

New Student & Family Programs

Orientation Check-In | 8 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

FPG Student Union

Make your way to the Carolina Union to officially check-in for your session. Once there, your student can use this time to set up their One Card and personal laptop. Campus offices will be also be present and tabling, so be sure to stop by, learn, and grab a freebie or two!

THRIVE at Carolina! | 9:50 a.m. - 10:25 a.m.

Great Hall, FPG Student Union

We will officially welcome you to Chapel Hill and discuss a variety of resources that will prepare you and your student for a successful Tar Heel start. You will also officially meet your Orientation Leaders!

NSFP 101 | 10:35 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Great Hall, FPG Student Union

Learn about your office, New Student & Family Programs, and how our team is here for you to and through your transition to Carolina.

Partners in Transition I | 10:45 a.m. - 11:35 a.m.

Great Hall, FPG Student Union

Hear from Student Affairs leadership regarding your important role during your student's transition to college.

Lunch | 11:40 a.m. - 12:40 p.m.

Lenoir Hall

Enjoy lunch with other families and guests!

Getting Carolina Ready | 12:50 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.

Great Hall, FPG Student Union

Carolina Ready is the best ready! Hear from various staff members about classroom expectations, as well as resources for safety and well-being. Speakers will include:

- Carolina Faculty
- UNC Public Safety & Dean of Students
- Campus Health, Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) & Student Wellness
- Carolina Housing

Info Sessions | 3 p.m. - 3:50 p.m.

Various Locations

Hear from departments about their services. Pick any info session to attend during two (2) individual time blocks. **Session descriptions and locations can be found on the next page.**

3 p.m. - 3:20 p.m. | Block A

3:30 p.m. - 3:50 p.m. | Block B

Academics at Carolina | 4 p.m. - 4:50 p.m.

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UNC Advising and the UNC Writing and Learning Center share insight. Learn about academic advising, and your student's pathway to academic success.

Tar Heel Talk I | 4:50 p.m. - 5:10 p.m.

Great Hall, FPG Student Union

Hear from current student's about their experiences at Carolina, ask them questions.

Dinner | 5:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

Lenoir Hall

Enjoy dinner with other families and guests!

Travel to Planetarium | 6:35 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

If attending Under the Carolina Skies, please meet outside the Top of Lenoir, in The Pit at 6:15 p.m. The last guided departure to the Planetarium leaves at 6:25 p.m. Please note we are unable to seat guests at the Planetarium past 6:40 p.m.

Under the Carolina Skies | 6:35 p.m. - 7:35 p.m.

Morehead Planetarium

Experience a UNC tradition that is out of this world! Relax in the Morehead Planetarium Star Theater for a showing of Carolina Skies, which will surround you with thousands of stars, constellations, and planets.

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HEEL HISTORY

Who was the first student to enroll and attend UNC Chapel Hill?

*Hinton James
February 1795*

Info Sessions | Day One



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The Arts at Carolina

Room 3409, FPG Student Union

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

Room 3408, FPG Student Union

Find out all the ways Tar Heels Stay Active during their time at Carolina! Campus Rec offers facilities and services to enhance your mental, physical, and social well-being. Discover how you 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 you stay active at UNC.

Career Planning Equals Career Success

Room 3203, FPG Student Union

Did you know that employers are shifting away from GPA as a screening tool to evaluate candidates? Other factors, such as internship experience and proficiency in the career readiness competencies, play a larger role. This session will introduce the importance of career readiness in four steps to families and students. Step one starts now!

Covenant Scholars

Room 3205, FPG Student Union

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 2420, FPG Student Union

Carolina varsity student-athletes must attend this session to learn valuable academic information. **This session will span over blocks A and B.**

Eat like a Tar Heel

Room 2423, FPG Student Union

Learn the ins and outs of dining on campus and how to get the most out of your meal plan!

