



# FIRST-GENERATION FAST FACTS



**You are an outstanding First-Generation Racer!**

**You're a first-gen student if you are in college and neither parent has completed a four-year degree.**



## **FIRST-GENERATION COMMUNITY AT MURRAY STATE**

- 44% of the Fall 2021 undergraduate population is First-Generation
- Many faculty, administrators, and staff are First-Generation, too!



## **FAMOUS FIRST-GENS:**

- Sonia Sotomayor: Associate Justice, Supreme Court of the United States
- Michelle Kwan: Olympic Figure Skater
- Michelle Obama: 44th First Lady of the United States
- Howard Schultz: Chairman and CEO of Starbucks
- Walt Disney: Magnificent Dreamer
- Oprah Winfrey: Media Superstar
- Dr. Don Robertson, VP for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management at Murray State



## **RACER STUDENT RESOURCES**

- Division of Student Affairs: [murraystate.edu/studentaffairs](http://murraystate.edu/studentaffairs)
- Faculty, administrators, and staff who are also First-Generation
- Instructors, academic advisor, and First-Generation supporters



## **NATIONAL RESOURCES**

- I'm First! - [imfirst.org](http://imfirst.org)
- First Generation College Students - [firstgenerationcollegestudents.org](http://firstgenerationcollegestudents.org)
- Center for First-Generation Student Success - [www.coenct.org](http://www.coenct.org)



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