This bulletin was sent to fall undergraduates at 12:10pm September 2.

Whether you’ve taken in-person classes before or you’re visiting for the first time, we’re excited to welcome many of you to campus this fall!

We’ve been busy preparing for a safe return to in-person activities and wanted to update you on the resources and services that will be available as you start the term.

**MASKS**

Unless you have an approved exemption, non-medical **masks must be worn** in all indoor common areas and learning spaces on SFU campuses, including classrooms (as of August 25). If you do not wear a mask, you may be asked to leave the classroom. Please talk to your instructor if you are in the process of obtaining an exemption.

If you require a mask exemption in the classroom for medical reasons, please contact the Centre for Accessible Learning at [cal_admin@sfu.ca](mailto:cal_admin@sfu.ca) for assistance. If you are requesting mask exemptions on other protected grounds, such as religion, you can contact the Office of Student Support, Rights and Responsibilities at [student_support@sfu.ca](mailto:student_support@sfu.ca).

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Students who cannot wear a mask should be encouraged to practice physical distancing where feasible. If you forget your mask, ask your instructor if they have any extras. You can also obtain disposable masks from Student Central in Burnaby and at the information desks in Vancouver and Surrey.

To facilitate communication, instructors are not required to wear a mask while teaching if they are able to maintain a two-metre distance from students.

Let’s be kind to each other as we transition into a new learning environment. We are making every effort to keep our SFU community safe, and wearing a mask is part of this effort. If you see someone not wearing a mask, please do not make assumptions, as that person may be exempted. If you feel personally uncomfortable in a certain situation or you need support, connect with the Office of Student Support, Rights, and Responsibilities per S10.05 (Student Conduct Policy) by emailing ssrr@sfu.ca.

BC VACCINE CARD

Proof of vaccination will also be required on all SFU campuses for some events and activities starting September 13 with the implementation of the BC Vaccine Card.

GET VACCINATED ON CAMPUS

Fraser Health is offering pop-up vaccine clinics to students at the Burnaby and Surrey campuses starting August 27. These are drop-in clinics. No appointment, MSP coverage or personal health number required.

WELCOME ACTIVITIES FOR THE FALL TERM

Celebrate the start of term, create your community, discover important resources, join a student club and explore SFU with Month of Welcome throughout September (until October 7).

WAYFINDING TOURS

Is this your first time at SFU, or do you want to reacquaint yourself with the Burnaby and Surrey campuses? Sign up for a guided wayfinding tour where you’ll familiarize yourself with the Student Union Building, the library and recreational facilities, and learn about student engagement opportunities, on-campus services, and more. Our Wayfinding Champions are ready to answer all your questions.

CAMPUS IS REOPENING
What's open? What's closed? Find general campus services you might need, with information on how to access them in person, online and/or by phone.

Find guidelines, resources, FAQs and other news about campus services like:

- Bookstore and Spirit Shop
- Food services
- Library
- Recreation services like the fitness and aquatic centres

**CAMPUS SAFETY**

Learn what to do in an emergency at SFU and how to request a Safe Walk from anywhere on campus.

**STUDENT SERVICES**

Visit the Student Services website to learn about the supports and services that can help you with your academic goals, your personal aspirations, and your health and well-being.

**MEDICAL INSURANCE**

Learn more about your health coverage as an SFU student. All students are required to enroll in BC’s Medical Services Plan, unless covered by another medical services plan in another province in Canada.

Students have secondary health and dental coverage through the SFSS Health and Dental Plan. Learn what is covered or how to change your coverage.

**GET YOUR ID CARD AND U-PASS, PAY YOUR TUITION FEES**

- Get your student ID card (you can get this online!)
- Request your September U-Pass and learn where to get where to get your monthly U-Pass or how to opt out
- Note important dates and deadlines for tuition and fee payments, and making changes to your
course schedule (you can pay online!)

- Cancel your application for fall 2021 graduation if you need to, and apply for summer 2022 graduation

FINANCIAL AID

Make sure you know the application deadlines for work-study, scholarships, bursaries and other awards available to you.

SFU STUDENT SOCIETY

Find out how to join a club and get involved in student initiatives, advocacy and leadership.

PARKING

Learn about the new HONK parking system at the Burnaby campus, purchase a student parking permit (as of 2021 they are electronic) and find out everything else you might want to know about parking at SFU - including bike storage.

DOWNLOAD SFU SNAP APP

Download SFU Snap for emergency alerts, campus maps, exam and course schedules, campus info and much more! Created by students for students. Available from the App Store or Google Play.

We hope to see you on campus soon!