The first semester of college is a time of transition. These questions can be used to check-in as your student navigates through the first semester at Concordia University.

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER
How is living on campus? Are you making friends?
Which classes do you like or dislike at this point? Who is your favorite professor?
How are you staying organized? Planner? Electronic Calendar?
Does college seem similar to or really different from high school? Why? Why not?
Did you get any assignments back yet? How did you do?
Are you checking your student e-mail regularly?
Where do you usually study? Library? Residence Hall?
How much sleep are you getting each night?
What extra or co-curricular activities do you plan to join?

OCTOBER
Did you sign up for a tutor in the Academic Resource Center (ARC, GRW 3rd Floor)?
Have you utilized the Writing Center (ARC, GRW 3rd Floor)?
Have you met with your Academic Advisor on the 2nd Floor of Hagen
Have you talked with your Professors during their Office Hours? One-on-one?
When are your mid-term examinations?
What have you learned so far in your classes?
What have you done lately to alleviate stress or have fun?
What's the best think you've done in Portland?
How are you adjusting to your roommate on campus?

NOVEMBER
How did your mid-terms go? How are your classes going overall?
When is the class withdrawal deadline?
Do you have enough money left on your Meal Plan?
Is your schedule set for next semester?
What classes are you planning on taking? Why?
What are your thoughts about your major?

DECEMBER
Are you going to the Dead Day Study Break hosted by professors in CAS?
When is your last Final during Finals week?
When do the Residence Halls close for break? When do they reopen in January?
What do you need to secure before leaving for break (computer, bicycle, etc.)?
Looking back, what were the highlights of the semester at Concordia?