2022 FIRST-YEAR FAMILY ORIENTATION SCHEDULE DAY ONE

Note: Sessions marked with an asterisk (*) will be attended by both students and family members/guests.

8:30–10:00AM  ORIENTATION CHECK-IN  |  West Lounge, FPG Student Union

8:30–10:50AM*  STUDENT STORES OPEN HOUSE  |  Student Stores
Take a few minutes to get to know the official University Bookstore, home to Bull’s Head Bookshop, the Pit Stop, the Print Stop, Student Stores’ Pharmacy, the Tech Shop, and more.

STUDENT & ACADEMIC SERVICES INFORMATION FAIR  |  Student Stores
Connect with campus representatives to learn more about offices and departments that are here to support your student through their Carolina career.

11:00–11:35AM*  THRIVE @ CAROLINA  |  Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Join other new students and families to learn what to expect from orientation and how to best help your student thrive at Carolina.

11:40AM–12:30PM  LUNCH  |  Top of Lenoir Dining Hall

12:40–1:10PM  PARTNERING TOGETHER FOR STUDENT SUCCESS: ADVISING @ UNC  |  Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Gain insight on the Academic Advising Program with an overview of academic expectations, the undergraduate curriculum, and students’ academic responsibilities.

1:10–1:30PM  ACADEMIC SUCCESS  |  Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Learn how to support your student’s academic excellence. The Center for Student Success will offer insight on how you can help your student take advantage of resources at Carolina to develop helpful habits, lower their stress, and meet all of their academic goals.

1:40–2:40PM*  MORE THAN JUST A MAJOR  |  Various Rooms, FPG Student Union
Come learn about how your student’s academic journey at Carolina is “more than just a major.” Through the lens of academic exploration faculty, academic advisors, and Orientation Leaders will share their insight in these sessions which will include specific first-year expectations for your student’s area of interest, co-curricular activities, academic resources, and more.

Business Interest  |  3408, FPG Student Union
At this session, you will learn about the required prerequisite courses to apply to the Kenan-Flagler School of Business. Information about the application process and co-curricular activities will also be presented. You will also learn about other majors that can lead to careers in the business field.

Fine Arts and Humanities Interest  |  2420, FPG Student Union
Whether your student is studying Music or English, explore the myriad of opportunities that can complement and enhance their major coursework, and help them prepare for a career or graduate studies. Related majors: American Studies, Art History, Classics, Communication Studies, Comparative Literature, Dramatic Art, English, Germanic & Slavic Languages & Literatures, Linguistics, Media & Journalism, Music, Philosophy, Religious Studies, Romance Languages, Studio Art, Women’s & Gender Studies.
Pre-Health Interest | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Is your student interested in being a healthcare professional? Here you will learn about health-related majors, required and suggested courses, co-curricular opportunities, and resources to assist your student with the application process. Related graduate school paths: Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Pharmacy, Physician’s Assistant, Physical Therapy, Radiologic Science, and other health-related professions.

Science, Not Pre-Health Interest | Auditorium, FPG Student Union
In this session, science majors who do not intend to enter a profession in a health-related field will learn about academic opportunities, resources, and suggested coursework for their first year. Related majors: Biology, Biomedical Engineering, Biostatistics, Chemistry, Clinical Lab Science, Computer Science, Pre-Dental Hygiene, Environmental Studies & Sciences, Exercise & Sport Science, Geological Sciences, Health Policy & Management, Mathematics, Mathematical Decision Sciences, Neuroscience, Nutrition, Physics & Astronomy, Psychology.

Social & Behavioral Sciences Interest | 3411, FPG Student Union

2:50–3:20PM* PROFESSOR’S PERSPECTIVE | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
A Carolina faculty member will discuss faculty expectations for the Carolina classroom and strategies to facilitate student success.

3:20–4:00PM BREAK

4:00–4:15PM NSFP: YOUR OFFICE ON CAMPUS | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
New Student & Family Programs partners with undergraduate families during your student’s entire time at Carolina. Learn about the ways we support families and support student success through our programming, communications, and engagement opportunities.

4:15–5:05PM PARTNERS IN TRANSITION, PART I | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Sending a student to college can be a big change for the entire family. Senior leadership from Student Affairs will discuss ways in which you can support your student’s transition to Carolina.

5:05–5:15PM EAT LIKE A TAR HEEL | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
UNC Chapel Hill is rated as one of the “Top 75 Best Colleges for Food in America” by the Daily Meal (2017). Learn about Meal Swipes, Plus Swipes, Dining Flex, and how we will keep your student well fed on campus.

