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Dear Parents:

Welcome to the Virginia Commonwealth University community and, more specifically, to Fraternity and Sorority Life! VCU is an exciting and dynamic university where your student will find many opportunities to get involved in campus life. Research has shown that 70% of what a student learns during college results from out-of-class experiences. Additionally, research has proven that fraternity and sorority membership helps keep students in college. Fraternity men and sorority women are 28% more likely to stay in college than other students.

The challenges and rewards of college life can be greatly enhanced through a sorority or fraternity experience. At a large university like VCU, many students are in search of a smaller group where they feel comfortable and can work with others to achieve common goals. Since 1970, Virginia Commonwealth has provided students with the Fraternity and Sorority life experience. Being Greek at VCU means an intentional focus on leadership, scholarship, community service, and friendship. Greek-letter organizations give individuals a more well-rounded college experience while encouraging students to be as successful as they can be.

VCU is proud that your student has chosen our institution to further their education. If your family member decides to join the Fraternity and Sorority community, we hope that the experience will be beneficial to his or her growth and development. Please feel free to contact the VCU Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life at any time if you have questions or concerns about Fraternity and Sorority life on campus. You can reach the VCU Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life at (804) 828-4685.

Sincerely,

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