Public Service

Room 3206A, FPG Student Union

Looking to discover ways to connect your academic interests with public service and community engagement across North Carolina and beyond? Join us at this session, where the Carolina Center for Public Service will share opportunities to leave your Heelprint through various programs, including APPLS Service-Learning and Buckley Public Service Scholars. Students can take part in alternative breaks, service-learning courses, paid internships with course credit and other interactive and engaging opportunities, many of which meet the High-Impact Experience requirement. Come learn more about how you can contribute to Carolina's tradition of service and engagement.

Student Billing

Room 3209, FPG Student Union

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

UNC Global Affairs & Study Abroad

Auditorium, FPG Student Union

Chart a global learning journey at Carolina that meets your unique academic, professional, and personal goals. Through Study Abroad and on-campus opportunities, you can study new languages, experience different cultures, and develop the global expertise and skills needed to address the world's greatest challenges. Come learn about programs like the Diplomacy Initiative, Carolina Spring Forward and more study abroad and funding options, as well as other transformative global education opportunities. Whether you study abroad or engage in global opportunities on campus, a world of opportunities awaits at Carolina.

Undergraduate Research

Room 3411, FPG Student Union

Have you 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.

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HEEL HISTORY

In what sport, and in which athletic season, did our mascot, Rameses, make his first appearance?

*Men's Basketball
1987-1988 season*

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Breakfast | 7:20 a.m. - 8:20 a.m.

Lenoir Hall

Enjoy breakfast to start the day. Your student should check out of the residence hall no later than 8 a.m.

More Than Just a Major | 8:35 a.m. - 9:35 a.m. Various Locations - see listing

Learn more about your student's vast academic journey at Carolina. Faculty, academic advisor, and Orientation Leaders share their insights and discuss finding a major that suits your student's goals, getting involved beyond the classroom, what to expect in their introductory courses and beyond. Choose one interest session to attend. **Session descriptions and locations can be found on the next page.**

Partners in Transition II | 9:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Room 100, Hamilton Hall

Continue yesterday's conversations with Student Affairs leadership, and take notes on a few "next steps" before your student returns in August.

Tar Heel Talk - Part II | 10:45 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Room 100, Hamilton Hall

Continue yesterday's conversations with current Carolina students and ask them questions about their experiences on campus.

Hark the Sound! | 11:35 a.m.

Woolen Gym

You're a Tar Heel born, and you're a Tar Heel bred! Before you leave for the day, join us for the official Family Orientation closing and sing the alma mater, Hark the Sound, for the first time officially as a Tar Heel. **Sessions 8, 9 and 20 will be held in the Great Hall in the FPG Student Union.**

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HEEL HISTORY

What does GBTBATH
stand for?

It's a great day to be a Tar Heel!

More Than Just a Major Sessions | Day Two



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Business Interest

Room 105, Gardner Hall

Come 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 & Humanities Interest

Room 0008, Gardner Hall

Whether you are studying Music or English, explore opportunities that can complement and enhance your major coursework, and help you 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

Room 211, Chapman Hall

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 you 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 (Non-Pre-Health) Interest

Room 209, Manning Hall

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: Applied Sciences, Biology, Biomedical Engineering, Biostatistics, Chemistry, Clinical Lab Science, Computer Science, Data Science, Pre-Dental Hygiene, Environmental Studies & Sciences, Exercise & Sport Science, Geological Sciences, Health Policy & Management, Mathematics, Neuroscience, Nutrition, Physics & Astronomy, Psychology, Statistics & Analytics.

Social & Behavioral Sciences Interest

Room 125, Chapman Hall

Students interested in such fields as Economics, History, or Sociology will learn about academic opportunities, resources, and suggested coursework for their first year. Related Majors: African & Afro-American Studies, Anthropology, Asian Studies, Archaeology, Contemporary European Studies, Economics, Education, History, Human Development and Family Services, Geography, Global Studies, Information & Library Science, Latin American Studies, Management & Society, Political Science, Public Policy, Sociology.

HEEL HISTORY

Who received the University's first
honorary degree?

William Richardson Davie