5:15–6:30PM* DINNER | Top of Lenoir Dining Hall
If attending Under the Carolina Skies, please meet outside the Top of Lenoir, in The Pit at 6:15PM. The last guided departure to the Planetarium leaves at 6:30pm. Please note we are unable to seat guests at the Planetarium past 6:40pm.

6:40–7:45PM UNDER THE CAROLINA SKIES | Morehead Planetarium
Relax in the Morehead Planetarium Star Theatre for a showing of Carolina Skies, which will surround you with thousands of stars, constellations, and planets. It is a UNC tradition that is out of this world!
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7:30–8:15AM*  BREAKFAST  |  Top of Lenoir Dining Hall

8:15–8:40AM*  
Groups 1–12: INTEREST SESSION 1
All Interest Sessions are located in the FPG Student Union
See pages 6–7 for Interest Session descriptions.

Groups 13–18: FAMILY ENGAGEMENT & CAMPUS LIFE INFORMATION FAIR
Student Stores
Meet campus representatives to learn more about opportunities to maximize your time in the Carolina family.

8:45–9:10AM*  
Groups 1–6, 13–18: INTEREST SESSION 2
All Interest Sessions are located in the FPG Student Union
See pages 6–7 for Interest Session descriptions.

Groups 7–12: FAMILY ENGAGEMENT & CAMPUS LIFE INFORMATION FAIR
Student Stores
Meet campus representatives to learn more about opportunities to maximize your time in the Carolina family.

9:15–9:40AM*  
Groups 7–18: INTEREST SESSION 3
All Interest Sessions are located in the FPG Student Union
See pages 6–7 for Interest Session descriptions.

Groups 1–6: FAMILY ENGAGEMENT & CAMPUS LIFE INFORMATION FAIR
Student Stores
Meet campus representatives to learn more about opportunities to maximize your time in the Carolina family.

9:50–10:15AM  TAR HEEL TALK  |  Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Wondering how much your student will need to study? What making friends is like in the first semester? How to get involved? Learn the student perspective by asking current students questions about their Carolina experience during a question and answer period.

10:25–10:55AM*  CAROLINAREADY: CAMPUS PREPAREDNESS AND SAFETY AT UNC-CHAPEL HILL
Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Campus education and awareness is a critical element of promoting campus safety and the implementation of the University’s crisis and emergency response plans. The Dean of Students Office and leaders from Risk Management and UNC Police departments will share valuable information, including overviews of Alert Carolina, safe transportation, methods for reporting concerns, safety tips, and valuable resources for new students.

11:10–12:00PM  PARTNERS IN TRANSITION, PART II: BUILDING A CAROLINA COMMUNITY
Great Hall, FPG Student Union
During this session, parents and family members will receive an overview of pertinent policies that set the expectations for student behavior at Carolina. Presenters will also review available campus resources that support student well-being and overall student success. Strategies and tips will be provided for engaging with your student about making responsible decisions around alcohol, personal conduct, and utilizing campus resources.

12:05–1:05PM  LUNCH  |  Top of Lenoir Dining Hall
1:15–2:00PM  **ENSURING A SUCCESSFUL TRANSITION TO STUDENT HOUSING**

**CAROLINA HOUSING**  |  Auditorium, FPG Student Union
Your student’s transition to a successful first year starts with their living environment. This session will give families an overview of what Carolina Housing has to offer your student in terms of support, safety, resources, and learning opportunities.

**GRANVILLE TOWERS**  |  Room 2422, FPG Student Union
Your student’s transition to a successful first year starts with their living environment. This session will give families an overview of how to navigate the residential experience at Granville Towers (partnered with Carolina Housing). Topics will range from resources available to supporting your student to the basics of how the meal plan works, and more!

2:10-2:40PM  **A COMMUNITY OF CARE**  |  Auditorium, FPG Student Union
The health and mental health of your student is critical to their success at Carolina. Learn about the services and programs available that help keep your student healthy and well while on campus, including details about the Campus Health fee, in-network insurance plans, and more.

2:40–3:30PM  **TAR HEEL TASKS**  |  Leave from the Auditorium, FPG Student Union
Use this time to visit a campus office to ask questions or to drop off any paperwork while you are here on campus. Orientation Staff will lead participants to various campus offices and locations from the West Lounge in the FPG Student Union.

