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**Summary:** Familiarize yourself with the changes in the latest update to the student portal.

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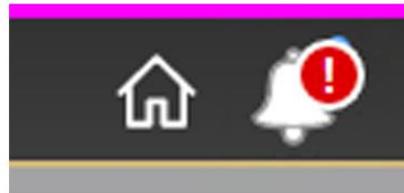
After Feb. 12, you may notice some subtle differences when you log into the student portal, driven by updates from CU's software vendor PeopleSoft.

The notifications alert is updated. A small, red exclamation mark over the bell in the upper right corner alerts you to waiting notifications. Previously, this was a number that signified how many notifications you had.

Another change: The search box is permanently open at the top. Previously, you had to click the magnifying glass icon for it to open. That icon is no longer needed.



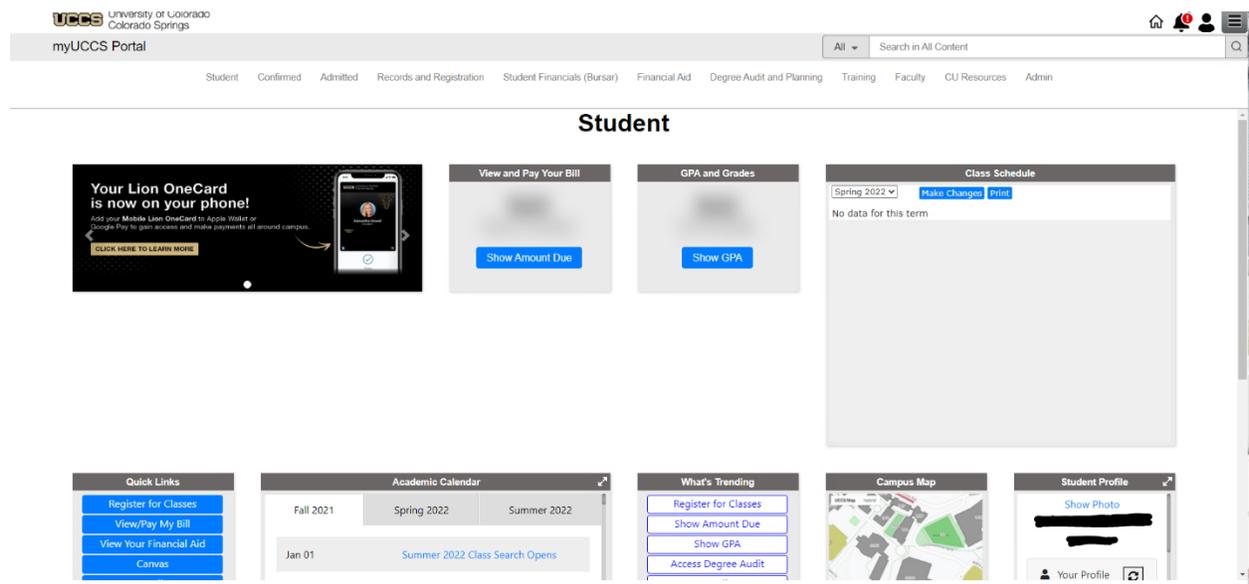
The old notification alert



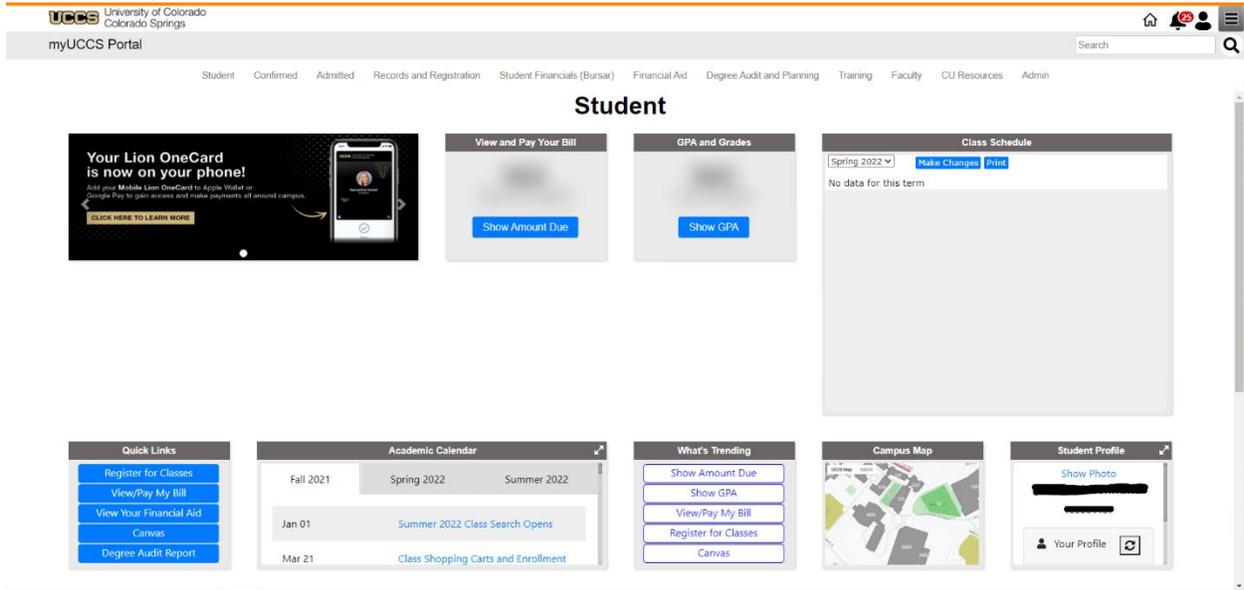
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You will also have the option to leave the notifications panel open. To do so, go to Personalize Homepage > Common Settings > Show Notifications Panel. Select YES to change the default setting.

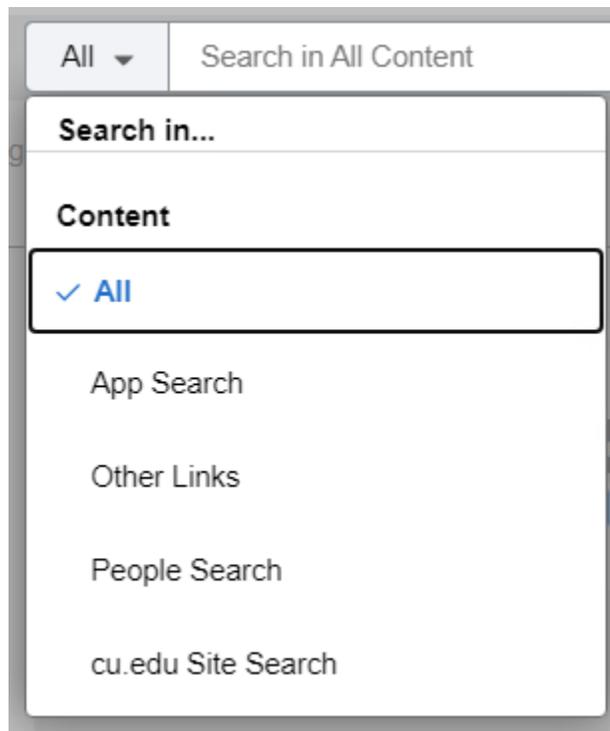
