



Parent & Family Programs

March update

KEEPING YOU IN TOUCH



Save the Date for LSU Family Weekend 2022

Mark your calendar! Our fall Family Weekend will be held September 23-25, which is the weekend of the LSU vs. University of New Mexico football game. More information about registration dates, the schedule of events, hotel blocks, and football ticket sales will be added to lsu.edu/familyweekend later this summer.

A NOTE FROM THE VICE PRESIDENT

Dear LSU families,

Midterms are upon us, and spring break (March 14–18) is next week. We know students are excited to have some downtime to recharge amid a busy semester, and they have earned it.

The midway point of the semester is an excellent time for you to reinforce safety, responsibility, and accountability with your Tiger. It's essential



Upcoming Dates & Events

Click on underlined events for more info

March 7: Apartment Wait Lists Opened

March 7-11: Campus Safety Week

March 9: DIY: Cereal Madness at the 459 Commons, 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

that they have an awareness of their surroundings at all times, day or night, even when they are somewhere familiar; that they remember to make good choices and realize the impact their choices can have on themselves and other members of the LSU community; and they remain mindful of their own physical and mental wellbeing.

I recall road trips during college that depended on far too much coffee and far too little stopping along the way to stretch, hydrate, refocus, and check-in. Remind them to pace themselves and prioritize safety along the way. When they arrive at their destination, it's important to reinforce conversations you've had with them about alcohol use – particularly those that remind them never to leave a drink unattended or accept one from a stranger. Spring break exists because we understand that burnout and stress are real. The more they can rest and relax, the more prepared they will be to finish the semester strong.

Course scheduling begins on March 27, so now is the time for students to start thinking about their fall courses and planning to stay on track for timely graduation. It's always a good idea for them to meet with their academic advisor for scheduling and assistance as they plan their course load.

During their college career, so many situations arise that will be entirely beyond your student's control. However, if they control the things they can (as mentioned above), it will make all the unexpected bumps in the road a little easier to navigate. As always, we have resources and are here to assist at every step.

Sincerely,

Jeremiah Shinn

[Vice President for Student Affairs](#)

ASK YOUR TIGER

- What are your plans for spring break? Are you coming home? Are you going on a trip with friends?
- What kind of decisions will you be making on spring break, and how are you going to remain safe?
- Have you thought about what classes you'll need to schedule for the fall? Course scheduling for fall and wintersession begins on March 27.
- What kind of experiences have you had related to your major? Is this something you can still see yourself doing after graduation?

March 9: [Math Strategy Workshop](#)

March 10: [Art & Design Career Networking Day](#), 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

March 11: Mid-semester grades due

March 13: [Tiger Twelve Application Deadline](#)

March 14-18: Spring Break

March 15: [Canoe Day Trip: Lake Fausse Pointe](#)

March 16: [Sand Volleyball and Softball League Registration closes](#)

March 17: [Registration Closes for LSU Family Association Spring Family Fling](#)

March 22: [Virtual All Majors Career Fair](#), 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

March 22: [Major Mapping & Career Destinations Workshop](#) in 220 Coates Hall, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

March 23: [LSU Giving Day](#)

March 23: [Major Mapping & Career Destinations Workshop](#) in 220 Coates Hall, 12:30-1:30 p.m.

March 24: [Major Mapping & Career Destinations Workshop](#) via Zoom, 11 a.m.-12 p.m.

MEET OUR FAMILY COUNCIL



[View the list of our 2021-2022 LSU Family Council](#)

[members!](#) Council members are charged with providing and collecting insight from the LSU parent/family perspective, serving as liaisons between LSU and LSU families, and supporting the University in a variety of ways. Family Council members are a great resource should you need advice from an experienced LSU parent. If you'd like to connect with a member of the LSU Family Council or share your feedback with them, please email lsufamily@lsu.edu.



Registration Now Open!

We invite all LSU Family Association members to join us campus for our annual Spring Family Fling! Enjoy a weekend of LSU athletic events and experience Louisiana culture and cuisine, while you mingle with other LSU families. All Family Association members received an email on March 3 with details about how to register. If you do not receive an email, please check your spam/junk folder, then email us at lsufamily@lsu.edu. Registration is required to attend.

March 25: [Diversity](#)

[and Inclusion](#)

[Networking Event](#), 1-4 p.m.

March 25: [Kayak at the LSU Lakes](#)

March 25: [RAD](#) program, 6-9 p.m.

March 26: [RAD](#) program, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

March 27: [Scuba Discovery Dives](#)

March 27: [RAD](#) program, 1 p.m.-4 p.m.

March 27: Course scheduling for fall semester and wintersession begins, 5 p.m.

March 27: [Miss LSU Pageant](#), 5 p.m.

March 28: [Goat Yoga](#)

March 29: [Kinesiology Career Fair](#), 1-4 p.m.

March

30: [Compartiendo Esperanza](#), 4-5 p.m.

April 1: Application opens for the Fall 2022 Student Support Services cohort

April 1-3: [LSU Family Association Spring Family Fling](#)

April 12 and 13: [Geaux Prepared](#): Prep for Finals and Manage Stress

April 14: Final date for dropping courses, final date for resigning from the University, and final date to request

Registration for Spring Family Fling will close on Thursday, March 17 at 11:59 p.m. CST. We hope to see you there!

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rescheduling a final examination when three examinations are scheduled in 24 hours

April 15: Good Friday Holiday

April 22: LSU Discover Day 2022

To view the 2021-2022 Academic Calendar, please [click here](#).