North Campus:
- Franklin Street
- Granville Towers Model Room
- Scholarships & Student Aid

South Campus:
- Campus Health Services
- Carolina Housing
- Office of the University Cashier
- Office of the University Registrar

3:40–4:05PM*  **HARK THE SOUND CLOSING CEREMONY**  |  Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Lux Libertas. You are now part of the light and liberty that is Carolina. Join us as we celebrate the completion of your student’s first step as an official member of the Carolina community.

4:15–5:00PM*  **OPTIONAL CAMPUS TOUR**  |  Meet by the Orientation Help Desk, FPG Student Union
Learn more about campus through this informative tour led by a current student. This tour will begin with a stop at the Carolina Housing Model Room in Alexander.
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**THE ARTS AT CAROLINA** | Room 3409

Want to pursue a degree in the arts? Curious how you can attend a performance or see an exhibit? Interested in joining an arts-focused student group? There's an arts experience around every corner at UNC and we're here to help you find your creative outlet. Come to this session and discover what the Arts at Carolina can offer you!

**CAMPUS RECREATION** | Union Auditorium

Find out all the ways Tar Heels Stay Active during their time at Carolina! Campus Rec offers facilities and services to enhance your student’s mental, physical, and social well-being. Discover how your student can participate in our wide variety of programs, including Fitness & Wellness, Aquatics, Carolina Adventures (climbing, expeditions, and challenge course), Intramural Sports, and Sport Clubs. On-campus, off-campus, in-person or virtually, Campus Rec will help your student stay active at UNC.

**CAROLINA COVENANT SCHOLARS** | Room 2422

This session is designed specifically for Carolina Covenant Scholars and their families to gain more insight on the Covenant Scholarship Package. It features information related to the financial aid award process, student billing, work-study opportunities, and programming activities and services that are unique to Covenant Scholars.

**CAROLINA, THE NCAA, AND THE VARSITY STUDENT-ATHLETE** | Room 3201

Carolina varsity student-athletes’ family members are encouraged to attend this session to learn valuable financial and academic information from the Athletics Compliance Office.

*This session could span over Interest Session Blocks 1, 2, and 3

**EARLY COLLEGE** | Room 2518AB

This session is for Early College Students (students who were dually enrolled in high school and college). Academic Advising will offer insight and strategies on how to manage students’ college credit, how to approach registration when they already have several semesters of coursework, and how they can maximize their first year for a more effective transition to the academic expectations at Carolina. The session will include information about how course equivalencies can fulfill general education and major requirements, as well as provide suggestions to increase academic success by appropriately balancing the first-year academic course load.

*This session will span over Sessions 1 & 2. Those attending this session should arrive at 8:15 a.m.
HONORS CAROLINA* | Room 3205
Honors Carolina students and their families are encouraged to attend this session to meet Honors Carolina staff, learn about Honors Carolina course offerings and registration procedures, and get an inside look at how to maximize all that Honors Carolina offers.

Note: This session is only for members of Honors Carolina and their families.

*Only offered in Interest Session Blocks 1 & 2.

PUBLIC SERVICE | Room 3206AB
Discover how your student can connect their academic interests with public service and community engagement across North Carolina and throughout the world. The Carolina Center for Public Service offers opportunities through the APPLES Service-Learning and Buckley Public Service Scholar programs. Alternative breaks, service-learning courses, paid internships with course credit, project-based fellowships and other opportunities connect students with the community, strengthening Carolina’s tradition of service and engagement.

STUDENT BILLING | Room 3209
The Office of the University Cashier will provide basic information about student billing procedures, deferments, refunds, and payments.

UNC GLOBAL & STUDY ABROAD | Room 3408
Chart a global learning journey at Carolina that meets your unique academic, professional, and personal goals. Through Study Abroad and on-campus programs, increase your foreign language proficiency, experience different cultures, and travel the world. Come learn about the different program types, scholarship/funding options, and other transformative global education opportunities.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH | Room 2420
Has your student ever wanted to research art history in Spain, study ecology in the South Pacific, or even help find cures for cancer right here in Chapel Hill? The Office for Undergraduate Research can help students achieve these goals. Students at UNC can conduct research in humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences beginning their first year. Speak with an office representative about how to get started.

UNIVERSITY CAREER SERVICES | Room 3411
Your student will begin their Carolina journey by exploring aspects of their personality, values, and skills and how they can support their major and career decision making. University Career Services (UCS) will assist your student in aligning their interests and strengths to campus involvement, internships, and other work experiences that will prepare them to become career-ready.