



University of Central Florida Student Success and Advising 2022-2023 Highlights

Student Success and Advising (SSA) creates opportunities for undergraduate students to thrive by providing a system of support to foster academic success, retention, and timely degree attainment. Working collaboratively with the colleges and campus partners, we assist students in achieving their academic and personal goals. Our team includes the following areas:

- Academic Services for Student-Athletes
- First Year Experience
- Knights Major Exploration and Transition Center
- Pre-Health and Pre-Law Advising
- Student Academic Resource Center
- University Testing Center
- Advisor Training and Development Team
- myKnight STAR

Academic Services for Student-Athletes

- **70%** of student-athletes for Fall 2022 and Spring 2023 with a 3.0 GPA or greater
- **31** Consecutive semesters with average student-athlete GPA of 3.0 or greater
- **3.30 or greater** Average GPA for student-athletes for the past 8 semesters

First Year Experience

- **17,061** students welcomed through Orientation programs in 2022
- **Transfer Fast Track**- launched new program for non-traditional transfer students
- **Team of the Year** at the Student Success and Well-Being Awards in May 2023

Knights Major Exploration and Transition Center

- **24%** growth in 2022-2023 students contacts compared to prior year
- **200%** growth in undeclared students assigned to the office since May 2020
- **1020** students at the return of the annual **Welcome Expo** in August 2022

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Pre-Health and Pre-Law Advising

- **9,000+** students identified as Pre-Health and Pre-Law at UCF
- **#20** in applicants to allopathic (M.D.) medical schools
- **162** personalized mock interviews for UCF students and alumni

Student Academic Resource Center

- FTIC students who participate in peer tutoring or Supplemental Instruction (SI) 6 or more times have greater 1st year retention and graduation rates
 - **96.4%** retention rate
 - **67.9%** 4-year graduation rate
- **416** students used the PeerKnight's Academic Coaching and Engagement (ACE) Program
- Awarded **Supplemental Instruction (SI) Program Accreditation** by the International Center for Supplemental Instruction (ICSI) in December 2022
 - Only accredited school in Florida

University Testing Center

- **15,000 +** academic exams administered
- 2023 recipient of the **College Level Examination Program (CLEP) Honors National Achievement Award**

Advisor Training and Development Team

- **New Annual Notice of Advising Updates**
 - **98%** completion rate for academic advisors (Advisor sub-family)
- **494** total attendance at synchronous training sessions
- **205** digital training completions across five courses
- **20** Student Success and Advising Certificate awarded
 - Total completions since certificate launch
- **2023 Advising Updates Forum**
 - **289** attendees
 - **20** state college partners

myKnight STAR

- **NEW** [Student](#) and [Staff](#) website landing pages
- **31** units offer students online scheduling, including all college advising offices
- **149** total attendance at synchronous training sessions
- **346** digital training completions across four sessions

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