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## Important News

*Week of February 1st*

### Last Day To....

**Wednesday, Feb. 3rd**, is the last day to withdraw from courses for the Spring 2021 Mini-A Term. Students should speak with their professor before withdrawing from a course and meet with an Academic Advisor to discuss the impact of a withdrawal on their education plan. [Find out more.](#)



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### Tax Time

Students [1098-T tax forms](#) for 2020 are now available through your [FSW Portal](#). The data reported on the 1098-T can be found by following these steps:



1. Log in to your portal using your **USERNAME** and **PASSWORD**
2. Click on the **Student Academics** tab
3. Click on **Student Profile** then click the **Student Records Menu** button
4. Click on **Tax Notification**
5. Type "**2020**" in the tax year box and click **SUBMIT**

If you have any questions, please contact the Bursar's Office at 239-489-9386.

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### Scott Wright Student Essay Contest

Student authors are asked to describe a faculty member, staff member, or administrator who encouraged them to complete a course, finish a semester, or graduate from college and how that encouragement helped them reach their goal(s) in a 500-word or less essay. The prize, rubric, submission form, and terms and criteria can be located on the [National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development \(NISOD\)](#) website. The deadline to submit is **Mar. 12, 2021**.



### OIT Assistance

The Office Of Information Technology (OIT) is available to assist you with your technology needs. Whether you need to reset your password, download Microsoft Office 365, or Request Assistance with a technology-related issue, The OIT has you covered. [Learn more](#).

### FSW Fitness Center February

Students who use the [Lee or Collier Campus Fitness Center](#) at least 12 times for at least 30 minutes per visit during February will be entered to win a Yeti cooler for Lee Campus participants and a beach cooler and beach chair/speaker combo for Collier Campus participants. Students must present their BUC Card upon entering the FSW Fitness Center and wear a mask throughout their workout. For more information, please email [campusrec@fsw.edu](mailto:campusrec@fsw.edu).





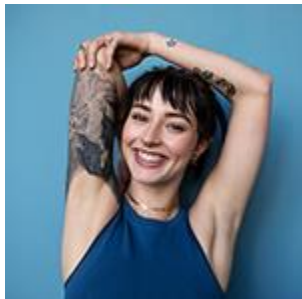
## 10th Annual Strides For Education 5K

On Saturday, Feb. 6th, FSW's Lee Campus will be the location for the 10th Annual Take Stock in Children's Strides for Education 5K Walk/Run. Along with the in-person race, a virtual 5K race option has been added. To participate, visit the [Strides For Education 5K website](#), select *Teams* and Join *Florida SouthWestern State College*. Proceeds from the 5K support the Take Stock in Children Scholarship Program. [Register today!](#) Registration closes on Feb. 5th.



## Featured Events

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### Fun On The Lips, Forever On The Hips

Are you struggling with diet, lack of exercise, sleep deprivation, or alcohol and drug use? Join us for [Fun On The Lips, Forever On The Hips: Creating Healthy And Sustainable Habits](#) on Monday, Feb. 1st, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Learn how to make positive behavioral changes, so you can be the best you possible.

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### Empowerment In Education

Join Dr. Roy on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd at 6:00 p.m. via Zoom for an OBOC Book Chat. The topic for discussion is [Empowerment in Education](#). Join the conversation, share your thoughts, and hear what others have to say about [this month's topics](#).





## Puppy Yoga Y'all - Lee Campus

On Tuesday, Feb. 2nd, and Wednesday, Feb. 3rd. Student Engagement brings you socially distanced [Puppy Yoga](#)! There will be four 15 minute beginner yoga classes using meditation, stretching, and puppies to help you relax! Class times are 11:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m., and 12:30 p.m. space is limited, so reserve a spot today by emailing [engage@fsw.edu](mailto:engage@fsw.edu). Don't forget to bring your donated item for the [Student Engagement Pet Supply Drive](#).

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## Mystery Box: Black Heritage Edition

[Register here](#) to receive a box of items celebrating Black History Month. Included in the box are items from black artists and a mystery item from a black-owned business. The Mystery Box will be mailed to you after you register. Submit an unboxing reaction video to @FSWstudents on social media or email to [Gabrielly.Cordon@fsw.edu](mailto:Gabrielly.Cordon@fsw.edu) by Feb. 26, 2021, and be entered for a special prize!



## Upcoming Events

Click the event name to learn more or visit the [FSW Event Calendar](#).

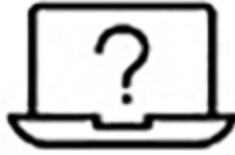
Feb. 9: [Resume & Cover Letter Workshop](#)

Feb. 10: [Making The Most Of Your Interview](#)

Feb. 17: [Softball Home Opener](#)

Feb. 22: [Classes Dropped For Non-Payment - Spring 2021 Mini-B Term](#)

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## Question Of The Week

"Can I Change My Advisor?"

**Answer:** Yes, you can change your Advisor by visiting the Advising check-in desk and submitting a [Change of Advisor form \(PDF\)](#), or you can email the Advising office at [advising@fsw.edu](mailto:advising@fsw.edu). You may choose to change to an Advisor on any FSW campus. For some AS majors or certain certificates, you may not be able to switch because there may be only one Advisor that assists these students.

*Do you have a question? Ask it in the feedback section below.*

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## Save the Date

Feb. 24: [A Conversation With George Floyd's Family](#)  
Apr. 2: [Campus Life Awards](#)

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