

WINTER 2025

# Winter Newsletter

THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA



## New Scholarship Model

The **University of South Alabama** has introduced a new merit-based scholarship model for international undergraduates, allowing qualified students to receive in-state tuition—about a 50% reduction! (e.g., from ~\$20,406 to ~\$10,203 in Arts & Sciences).

Students must maintain a 3.0 GPA each year to keep the in-state rate, and SAT/ACT scores are not required.



## Collaboration with Airbus

The University of South Alabama and Airbus announced a new partnership with Austal. This collaboration will expand student internships, research opportunities, and strengthen ties with one of the world's leading aerospace companies.

Airbus plans to relocate its Mobile-based U.S. Engineering Center to campus, giving its team closer access to USA talent and resources.

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## Resources for Counselors



### Academic

**International Admissions Guide**  
Requirements, deadlines, English proficiency requirements, and steps in one place.

[→ View here](#)

**Scholarships Overview**  
Eligibility and merit-based award details.  
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## Annual Tree Lighting Festival

The **University of South Alabama** held its annual tree lighting festival, bringing our campus community together for a warm and festive evening.

With performances from the Opera Theater and Wind Ensemble, and a DJ from Jaguar Productions, it was a simple but meaningful way for everyone to connect and celebrate the season.

## From the News....



## Mobile International Festival

Mobile celebrated its 42nd annual International Festival, bringing together food, music, and traditions from cultures across the globe—all represented by the people who call the Port City home.

What began in 1983 has grown into one of Mobile's signature events, giving students and families a chance to learn, connect, and experience the world in one place.

[Read more>>>](#)



## New International Airport Coming to Mobile

Construction is underway on a \$381 million international airport terminal in downtown Mobile. It's expected to open in 2026 and expand travel options across the Gulf Coast.

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## Requests

### Marketing Materials

View our brochures

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### Meetings

Request a meeting

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### Pre-Arrival Guide

What students need before arriving.

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## Additional Information

### Contact List

Where you can reach out if you happen to have any questions

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### Housing & Student Life

Overview of campus living and support services.

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### Virtual Campus Tour

Shareable campus experience for students.

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