Students' Safe Return to Campus

After months of planning and preparation, students were safely on campus and have begun in-person, socially distanced classes. Students unable to return to campus are joining us remotely this semester. Our weekly COVID testing for students, staff, and faculty in partnership with the Broad Institute, coupled with our efforts to build a contained community on campus, have made the safe and smooth start to the semester possible.

Get to Know John Weinstein

In July, Simon's Rock welcomed a new provost, Dr. John Weinstein. From his formative years to his first job interview at Simon's Rock has developed into a love for the College.

Support Financial Aid Through the Fund for Simon's Rock

Each year, the Fund for Simon’s Rock generates support from alumni, parents, and friends to provide the College’s highest priorities, foremost among these to provide the lifelong educational experiences for younger scholars regardless of means. This year, we have pledged an additional level of financial support to students. Your donation, of any amount, makes this support possible. If you haven’t already donated to the Fund, we thank you and encourage you to extend an additional gift. If you haven’t already donated to the Fund, we thank you and encourage you to extend an additional gift. If you haven’t already donated to the Fund, we thank you and encourage you to extend an additional gift.

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Upcoming Events – Bonus Edition

Check your email in the next few days for a special listing of virtual events open to the community in the coming weeks! We’ll be offering events on poetry, music, literature, and more, plus a very special webinar with two Rockers who are experts in global disaster management.

Future Rockers Can Apply Now for January and Fall 2021

This semester Simon’s Rock welcomed 124 new students across Bard Academy and the College. With this admission cycle winding down, we are centering efforts on a strong push for January 2021 applicants; applications are now open for both January 2021 and Fall 2021. Virtual events for prospective students and families continue, including two open houses for Bard Academy on October 17 and November 7. Find more information on forthcoming virtual events on the Academy and College websites. And if you know any potential future Rockers, please refer them to the Admission Office, admit@simons-rock.edu or 800-235-7186.

Pets of Simon’s Rock

Meet Kupina (her name means blackberry in Serbian). Her human is Chloe Demrovsky ’01.

Got a cute pet pic you want to share? Send it along with your name, entering class year, your pet’s name, and your contact info to Rebecca Wehry, rwehry@simons-rock.edu.