Virginia Tech is celebrating our amazing hokie transfers and the professionals who support them during National Transfer Student Week October 18-22. Visit the website to learn more and view events.

Thank you for all you do to support VT transfer students!

**AAN Updates & Reminders**

**Dates to Remember**
- **October 19 - November 2** - Spring Course Request

**Upcoming Afternoon Chats**
- **October 12** - Hokie Transfer Community
- **November 3** - Services for Students with Disabilities

View more information and our full list of Afternoon Chats on the Academic Advising Initiatives website.

**On Your Radar**
October is Domestic Violence Awareness month. “Advisors may be the first line of support for students and need to understand how to notice the telltale signs of a student in distress” (Firestein 2019). This article details helpful tips for advisors to connect students to support services whatever the trauma may be. Make sure to read up on supporting survivors and mandatory reporting resources on VT’s Stop Abuse page.

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