



The University Service Center's First Gen Connect Newsletter

March 2017

On-Campus Activities

Open skating at Walter Brown Arena is free to BU students

From now until April 30, open skating held:
Tuesdays/Thursdays 12:15 – 1:20 p.m.
Fridays 8-10 p.m.
Sundays 12-2 p.m.

*with the exception of 3/17 and Spring Break

Check out open hours to go rock climbing for free at FitRec

Mon. / Wed. 12-2 p.m., 8:30-11 p.m.
Tues. / Thurs. 12-2 p.m., 7-10:30 p.m.
Friday – Sunday 4:30-9 p.m.

For more information, visit the [Fitness and Recreation Center](#) website.

Struggling to Get through Midterms?

You might want to consider booking a [Peer Tutoring](#) appointment at the [ERC](#)

The Educational Resource Center offers two types of peer tutoring:

1) **Single appointments** – you're able to ask specific questions or need a one-time review for an exam

2) **Weekly appointments** – you can meet with the same tutor and review course content on a consistent basis. If you're not sure which might be best for you, you can check out the ERC's [Appointment Comparison Guide](#).

Like our [Facebook page](#) to stay up-to-date on First Gen Connect news, information, and events.

Spring break is coming! Dining Closing Information

The last meal served in [Residence Dining Rooms](#) will be dinner on Friday, March 3. Dining Rooms will re-open with dinner on Sunday, March 12. During Spring Break, The Union Court, in the George Sherman Union, will be open for dining.



Student Spotlight

Check out our March spotlight – [Luis Castro COM '18](#)

BU Summer Term Registration Now Open!

If you're thinking about taking classes at BU over the summer, the full list of [classes](#) (700+) is now available online!

Summer Session 1: May 23 – June 30
Summer Session 2: July 3 – August 11

Have a question or problem? Contact us!
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5th Annual First Gen College Student Summit

Interested in networking and learning with fellow first gens or discovering ways you can implement various support systems on campus?

This year's [Summit](#) will take place at Tufts University on Saturday, **April 8th** and the theme centers on *Unpacking the Intersections: Navigating Power, Privilege, and Pride*. You have the opportunity to join a small group of BU students in attending this **free** event. If you're interested in attending, please email Hannah at uscgradi@bu.edu.

Important Dates

March 4 – 12
Spring Recess

March 13
Classes Resume

March 15
Application deadline to study abroad for most fall & academic year programs

March 16
[LinkedIn: Building Your Profile](#)
1 p.m., 100 Bay State Rd., 6th floor

March 20
[Assessing Your Skills and Marketing Your Abilities](#), 4 p.m.
100 Bay State Rd., Room 101

March 31
Last Day to Drop Standard Courses (with a "W" grade)

Visit our [website](#) for events and workshops happening this academic year!