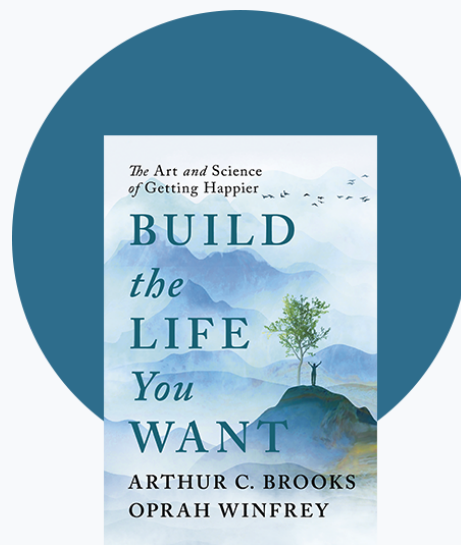


THE LOOP

September brings a bit of a deep breath on campus. The frantic energy of August has past as students settle into their new routines. Staff and faculty are thinking about the upcoming months which bring fall break, holidays, mid-terms and finals. It's almost as the weather cools we start to shift focus to the end of term.

Opportunities abound for students to learn about campus offerings — learning abroad, exploring majors and an unending option of social engagements with clubs, Friday Night Hype, Greek Life and much more.

Resources



During PlazaPalooza on August 27th, President Randall gifted students a copy of **“Build the Life You Want: The Art and Science of Getting Happier”** by University of Utah Impact Scholar and Harvard Professor [Arthur Brooks](#).

If your student missed the opportunity to pick up a book, *there are copies available in the lobby of the Park Building on campus.*



Is your student itching to spread their wings? Yearning for another stamp in their passport? Offering over 500 programs the U's Global Engagement team will showcase many of them during the [Learning Abroad Fair](#) at Library Plaza from 10am-2pm on **Tuesday, September 10th.**



Good health is essential to student academic success and unexpected medical bills can disrupt their education if they are uninsured. Open enrollment for the [Student Health Insurance Plan](#) is available **now through Thursday, September 12th.** Visit the [United Healthcare](#) site to enroll.



Students! Don't miss the annual [Major Expo](#) at the Union on **September 25th**.

Info on *EVERY major, minor and certificate program* offered at the U.

Chat with academic advisors from across campus or learn how to get involved with other opportunities.

Webinar

Understanding Healthcare Options On & Around Campus

September 24th at 12pm MST

Student Health and Wellness presenters will discuss cost and coverage at the Student Health Center, how to find an in-network provider, urgent care options close to campus, and other frequently asked questions.

Did you know the University has a new Instagram channel just for students? [@utahstudentlife](#) – be sure to follow!

Student Social Events

- Thursday Weekly - *[Farmers Market](#)* at Tanner Plaza, 10am - 2pm
 - Tuesday, September 10th - *[Learning Abroad Fair](#)*
 - Friday, September 13th - *[Crimson Chase](#)* – think campus-wide scavenger-hunt-type event! Grab your bestie, roommate or someone new, then enter to play, win prizes, eat food and explore campus like never before!
 - Friday, September 20th – *[High Stakes Bingo](#)*
 - Wednesday, September 25th - *[Major Expo](#)* at the Union, 10am-2pm
 - Friday, September 27th – *[Homecoming Pep Rally](#)*, Stilwell Field
 - October 6-13 – *Fall Break* (NO CLASSES)
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U Family Weekend Update



U Family Weekend attendees, keep tethered to your email as we will be sending out important information in the next week or so.

For families still wishing to participate, hurry, *there are still a few spots for the watch party and tailgate on Saturday October 19th.*

Alternatively, if you can't swing into Utah this October, celebrate wherever you are with some [U Family Merch!](#) *Last day to order is September 16th.*

And, if you are joining us in October, the [Hyatt Downtown Salt Lake City](#) still has a few discounted rooms available to our U Families.



PURCHASE WEEKEND GEAR

BUY WATCH PARTY & TAILGATE TICKETS

University Highlight



In a historic agreement the U and the U.S. Army Reserve [announced a land transfer and reallocation agreement last month](#). This exchange of acreage will allow the university to add an additional 50 acres to our urban campus and develop state of the art campus amenities for years to come.

Important Dates & Deadlines

- September 23rd: [Spring 2025 Class Schedule is available](#)
- September 24th: Webinar "[Understanding Healthcare Options On & Around Campus](#)"
- September 28th: [University Homecoming weekend](#)
- October 6-13: Fall Break (NO CLASSES)
- October 18-20: [U Family Weekend](#)

If you have any questions, feel free to contact us at belong@utah.edu or call 801-213-1800.

You can also schedule a time to [meet with Michelle](#).

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