

Buckeye Family

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Buckeye Road Trip

The Buckeye Road trip is a reduced-cost busing service designed to bring students to cities in and out of Ohio. These cities currently include Cleveland, Cincinnati, Toledo, Chicago, Pittsburgh, and Philadelphia.

This Thanksgiving Break, buses will leave campus on Tuesday, November 22 and will return on Sunday, November 27. All costs associated with the trip are non-refundable. Round-trip costs are \$25 for trips to Cleveland, Cincinnati, Toledo and Pittsburgh and \$65 for trips to Philadelphia and Chicago. You may choose to travel only one way, but the cost will be the same.

For more information about Buckeye Road Trip, including departure times, arrival locations and a link to registration, click the Read More button below. If you have any questions, please contact SL-USGBuckeyeRoadTrip@osu.edu and cc Tumulty.8@osu.edu.

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File the FAFSA for 2023-2024

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is now open for students and families to complete for the 2023-2024 academic year.

Every student is highly encouraged to file the FAFSA to be considered for the most financial aid (including scholarships, grants, loans and Federal Work-Study). Students and families must file the FAFSA each year. Ohio State's priority date for filing is February 1. You can still submit your FAFSA after that date, but filing before will give your family priority aid consideration.

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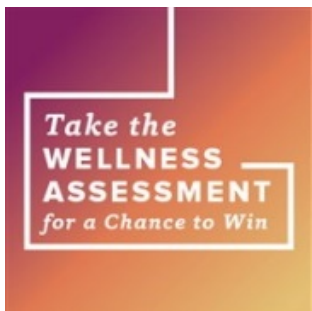


Off-Campus Housing Network

Ohio State is committed to helping students looking for off-campus housing make informed decisions about where they want to live and who they want to rent from through The Ohio State University Off-Campus Housing Network.

Property owners that commit to meeting certain criteria involving safety and ethical business practices will be considered in-network. The program is from Student Life's Off-Campus and Commuter Student Engagement (OCCSE) department, and only in-network properties will be included in OCCSE materials and events.

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Wellness Assessment

The Student Life Student Wellness Center and the Center for the Study of Student Life are collecting health and wellness data on our student community during the month of October. The Wellness Assessment takes less than 10 minutes to complete and by taking the survey, students learn about their personal well-being and get connected to wellness related resources on campus. The collected data will help to inform Student Life and Academic Affairs where to allocate additional time and resources to increase student well-being. Students who complete the Assessment during the month of October will be entered to win BuckID Cash, gift cards and other prizes.

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Surviving an Active Aggressor

It's scary to think about, but an active aggressor



could strike any place, at any time. That's why Ohio State's Department of Public Safety has a "Surviving an Active Aggressor" video to educate the campus community. The safety of our students, faculty and staff is our top priority and we encourage all Buckeyes to watch. We encourage everyone to report suspicious behavior on campus to OSUPD (614-292-2121) or off-campus to CPD (614-645-4545). Always dial 911 in emergencies.

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