

Buckeye Family

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News and Information for Ohio State Parents and Families



THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY | OFFICE OF STUDENT LIFE

What is the Buckeye Family Newsletter?



Parent and Family Relations sends a wide range of communications to our families throughout the year. This includes communications through both email newsletters and social media. You are already familiar with our *Buck-i-Brief* messages. This publication, *Buckeye Family*, is sent the second or third Wednesday of each month and shares information from across the university with our families. You can read more about all of our publications, including our social media, at the link below.

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Return to Campus Safety Details

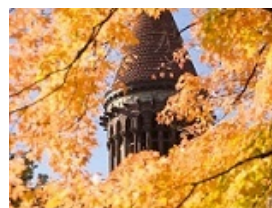
In a message to the university community yesterday, Ohio State provided a summary of what students, faculty and staff need to know to continue the Safe and Healthy approach the community successfully managed together last academic year and throughout the pandemic. The university shared information about: COVID-19 protocols, including testing, masking, quarantine and isolation space; mental health resources; and safety resources, including community events and safety devices. Be sure to read the entire message as it contains a wide range of great information.



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Updated Contact and Address Information

All students are encouraged to keep their current contact information and local address up to date in BuckeyeLink. By having your student update their contact information and local address at the beginning of each semester, this helps our support teams in cases of health, safety and well-being emergencies. As your student starts the new academic year, make sure you talk with them about updating this important information. For instructions, click the link immediate below.



[Instructions](#)

2021 Global Education Expo

The 2021 Global Education Expo will be held on Thursday, September 9 from 2 – 6 p.m. in the Archie Griffin East Ballroom at the Ohio Union. It's never too early to begin your plans for a global education experience. The expo gives students the opportunity to talk one-on-one with global education experts, explore the wide-variety of programs, including virtual opportunities, for all Buckeyes and learn more about the many ways to know and engage the world at Ohio State.

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Welcome Week

From your move-in day to the Involvement Fair to Buckeye kickoff, there is nothing quite like the experience of being back on campus to start the autumn semester. Click the link below to check out the schedule for this year's Welcome Week.

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Crime and Safety Notices

Ohio State's Department of Public Safety uses a variety of methods to communicate with the campus community. These include but are not limited to the Buckeye Alert System, Public Safety Notices and off-campus Neighborhood Safety

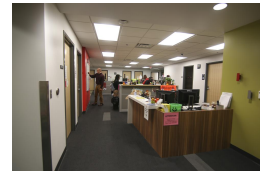
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Notices. These methods are supported by the Department of Public Safety website, social media, traditional media and other communication channels.

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Disability Services Assists Students!

The Office of Student Life's Disability Services (SLDS) is committed to creating an accessible educational experience for students with disabilities. SLDS partners with students, faculty and staff to design accessible environments and to provide academic accommodations and support services.



Some common accommodations that SLDS provides include:

- Exam accommodations
- Note-taking assistance
- Attendance/deadline modifications, for students with chronic health flare-ups
- Accessible media, for students with print disabilities
- Assistive technology
- Sign language interpreting/transcribing for deaf/hard of hearing students
- Priority scheduling
- Accommodations consultation and advocacy
- Accessible transportation/parking
- Housing/dining accommodations

The Office of Student Life Disability Services is located in Baker Hall.

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