CAMPUS HIGHLIGHTS

Bursar Operations: Students participating in the Deferred Payment Plan for Spring 2021 had an installment due March 1 and the next installment is due April 1. Payments can be made via myLSU > Financial Services > Billing Statement between April 1 and 4:30 p.m. CST, Monday, April 11. You may contact Bursar Operations at bursar@lsu.edu with questions.

LSU Campus Life: Tiger Twelve Applications Are Open

Each spring, LSU recognizes 12 outstanding seniors who contribute positively to the life of the campus, surrounding community, and society. These 12 individuals are recognized as the Tiger Twelve. The application period is now open on TigerLink through March 13 and we invite all eligible students to apply. [Apply here!](#)

Tiger Twelve Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for the Tiger Twelve Class of 2022, a student must:

- Have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5
- Be an undergraduate student graduating in May, August, or December of 2022
- Have current full-time status at LSU (unless graduating in May 2022). Includes students participating in student teaching, co-ops, and academically sponsored programs.
- Be in good academic and accountability standing. Having an accountability record will not automatically disqualify a student from becoming a Tiger Twelve awardee.

[Information about Previous Tiger Twelve Classes](#)

Center For Academic Success: The Center for Academic Success helps students be their academic best. Encourage your Tiger to use our services - attend our [workshops](#), schedule an appointment with an [academic coach](#), seek out [course support](#), visit the [CAS website](#) for online resources. CAS services help students earn higher grades and discover more effective study strategies.

[Math Strategy Workshops](#) - Another workshop added on Wednesday, March 9 from 3-4 p.m. on Zoom. This workshop targets resources and effective strategies for students enrolled in Math 1021, 1022, and 1029. Students must register on Navigate.

Geaux Prepared: Prep for Finals and Manage Stress - It's never too early to start preparing for finals! Participants will hear about finishing the semester strong and preparing early for finals to reduce stress. The final workshops will be on Tuesday, April 12 in the Student Union Magnolia Room and Wednesday, April 13 on Zoom (link provided during registration), both at 6 p.m. Students must register on Navigate.

LSU Dining:

- What's better than a big bowl of your favorite cereal? How about creating a cereal masterpiece combining all your favorite flavors and specialty milks! Stop by The 5 and 459 Commons on Wednesday, March 9 from 10:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. for **DIY: Cereal Madness!**
- **Have you tried our Loaded Baked Potatoes now featuring Premium Smoked Brisket at Create?** Located on the second floor of the Student Union; Create offers build-your-own salads, wraps, and more!
- **ICYMI:** Last month we celebrated **Delight-FUL**, the third installment in our **JoyFUL** Series. Our Delight-FUL event celebrated and encouraged participants to carry out random acts of kindness. Together we created food donation bags for the LSU Student Pantry, wrote encouraging letters to our troops currently on deployment, and passed out Mardi Gras beads with "Random Acts of Kindness" challenges. Stay tuned for our fourth and final installment of our JoyFUL series kicking off in April! Check out our video recap [here](#).

LSU Foundation: LSU Giving Day is a couple weeks away! On Wednesday, March 23, the intergalactic Tiger community will Geaux BEYOND! Join the fun at geauxgive.lsu.edu.

LSU Olinde Career Center: With course scheduling for Fall just around the corner, it's time to check in with your Tiger and ask them important career questions! [\[...read more\]](#).

RAD (Rape Aggression Defense Systems) - 12-hour self-defense program for women: The RAD program will take place Friday, March 25, 6-9 p.m., Saturday, March 26, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., and Sunday, March 27, 1-4 p.m. All sessions are held at LSU at the Nelson Memorial building. The cost is \$25 for LSU, Southern University, and BRCC students, faculty, and staff. The RAD lifetime return and practice policy allows you to return to any RAD Basic Self Defense Class (wherever it is offered) and practice your skills to perfection (at no cost). The class is sponsored by the LSU Student Health Center and LSU Police Department. You can register [here](#).

For more information, call the Office of Wellness and Health Promotion at 225-578-5718 or email healthpromotion@lsu.edu.

Student Support Services: Is your first generation student receiving the support they need? Encourage them to apply to [Student Support Services](#)! We are a federal grant that serves first generation students, income-eligible, and students with disabilities. Applications will open on April 1 for the Fall 2022 cohort. Students can express interest by filling out [our interest form](#) and will be contacted when applications open. Questions? Email sss@lsu.edu.

Tiger Athletic Foundation Student Employment Opportunity: Interested in working in the best venue in the country? Come be part of our team! TAF now has open seasonal positions for team members to work in our suites and clubs. We're looking for enthusiastic individuals who want to help create a premium experience for our guests! Positions available for the Garth Brooks Concert and 2022 LSU Football Season. [Apply here!](#)

University College - Center for Freshman Year (UCFY): Check out our March Newsletter [here!](#) to help your freshman Tiger prepare for course scheduling.



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Craving crawfish this spring? Our LSU alumni chapters across the country are hosting their annual crawfish boils starting this April. The crawfish boils are open to all LSU fans! A portion of the proceeds benefit scholarships for LSU students. Check out [our website](#) to connect with a chapter near you and purchase tickets today!



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LSU Parent & Family Programs hopes you have enjoyed reading the March email update and that you found the information helpful. Please contact us if we can be of assistance to you and your family.

Geaux Tigers!

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