

What's FYSH?

The **First Year Student Housing (FYSH)** Program at Glades Park Towers (GPT) provides a residential experience focused on student success through the transition from high school to college.

The statement of purpose of the FYSH program serves as the guide by which the program is to be measured. While not every program instituted as part of the living-learning experience will espouse with the same emphasis the goals set forth within this document, all will focus on student involvement, learning, and satisfaction.

The goals of the FYSH program include but are not limited to:

- Encouraging and developing the connection between the student and Florida Atlantic University
- Providing opportunities for students to become an active participant in their floor and campus community
- Support student learning through academic and personal development
- Develop and improve leadership skills

The FYSH-ing Tournament

Students residing in Glades Park Towers earn points through attendance at events that are deemed to be FYSH eligible. This program is designed to encourage and recognize student involvement in campus and community events. These events will be noted on the FYSH Facebook group and on the Tournament Bulletin Board located in the GPT Lobby. Total points will be calculated by the Residential Life Staff at GPT and updated weekly. The running total of points per month, semester, and year will also be posted through these media.

Awards

Winners will be posted by the 5th of the month. Annual awards will be announced at Late Night Breakfast at the end of the Spring semester.

Student of the Month: The student with the most points at the end of the month will receive a \$25 gift card to Barnes and Noble Bookstore.

Student of the Year: The student with the most points at the end of each academic semester will receive a 25% scholarship towards their sophomore year housing assignment.

Floor of the Month: The floor with the most points at the end of the month will receive a Pizza Party.

Intramural Winners: Each intramural floor winner will receive sponsorship of a special event to be planned by the floor RAs.