

Universtudent government and individual students will be encouraged and

provided with resources to contribute to community through a variety of initiatives of their own making.

Undergraduate and graduate staff members will also serve on a variety of program-plan implementation committees and task force groups. Groups will be based on key elements of the program plan such as the personal development series, major programs, and major social events. Each of the committees will have representation from the first year complexes and a coordinating infrastructure will be developed to allow the full-first year staff to collaborate on program implementation. Each student staff committee will be coordinated and overseen by a professional Complex Coordinator who will operate under the supervision of the Associate Director of Residence Life.

The program plan articulates only a portion of the duties of a residence hall staff member related to student outreach and student assistance. Staff members perform a wide variety of routine and non-routine roles that contribute to the overall student experience.

Repeating Themes:

The majority of months include one major all-freshman program, one complex-based personal development series, social events, and one campus resource connection.

Typical monthly occurrences also include student government initiatives, floor meetings, RA conversations, and a set of floor visuals focused on campus resources, environmental sustainability, and major University programs.

Campus experts/professionals/faculty will be utilized when appropriate to offer the programs in the Personal Development Series, Major All-Freshman Programs, and Campus Resource Connections. The Personal Development Series and Campus Resource Connections may not be as self-explanatory as the other aforementioned themes and are summarized below. The full approach to social activities may not be apparent on the table document and are also explained below.

Major All-

November

Programs	What Matters?	This self-reflection activity will allow students the opportunity to explore and examine a variety of things that they value (places, people, memories, goals, etc.). This exploration process, and subsequent discussion with peers, will help them explore motivations for their own and their peers' internal decision-making processes. (building-staff)
	Personal Development Series	Host one program in each FY complex "Travel on a Dime" to present inexpensive means to experience the country and the world. Experienced student travelers, any interested faculty, and UD affiliated travel agent will be asked to present.
Social Events	Thanksgiving Dinners	Floor will have the opportunity to join for a Thanksgiving meal.
	Complex Video Game Tournaments	Residents can participate in various video game and trivia tournaments in which the proceeds will be donated to a charity of the winner's choice.
Floor Meeting	November Floor Meeting	RAs will inform students about policies and procedures for the Thanksgiving break. RAs will facilitate a conversation about environmental impact of consumption patterns through a simulated "shopping" exercise. (floor-RA)
RA Conversations	General Follow-up	<u>Students will be invited to discuss any transitional issues they may be having. (floor-RA)</u>
	Winter Holidays	Information about various November/December religious holidays and traditions.
	Bulletin Boards	Study Tips, Goal Setting, Movie Quotes, Famous RAs, Alternatives to Drinking, On-Campus Jobs, Homesickness, Freshman Year Tips, Recycling, Community Service Opportunities, Room Decorating Ideas, Alcohol Awareness, Floor Goals, Floor Facts
	Compelling Question: Where in the world will life take me?	Interactive bulletin board on which residents can post their answers to the following question, "What parts of the world will your life and career take you?" Floor global map to be utilized in conjunction with topic.
Floor Visuals	Alternative Spring Break	Information about service trip opportunities during the Spring Break period.
	Military Service Recognition	In recognition of Veteran's Day and those students who have families deployed, a bulletin board will be designed to recognize current military service members and veterans emphasizing the importance of citizenship through service to the country.
	Citizens Of the Month	Monthly recognition of residents who make positive contributions to the community.
	Celebrate Your Successes	Ongoing floor visual: Students can post representations of their achievement of an academic goal for the month (RAs have certificate template).
	International Media	

