

Welcome to Saint Francis University! The SFU Community has been working hard to make this day pleasant and enjoyable for our new students, family members, and friends. Please read the instructions below for checking in and refer to the campus map for additional information. You will find an overview of the day below.

1. All Students Check-In at Stokes Athletic Center

All students should report to Stokes Athletic Center to begin New Student Orientation and the school year. Pick up Orientation schedules, class schedules, and your FREE SFU Spirit T-shirt. **Students must have their student ID card to move-in to the residence halls as well as to attend all SFU Orientation events.**

2. Residential Students: Residence Hall Move-in

Residential students should follow the map to check-in to their residence hall and begin moving in. Feel free to pull up in front of the residence hall to unload, but please limit your time in front of the halls to 15-20 minutes. Your temporary parking pass should be displayed facing up on your dashboard with your student's name and housing assignment. After you unload your vehicles, please park in the designated parking areas.

3. Commuter Students

After going through Check-In, make sure to attend the Commuter Meeting and Social in the JFK Lounge at 7:45pm TONIGHT!

Overview Of The Day

8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Residential Students Check-In – Stokes Athletics Center
11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch -- On your own – Torvian Dining Hall, Frankie's or off-campus
12:25 p.m.	Mass (optional) – Immaculate Conception Chapel
12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Parent & Family Reception 1 – JFK Center Lounge
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Commuter Check-In - Stokes Athletic Center
2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Parent & Family Reception 2 – JFK Center Lounge
3:00 p.m.	The Bell Ceremony – Campus Mall @ the Bell Tower
3:30 p.m.	President's Welcome – DeGol Field (Rain location: DeGol Arena)
4:35 p.m. – 6:40 p.m.	Family Picnic Dinner – Torvian Dining Hall
Time to say "Good Bye!"	From this point, all Orientation sessions are for our new students only.
6:45 p.m.—7:30 p.m.	Orientation Opening Session – JFK Auditorium
7:45 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Resident/Commuter Sessions Commuter Information Session & Social – JFK Lounge Residence Hall Meeting – Residence Halls
8:45p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Student Expectations as Members of the SFU Community– JFK Auditorium
10:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.	Block Party & Pizza – JFK Center

Table Assignments

Concourse outside DeGol Arena

Table #1	Registration
Table #2	WELCOME & Orientation Information
IT Kiosks	Bar Code Scan Station
Table #3	Photo IDs
Table #4/4A	Emergency Contact Information
Table #5/5A	Student Health

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Table #6	Financial Aid
Table #7	Business Office
Table #8	Student Insurance
Table #9	Registrar/Schedules
Table #10	Advising and Scheduling Questions
Table #11	Disability Services
Table#12	Career Services/Handshake
Table #13	Study Abroad/Community Engagement
Table #14	Library & Learning Commons
Table #15	Dining Services
Table #16	University Police/ Parking permits
Table #17	RAVE
Table #18	Campus Ministry
Table #19	Dorothy Day Outreach Center
Table #20	Student Philanthropy/Phone Program
Table #21	Alumni Relations
Table #22	Counseling Services
Table #23	Drug & Alcohol Education Office
Table #24	Physical Plant
Table #25	Athletics
Table #26	ROTC
Table #27	Transportation
Table #28A/28B 28C/28D	Engage SFU/SAO/SGA/Swipes

Check-In FAQs

How long will it take me to get through Check-In?

Once you reach the Registration table (Table #1), it should take you 30 to 45 minutes.

What are the times of Check-In? Check-In is scheduled from 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. You will be assigned a check-in time by Admissions.

If you are arriving early for athletics training camps, band or cheerleading, your coach will provide information about when to report and what you need to have completed to begin your program. Athletes must still complete the Check-In process on Thursday, August 11. Here are the scheduled times for team check-ins:

- Field Hockey and Women's Soccer: 8:30AM
- Cheer/Dance: 9:30 AM
- Band: 11:00 AM
- Women's Volleyball: 11:30 AM
- Men's Soccer: 12:00 PM
- Football: 12:30 PM

When do commuters check in? Commuters are scheduled to check in from 1:30 p.m. until 2:30 p.m.

