775

Best Value

Create Your Own

Knights 80 w/

\$600 Dining

Dollars

SAVE UP TO 12% PER MEAL



Digital Resources

The screenshot shows the UCF Dining Services website home page. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Meal Plans, Dining Dollars, Parent & Family, Orientation, Dining Locations, Health & Wellness, and Sustainability. Below the navigation bar is a large hero image featuring a collage of food and people. Underneath the hero image is a carousel of three featured sections: Meal Plans, Mobile Ordering, and Find Your Fit. At the bottom of the page, there is a social media section for UCF Dining Services, showing 1864 posts and a 'Follow us' button. Below the social media section are three featured images: a white t-shirt with 'Dining Services' and a heart logo, a Chick-fil-A drink, and bags of Doritos.

This screenshot shows the 'Meal Plans' page. The page has a navigation bar at the top with links for Meal Plans, Dining Dollars, Parent & Family, and Orientation. The main content area is titled 'Meal Plans' and features a large image of a bowl of food. Below the image, there are four sections with icons and text: 'How To Sign Up for a Meal Plan' (with a sub-link for Off-Campus Residents), 'Add More Funds' (with a sub-link for adding more funds), 'Need Help Choosing a Meal Plan?' (with a sub-link for a recommendation tool), and 'About Your Meal Plan' (with a sub-link for more resources).

This screenshot shows the 'Find Your Fit' page. The page has a navigation bar at the top with links for Meal Plans, Dining Dollars, Parent & Family, and Orientation. The main content area is titled 'Find Your Fit' and features a large image of a bowl of food. Below the image, there is a section titled 'Answer the questions based on the term you are thinking about buying a plan.' This section includes a 'Required Fields' section with a dropdown menu for 'Student' (with 'Student' selected) and a 'What is your class level?' section with a dropdown menu for 'Freshman' (with 'Freshman' selected).

This screenshot shows the 'Dining Memberships 101' page. The page has a navigation bar at the top with links for Meal Plans, Dining Dollars, Parent & Family, Orientation, and Dining Locations. The main content area is titled 'Dining Memberships 101' and features a large image of a sandwich. Below the image, there are three sections: 'What is a Meal Plan?' (with a sub-link for a Dining Membership), 'Meal Benefits' (with a sub-link for Dining Dollars), and 'Meal Plan Benefits' (with a sub-link for Dining Dollars).

This screenshot shows the 'Parent & Family' page. The page has a navigation bar at the top with links for Meal Plans, Dining Dollars, Parent & Family, Orientation, and Dining Locations. The main content area is titled 'Parent & Family' and features a large image of a family. Below the image, there are four sections: 'How To Sign Your Student's Up' (with a sub-link for Dining Dollars), 'Add More Funds' (with a sub-link for Dining Dollars), 'About Your Student's Meal Plan' (with a sub-link for Dining Dollars), and 'Get Connected' (with a sub-link for Dining Dollars).