December

January

	Title	Description
Programs	Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service	A number of service opportunities in the residential complex and surrounding community will be available. In 1994 Congress passed the King Holiday and Service Act, designating the King Holiday as a national day of volunteer service. Instead of a day off from work or school, Congress asked Americans of all backgrounds and ages to celebrate Dr. King's legacy by turning community concerns into citizen action. Depending on winter enrollment and interested participants, this day may be converted into a gathering and planning day for a service activity in February. (complex-staff)
Social Events	Winter Community Connections	
RA Conversations	General Follow Up	RA will seek out those residents enrolled in winter session to further the sense of connection with those students. (floor-RA)
	Closing Information	Closing and room change information posted on each floor.
	Bulletin Boards	Study Tips, Goal Setting, Movie Quotes, Famous RAs, Alternatives to Drinking, On-Campus Jobs, Homesickness, Freshman Year Tips, Recycling, Community Service Opportunities, Room Decorating Ideas, Alcohol Awareness, Floor Goals, Floor Facts
Floor Visuals	Charity Options	Interactive bulletin board on which students share their favorite charitable organizations.
	Finals Success Tips	Information about how to prepare and study for final exams.
	Sustainable Vacationing	Information about eco-friendly vacation locations and tips for traveling in an environmentally friendly manner.
	Alternative Spring Break	Information about service trip opportunities during the Spring Break period.
Other	Operational Processes	<u>Work to meet the general safety, security, and personal needs of students. (all areas-all staff)</u>

February

	Title	Description
Programs	Freshman Year Philanthropy Kick-off	Each complex will initiate a philanthropic endeavor for the spring semester such as Relay for Life, Soap for Hope, etc. (complex-staff)
	Personal Decision Making	This program will provide students with opportunities to learn about environmental sustainability issues related to retail stores. Guest speakers and faculty members will be involved in the planning and facilitation. (complex-staff)
	Personal Development Series	Collaborate with student ACLU, Office of Judicial Affairs, and Dean of Students to present program to each FY complex on student's rights and responsibilities.
Social Events	Welcome Back Party	

March

	Title	Description
Programs	Freshman Year Philanthropy (continued)	See February for description
	Personal Development Series	Topic TBA – Considering Summer Internship program with Career Services
Social Events	Roommate Challenge	Students will have the opportunity to find out how much they know about their roommate and floor mates while participating in a friendly competition. (complex-staff)
Floor Meeting	Recyclemania	RAs will provide information about closing for Spring Break, emphasizing spring break safety. Residents will also discuss the upcoming campus wide initiatives around Recyclemania. (floor-RA)
Floor Visuals	Women's History Month	Women's Studies Program will be requested to provide posting materials
	Mid Term Study Tips	Study tips for mid-term exams and finals.
	IT User Services: Virtual Citizen	Information about the Virtual Citizen series
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	"Have You Considered This?"	Monthly environmental sustainability tip and/or question
Campus Resource Connection	IT User Services: Virtual Citizen Series	In collaboration with the Office of Information Technologies, each building staff will explore what it means to be a citizen through the lens of technology. Students will have the opportunity to explore ways to become a good citizen through social networking sites, responsible computing, legal downloading and sharing practices. They will also be educated on the broad and specific consequences of their cyber actions. (complex-staff)
	Women's History Month	Staff will advertise campus wide events (complex-staff)
CCC Initiatives:	Student Leader Initiatives	On-going events initiated, planned, and organized by CCC student leaders. (complex-students)
	Resapalooza	An outdoor festival held each spring, sponsored by the Resident Student Association. Each Complex Community Council participates in the planning and execution of this event and also to provide complex specific entertainment (booth). Student groups will convene planning committees. (campus-wide-student leaders)
Other	Operational Processes	<u>Work to meet the general safety, security, and personal needs of students. (all areas-all staff)</u> <u>Administrative processes: room changes, fire drills, mail/packages, keys, duty rounds, office hours, etc.</u>

April

Title	Description
Political Involvement Beyond Elections	Representatives from multiple political parties will be invited to host a forum and inform students of avenues for political involvement outside of traditional “get out the vote” methods. Politically based RSOs and interested faculty will also be invited to assist with the program.
Programs	Personal Development Series Wellspring facilitated Rape Prevention program in each FY complex
Earth Day	

May

	Title	Description
Programs	Trading Stuff	Students can bring their unwanted items at the end of the year to trade with one another. (building-staff)
	Personal Development Series	Topic TBA – Considering “Odd Jobs for the Summer as Resume Boosts” with Career Services
	Freshman Year Philanthropy (continued)	See February for description
	End of Year Social Events	A series of social events to commemorate the end of the academic year. (building-staff)
Social Events	Celebrate Your Successes Party	A party to celebrate students’ academic achievements. (floor-RA)
	Awards Reception	RL Student Leadership Awards and other honors will be distributed to students who make significant contributions to the Residen