When can I move into my room? Once you have completed the check-in process, you can go to your residence hall. RAs will be available to answer any housing questions and give you your room key.

Do we have to stop at every table? We advise you to stop at all tables. Your check-in letter will indicate the mandatory tables, however, there is important information at each table (and possible swag too!)

Where can we get lunch? Lunch is available in Torvian Dining Hall from 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Cost for lunch is \$8.00 per person and can be paid at the door. Frankie's Campus Club (located in the JFK Student Center) hours are 11 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. New students will begin using meal plans on August 11. Please refer to the Local Dining Options information for on- and off-campus eateries.

What time is the Bell Tower Ceremony? 3:00 p.m. at the Bell Tower on the Campus Mall. Students should arrive at 2:50 p.m. The ceremony is canceled if it rains. Students should wear red or an SFU shirt to the ceremony. New students receive a FREE t-shirt at Check-In compliments of the Student Government Association. Parents can meet their students at DeGol Stadium for the President's Welcome address.

What time is the President's Welcome? 3:30 p.m. at DeGol Field (Rain location: DeGol Arena)

The President's Welcome is the official welcome ceremony for new students and the first opportunity for Fr. Malachi VanTassell, T.O.R., PhD. to speak to new students and their families.

Late Arrivals:

Students who arrive after 3:30 p.m. should go to the JFK Information Desk to pick up their Check-In Packet and receive information. Members of the Orientation team will be available to assist you. Students who did not complete the Check-In process on Thursday, August 11 will be directed to complete Check-In on Monday morning (August 15) in the Vista Room on the 3rd floor of Schwab Hall.

COVID-19:

Please review the most up to date Saint Francis University COVID-19 information available on francis.edu/coronavirus

