2024-2025 <u>Parents Council Grant Awards</u>

A snapshot of the Parents Council Grant Awards recipients and their initiatives for this academic year.

Access to Narcan for Students in Sororities and Fraternities - \$1,000

CAPS will host a workshop for sorority and fraternity members on using Narcan safely, including distribution of emergency kits and resources on substance use disorders.

Health Profession Advising Resource Library - \$3,000

UNC's Health Professions Advising plans to offset costs for healthcare interested students with a free resource library for test prep and application materials

Paris 2024 Sports Broadcasting Team - \$6,500

UNC Hussman students aim to cover the Paris Olympics to enhance their broadcasting skills, gain international experience, and secure a competitive edge in media careers.

PlayMakers Student Press Junkets - \$4,000

PlayMakers and the Hussman School will offer hands-on opportunities for students to develop skills in arts and entertainment journalism through live event coverage.

Mental Health First Aid Instructor - \$4,000

Two undergraduates can become Mental Health First Aid instructors, leading mental health literacy and crisis intervention training on campus.

Chapel Hill Community Fridge - \$761

The Community Fridge offers free, high-quality food 24/7/365 to address food disparities and support food justice, maintained by volunteers and local businesses.

The 2025 celebration of undergraduate research - \$6,500

The grant supports UNC's Annual Celebration of Undergraduate Research, highlighting student projects across disciplines to over a thousand attendees.

First in Flight Program - \$2,500

This will enhance global opportunities for first-time travelers through support and resources, expanding their experiences and facilitating study abroad participation

The Hollywood Internship Program - \$3,000

This program connects UNC students with prestigious internships and networking opportunities in Los Angeles, placing them in companies like NBCUniversal and CBS.

Carolina Scientific Magazine - \$1,000

This is an undergraduate magazine at UNC that simplifies scientific concepts and highlights campus research, using funds to print physical copies that increase student engagement in STEM.

La Conferencia - \$2,000

La Conferencia is an annual event promoting dialogue and understanding among
Latinx students and allies in North Carolina, focusing on diverse community
experiences this year.

Monsoon Mehfill - \$3,000

The first Monsoon Mehfil at UNC Chapel Hill will celebrate South-Asian art, featuring poetry, song, dance, and paintings to foster cultural understanding and unity among the Carolina community.

Before Orientation Optimizing Transition Camp- School of Nursing - \$2,000

This camp will supplement orientation with targeted support for at-risk students, including transfers and military pathways, focusing on academic success, self-care, and wellness resources.

El Inicio: The Latinx Welcome to UNC - \$3,000

El Inicio, hosted by UNC Chapel Hill's Carolina Latinx Center, showcases campus resources through a bilingual lens, aiming to foster inclusivity and support academic success within the Latinx community.

Wave KOntrol - \$6,000

This program offers an affordable way for campus community members to learn basic swimming skills, helping to reduce drowning risks and address fears of water.

Latinx Leadership: Alliance Fund - \$1,850

This organizes three major events aimed at fostering an inclusive and empowered Latinx community, enhancing the campus experience for all students by promoting diversity and collaboration.