

# Student Life Cycle: September

## ***SAMRU's Focus***

Find community/  
Build a Foundation

## ***SAMRU's Priorities***

Create welcoming events,  
new student orientations

## ***Special days to consider***

Labour Day, World Suicide Prevention  
Day, Calgary Pride Parade

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## ***Student Priorities***

Buying books, paying  
fees, moving, etc

## ***Student Feelings***

Feeling unknown, finding  
their way around campus,  
trying to keep up with  
social activities, trying to  
make friends, etc.

## ***MRU Themes***

Get Connected: NSO, International  
Education week, volunteer &  
employment opportunities

# Student Life Cycle Breakdown

## ***Your SA Focus***

What is the theme of this period/month for students?

## ***Your SA Priorities***

What is your organization needing to convey to students during this period?

## ***Special days to consider***

Are there any holidays or awareness days to consider in your program planning?

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## ***Student Priorities***

What are students' core academic priorities during this period?

## ***Student Feelings***

What is the student experience like during this period? What are the students feeling?

## ***Your University Themes***

What is the institution needing to convey to students during this period?

# RESEARCH

- NSSE - National Survey of Student Engagement
- CUSC - Canadian University Survey Consortium
- NCHA - National College Health Assessment
- SSAS - SAMRU's Student Satisfaction and Awareness Survey
- Direct interactions with students in their spaces