USF is now a “Preeminent State Research University,” as designated by the Florida Board of Governors in June of 2018.

Diversity Matters
43% of first-time-in-college USF students in Fall 2019 were African American, Black, Asian American, Hispanic, Native American or multiracial. International students make up 9% of the USF student population and represent 141 nations from across the globe.

Quality + Affordability = Value
The Princeton Review listed USF as a Best Value College in 2020 for providing students with high-quality education and career readiness at an affordable cost.

200+ Ways to Follow Your Passion
USF offers more than 200 undergraduate majors and concentrations across our three campuses.

Making an Impact
USF ranks as the fourth-best public university in the nation. – Times Higher Education (THE) University Impact Rankings, 2020

A National Leader
USF is ranked #46 among all public universities in the U.S. – U.S. News & World Report, 2021

700+ Ways to Get Involved
USF features more than 700 student clubs and organizations across our three campuses.

Major Metropolitan Opportunities
Tampa’s booming business climate offers students numerous opportunities to intern and start their careers with major companies, including world-renowned Fortune 500 companies.

Top-Ranked Beaches
Siesta Beach (#1 in the U.S.), St. Pete Beach (#2 in the U.S.) and Clearwater Beach (#5 in the U.S.) are all in our backyard. – TripAdvisor, 2020

To Your Health
USF is one of seven universities nationwide and the only university in Florida to earn the Active Minds Healthy Campus Award for promoting student health and well-being (2018).
NEXT STEPS // FRESHMEN
GET STARTED ON YOUR JOURNEY

Congratulations on your acceptance to one of the most prominent research universities in the U.S.! Ready to join the USF herd? Here are your next steps.

Step 1
Visit the Journey Through Admission to celebrate your acceptance into the USF herd.

Step 2
Log in to myBullsPath to see your next steps.

Step 3
Complete the items in the myBullsPath checklist to finish enrollment.

Step 4
Submit the FAFSA to be considered for the most financial aid.

AFFORDABILITY // DARE TO COMPARE

USF is proud to offer a wide variety of scholarship, grant and aid options to offset our already low tuition costs. In fact, our overall cost of attendance is among the lowest in the country—even for out-of-state students. But don’t take our word for it. See for yourself!

Blog: How to Compare Aid Offers

LIVE THE BULLS LIFE // HOUSING & RESIDENTIAL EDUCATION

All first-time-in-college (FTIC) students are strongly encouraged to live on the Tampa and St. Petersburg campuses. Students at the Sarasota-Manatee campus should consider nearby affiliated housing options. Residential life at USF is all about building a strong foundation that supports a lifetime of achievement.

The demand for campus housing regularly exceeds the number of available spaces, so apply early!

YOUR SUPPORT SYSTEM // STUDENT ACCESSIBILITY SERVICES

If you need a helping hand, Student Accessibility Services offers the support you need to excel inside the classroom and out.

SEE THE WORLD // STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES

Take advantage of life-changing international programs like study abroad, semester exchanges and international internships.

$880,000 provided in study abroad awards and grants
35+ countries host USF Education Abroad programs

Visit admissions.usf.edu/myBullsPath to complete all of your next steps to enroll at USF: View tuition and fees, register for Orientation, apply for housing, submit documents and more!

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