Important Dates



Spring 2025

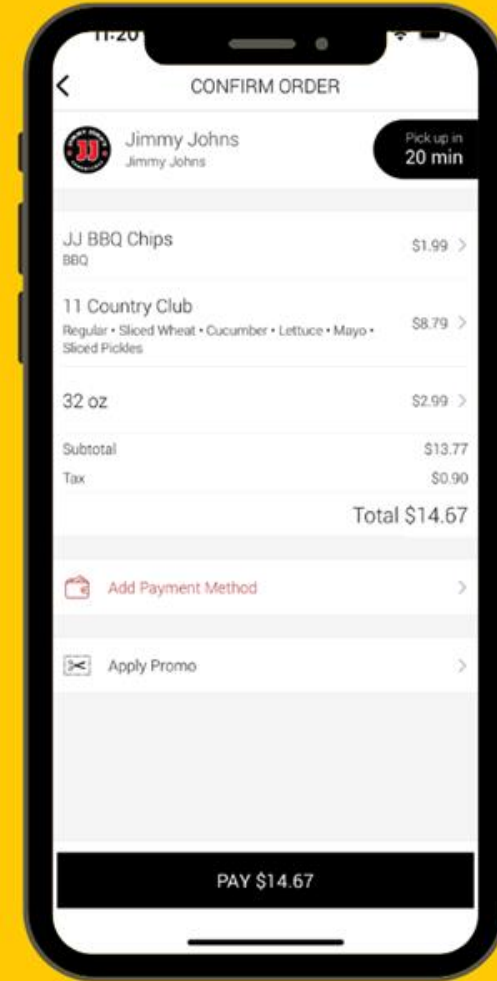
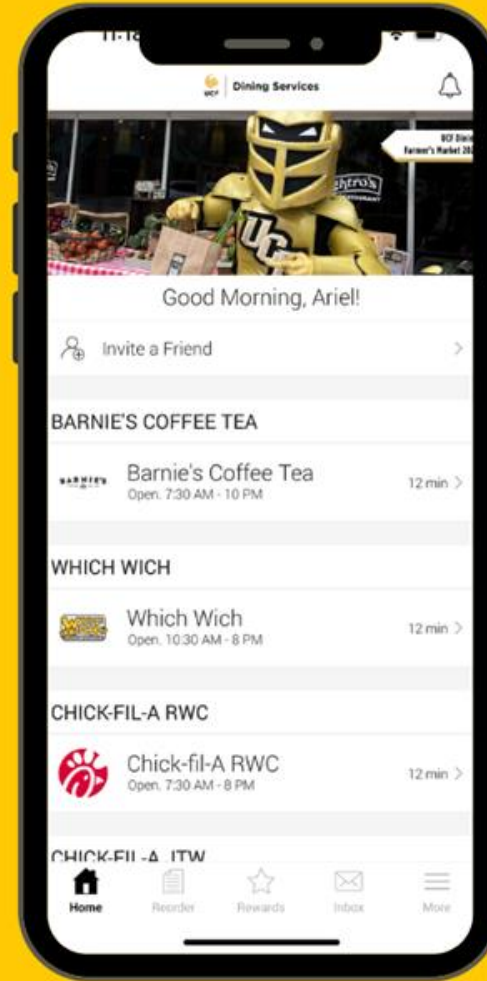
- Meal Plan Begins: January 5, 2025
- Last Day to Change: January 17, 2025
- Payment Due via MyUCF: January 24, 2025
- Meal Plan Ends: April 29, 2025

Mobile Ordering

- Download the Transact Mobile App
- Use Dining Dollars (tax-free), Credit Card, or Debit Card to purchase
- Pickup your meal at select UCF Dining locations across campus:
 - Chick-fil-A
 - Starbucks
 - Einstein Bros Bagels (Business Administration Building Only)
 - Panda Express
 - Huey Magoo's
 - Which Wich
 - Qdoba
 - Knightcade
 - Bernie's Coffee & Tea
 - Jimmy John's
 - & More



Dining Services



More To Explore

Special Events Surprise & Delights UCF Partnership Events

- Student focused events and pop-up's that bring the campus community together
- Partnerships within the UCF Community
 - UCF Arboretum
 - UCF Housing
 - UCF Wellness & Health Promotion Services
 - UCF FairTrade
 - UCF SGA
 - UCF Police Department
 - Coca-Cola Brand Ambassador
 - & More



Dining Services

How To Sign Up



Online @ ucfdining.com

- Bill to UCF Account
- PayPal: Monthly Payments

In Person

- Resource Fair
- Office: Ferrell Commons near '63 South

Contact Us

- 407-823-2651
- ucfdining@ucf.edu

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Work on Campus!

- Hiring at all UCF Dining restaurants

Work Around Your Classes

- Late night & weekend shifts available

Great Benefits

- Access to:
 - Employee Discount Program
 - Employee Resource Groups
 - Assistance Programs
 - Employee Events
 - & More!



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