## The new portal layout

A screenshot of the new student portal layout. The page is titled "Student" and features a navigation bar with links for Student, Confirmed, Admitted, Records and Registration, Student Financials (Bursar), Financial Aid, Degree Audit and Planning, Training, Faculty, CU Resources, and Admin. The main content area includes a "Your Lion OneCard is now on your phone!" banner, a "View and Pay Your Bill" section with a "Show Amount Due" button, a "GPA and Grades" section with a "Show GPA" button, and a "Class Schedule" section for Spring 2022 with "Make Changes" and "Print" buttons. The bottom of the page has several widgets: "Quick Links" with buttons for Register for Classes, View/Pay My Bill, View Your Financial Aid, and Canvas; "Academic Calendar" showing Fall 2021, Spring 2022, and Summer 2022; "What's Trending" with buttons for Register for Classes, Show Amount Due, Show GPA, and Access Degree Audit; "Campus Map"; and "Student Profile" with a "Show Photo" button and a "Your Profile" link.

# For reference, the old portal layout



You can also limit your searches by using the new drop-down menu in the search box. This was previously only available when you selected Advanced Search.



The UCSS student portal still works the same, with just these small changes to the notifications alert and search bar. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact [help@cu.edu](mailto:help@cu.edu) or call 303-860-HELP (4357).