



## STUDENT ORIENTATION & REGISTRATION

### STUDENT SCHEDULE – GROUP ONE MAY 13/JUNE 4/JUNE 16/JULY 15, 2026

- 9:00-9:30 a.m. Arrival & Check-In** Moser Performing Arts Center (MPAC) Lobby, Tower Hall  
*Receive your SOAR schedule and group number.*
- 9:30-9:45 a.m. Welcome** Sexton Auditorium, MPAC  
*Your first welcome to USF as a college student! Representatives of the University of St. Francis administration will be some of the first to officially welcome you to the Class of 2030.*
- 9:45-10:15 a.m. Residence and Commuter Life** Sexton Auditorium, MPAC  
*Whether you plan to live on campus or commute from home, this session will help you prepare for a successful college experience. You'll hear about the benefits and expectations of residential life, what to expect at move-in, and how to create a "home away from home" in the residence halls. We'll also share resources and tips specifically for commuter students, including balancing college and home responsibilities while staying connected and making the most of campus life. There will also be time to ask questions and learn how to find the support that fits your experience.*

### ROTATING SESSIONS

- 10:20-10:50 a.m. Class Advising & Department Connections** San Damiano, Donovan Hall  
*Work with an academic or faculty advisor to review your schedule and receive personalized guidance. You will explore portal tools and learn more about your intended program requirements.*
- 10:55-11:25 p.m. USF Systems** N304, Tower Hall  
*Need a parking permit? Trying to figure out what books you need? Professor sent you an email but don't see one? Don't worry, we will show you where all of these things are located. We will help you navigate your portal and how to access your St. Francis email. This way by the time you leave this session you will understand how to access and use your portal like a pro!*
- 11:30-12:00 p.m. Thriving at USF** C207, Donovan Hall  
*College is about more than just classes—it's about shaping an experience that's uniquely yours. Hear directly from students about how to make the most of your time at USF through involvement in clubs and organizations, cultural and travel experiences, ministry and service opportunities, campus leadership, and beyond.*
- 12:00-1:00 p.m. Lunch with USF Resources** Sullivan Recreation Center
- Optional Lunch Time Sessions** Sullivan Recreation Center Lobby  
*Please take time during lunch to learn about USF Student Resources & Opportunities*
- **Ardeo – USF Promise**  
*The USF Promise – USF's loan repayment assistance program (LRAP) - is an innovative promise to students: if your income after graduation is less than \$50,000, we can help you repay your federal student, parent PLUS and private alternative loans after graduation.*
  - **Finding Success with Academic Resource Center & Office of Accessibility Services**  
*Join administrators from the Academic Center for Excellence and gather information about the academic resources available to students including tutoring, academic assistance, and course accommodations for students with documented disabilities.*

- **First Year Transition & Residence Life**  
*Earn a credit before you even begin classes by signing up for the First Year Transition program. We have flexible dates in July and August where you can come to campus, connect with classmates and faculty, and experience college life. Stop by the table to ask questions or learn how to sign up!*
- **Health & Safety**  
*Connect with representatives from campus safety and student health services to learn more about important resources and requirements before the start of the semester. Students and families can ask questions about security services, parking permits, the student ID process, and how to submit required medical records.*
- **Office of Campus Culture**  
*Our goal is to create a hospitable campus climate espousing the celebration of all students, faculty, staff and administrators. Please stop by and say hi! We are excited to get to know you.*
- **Quest Food Services**  
*Fall 2026: All meal plans for resident students will reset every week. We have 4 meal plans to choose from to allow for the best meal plan based on individual student needs. Students have the flexibility to choose the plan that works best for them. We also have 2 commuter meal plans available for commuter students. Need assistance choosing a meal plan, please reach out to us!*

1:00-1:30 p.m.

**Life as A College Student Athlete**

**Sexton Auditorium, MPAC**

- *Staff members from Athletics will discuss the balance of academics and athletics, athletic training services, athletic participation requirements, and answer any questions related to the athletic department.*

1:00 p.m.

**Post-Event Options:**

- **Campus Tour**
- **Housing Tour**
- **Meet with Financial Aid**
- **Barnes & Noble USF Bookstore**
- **Athletes Connect with your Coach**

**Tower Hall 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor**  
**Tower Hall 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**  
**Sullivan Recreation Center**