ARRIVAL, UNLOADING & MOVE-IN

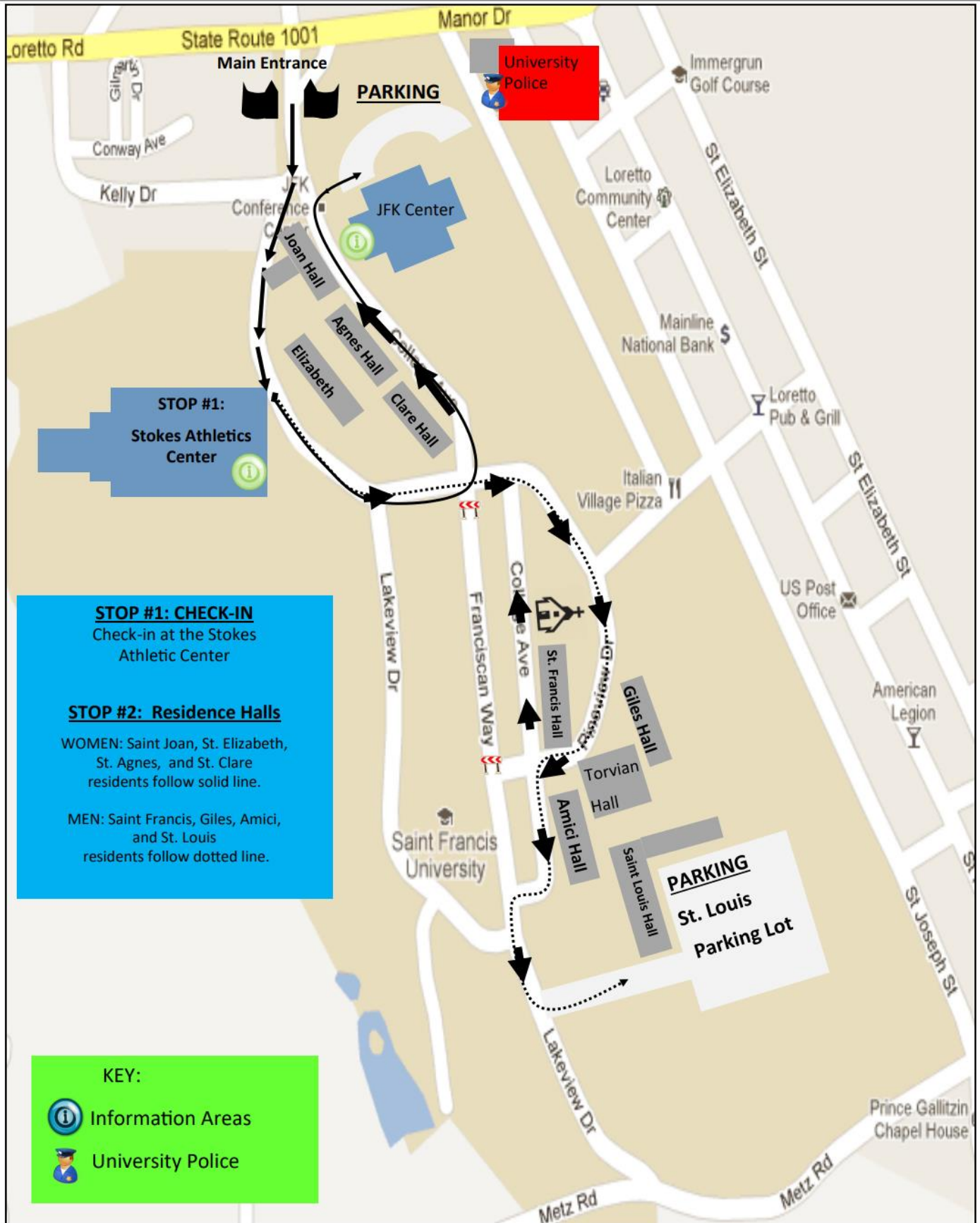
Residence Life and University Police look forward to welcoming you and your families to campus! In preparation for your move, please follow these instructions regarding move-in and parking. This is one of few events we allow curbside parking and will have several employees directing traffic and assisting you in finding a spot closest to your assigned residence hall.

After completing the process at Stokes, students are to enter the front lobby of their assigned residence hall and check in. While the student is checking in, we ask that at least one family member stays with the car and unloads the items onto the sidewalk or other area for staging of the student's belongings. There will be several Orientation Counselors and members of the Saint Francis Community available to help carry all the items up to the room for you. Don't forget to fill out your Fall Move in Parking Pass and leave on the front dashboard.

The student will receive information about the residence hall, their key, and their emergency contact information card to complete. A member of the Residence Life staff will escort you to your room, conduct a room inspection, and finish up any other paperwork we may need.

Once your vehicle is unloaded, please move it to the indicated parking lot. This will allow for the next vehicle to pull in and unload. Please do not leave your vehicle curbside after it is unloaded. We have assigned 6-10 residence life staff members to your hall for the day. They are here to serve you and assist in every way possible and to make your day more pleasant.

Navigating the campus on Check-In Day—August 11, 2022





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Housing & Residence Life Fall Move-In Parking Pass

Please complete the following information and place this pass on your rearview mirror prior to arriving to campus.

Date: _____ Arrival Time: _____

Student or Parent Cell Phone Number:

Name of SFU New Student:

Residence Hall & Room Number of New Student:

Once you have completed the Check-In process, you can proceed to your Residence Hall. You may park your vehicle in front of the hall to unload only. SFU students and staff will assist you with unloading your vehicle and taking your possessions to your room. Once your vehicle is unloaded, please move your vehicle to:

North Campus—JFK Center Parking Lot

South Campus—St. Louis Hall Parking Lot