

The Lamb Family

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Seizing the Beginning of the Semester

The Cru Buffalo staff team and I have been busy planning for the start of the 2025-26 college school year for a few weeks now. We're so blessed to have some incredible student leaders who we met with before the school year started. We spent some time together planning, training, and praying before we officially kicked things off.



Praying with Student Leaders

We're in the thick of our busiest season of the year. We know we are up against the clock. We find that we have the first three weeks of the school year, then after that, students find themselves in a rut. They've picked their classes, joined their clubs, and scheduled every waking minute between now and Thanksgiving. And if attending Cru isn't in their schedule by then, there is little hope it will be there come May. Of course, there are always exceptions. So, we're doing everything we can to let students know we're at their campus and to get them to hang out

with us. We go to club fairs, walk around campus doing spiritual surveys, and set up tables next to cafeteria lines. We give students a chance to win an Amazon card, we give out squishy stress cows, and other fun stuff. We also have lots of fun socials, and this year, we're trying something new by having our Cru students invite their friends to a fantasy football draft party.



Cru at a Club Fair

Last week was a whirlwind of stories! There was this awesome conversation with a freshman guy who's Mormon. He was really struggling with his faith and what the Bible actually says. But one of the most memorable moments was at a club fair where we met a group of four freshmen. There was a Christian, an ex-Christian, an atheist, and a Jewish guy. They had a ton of questions about Christianity. The Jewish student in particular was really skeptical about Jesus's prophecy fulfillment, but he admitted he hadn't read much of the New Testament. We suggested he read the book of Matthew and see for himself the story of "Jesus, the son of David, the son of Abraham." That led us into a great discussion about the significance of Jesus and how important it is to believe in Him and follow Him.

At the University at Buffalo, we had one of our biggest weekly meetings since the pandemic, with 61 students showing up! Now, the staff and student leaders are working on meeting up the new students in the next week to hear their stories and share what Cru is all about. We usually end those meetings by sharing the Gospel. We'd really appreciate your prayers!



University at Buffalo's 1st weekly meeting

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