Welcome to NC State!

As your Orientation Leaders (OLs), we want you to know how excited we are that you decided to join us as part of the Wolfpack! Take it from us, your life as an NC State student is going to be memorable, challenging, and incredibly rewarding.

The Orientation Leader team is here to help you navigate your way to a successful start. NC State may feel overwhelming at first, but we have each made this place our home and can help you do the same. Our advice is to ask lots of questions at Orientation, reach out to other new students, and start making your bucket list of what you want to experience and accomplish over the next few years.

Get ready to Think and Do, and congratulations on your decision to join the Pack!

WELCOME TO THE PACK!
New Student Programs Staff

Special Thanks to the following sponsors of New Student & Family Orientation:
- Arts NC State
- NC State Dining
- NC State Wellness and Recreation
- Parents & Families Services
- PNC Bank
- Student Alumni Association
- Student Involvement
- Sustainability Office
- University Student Centers

Need Assistance?

If you need to reach a family member during Orientation, please contact our office for assistance during business hours (8:00am - 5:00pm, Monday-Friday) at 919.515.1234.

If there is an after-hours emergency, please contact NC State University Police Department at 919.515.3000.

Download NC State Guides

1. Search for and download the app ‘NC State University Guides’ from your favorite app store
2. Open the app and search for ‘2018 New Students’
3. Customize your Orientation experience

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New Student Programs
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Email: new-students@ncsu.edu
Phone: 919.515.1234
newstudents.ncsu.edu

Office of International Services
320 Daniels Hall, Campus Box 7222
Email: ois@ncsu.edu
Phone: 919.515.2961
internationalservices.ncsu.edu
REMINDERS

Before Class Starts

By NOT completing the following steps, a hold could be placed on your account or your fall semester schedule could be dropped

☐ Pay Your Bill
  › Fall semester tuition and fees were due July 30. If you have not already paid your bill, visit the University Cashier’s Office in Harris Hall.
  › Learn more about payment options and parental access for bill payment at studentservices.ncsu.edu

☐ Student Health Services Checklist
  › Insurance- Enroll into or waive out of the Student Health Insurance Plan by September 10, 2018
  › Immunizations- Complete all required immunizations and upload to the Healthy Pack Portal https://sso.medicatconnect.com
  › TB Questionnaire- Complete TB questionnaire online via HealthyPackPortal
  › Health History- Complete Health History Form online via HealthyPackPortal
  › Prescription Medications- Transfer your prescriptions to Student Health Pharmacy by calling 919.515.4050
  › Get a Flu Shot- Get your flu shot at one of our clinics on campus (September - January)
    healthypack.dasa.ncsu.edu

Get Excited for Wolfpack Welcome Week!
August 17-25, 2018 | go.ncsu.edu/NCStateWWW

☐ Update Your Contact Information
  › Update your phone and address information with the university via MyPack Portal. Once you’ve logged in, go to Student Homepage > Personal Information > Address or Contact Details.
  › Sign up to receive WolfAlert emergency text messages by adding your cell number.
    www.ncsu.edu/emergency-information/textsignup

☐ Check Your Email Frequently
  › Step 1 to being successful at State is getting informed and connected. Your NC State email is the university’s official mode of communication with you, so get in the habit of checking it every day at https://google.ncsu.edu

☐ Finalize Your Fall Schedule
  › If you have additional questions, contact an academic advisor: https://newstudents.dasa.ncsu.edu/colleges
  › Do not drop any courses that were pre-registered for you without contacting an advisor first. https://mypack.ncsu.edu

☐ Order Your Textbooks
  › Visit https://go.ncsu.edu/textbooks to order books directly from NC State Bookstores or use their “Price Comparison Shopping Tool” to explore all of your options.

☐ Purchase a Parking Permit
  › Visit the Transportation website to learn about your parking options
    www.ncsu.edu/transportation

☐ Solidify Your Meal Plan
  › Decide which meal plan option is best for you. You have until September 30, 2018 to make changes to your fall semester meal plan. go.ncsu.edu/MealPlans

☐ Complete Mandatory Online Education
  › All incoming students are required to complete three online education modules prior to the beginning of the fall semester.
  › Visit the website below for more information and deadlines for completion.
    go.ncsu.edu/required-ed

☐ Get your Wolfpack One Card ID
  › Stop by the Wolfpack One Card Office (on the 2nd floor of Talley Student Union) between 8:00am and 6:00pm weekdays with a government-issued ID to get your Wolfpack One Card student ID made.
  › Also open Saturday, August 18 (8:00am-4:00pm) and Sunday, August 19 (1:00pm-3:00pm).
    onecard.ncsu.edu

☐ Take the Foreign Language Placement Test
  › You only need to take the exam if an academic advisor in your college or program has recommended it.
    Tompkins Hall, Room 113 (*Ask for assistance in Room 117)
  › Open August 17th, 20th, and 21st from 9:00am-4:30pm

Visit our website for more go.ncsu.edu/NewStudentChecklist
Stop by the Wolfpack One Card Office (on the 2nd floor of Talley Student Union) with a government-issued ID during one of the following times to get your Wolfpack One Card student ID:

- During Orientation Check-In or Lunch
- Saturday, August 18 from 8:00am to 4:00pm
- Sunday, August 19 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm
- Weekdays from 8:00am to 6:00pm

Wolfpack One Card
Your ticket to dining, recreation and more!

Talley Student Union
**Taking Care of Business**
If needed, submit verification forms to Scholarships and Financial Aid (#5 on back cover map) and immunization verification records to Student Health Services (#6 on back cover map).

**Need a Pick Me Up?**
Grab some coffee or a snack from Starbucks, Talley Market, or Port City Java.

**Wolfpack Gear & Textbooks**
Stop by Wolfpack Outfitters (1st and 2nd Floor) from 8am to 5pm to check out...
- NC State Apparel and Gifts
- Textbooks for Fall Classes
- Technology Options

**Questions?**
Stop by our Information Table in Talley Student Union to speak with a New Student Programs staff member.
Wednesday, August 15

8:30 A.M.-9:15 A.M. ✶ Orientation Day One Welcome Dabney Hall, Room 222
We’re officially celebrating your arrival! Meet representatives from International Services and get the scoop on orientation plans and expectations.

9:15 A.M.-10:00 A.M. ✶ Crossing Cultures Dabney Hall, Room 222
Interacting with and acclimating to new cultures has many rewards and challenges. We’ll reflect on our own experiences and learn from each other.

10:00 A.M.-10:40 A.M. ✶ Student Success Dabney Hall, Room 222
What does being successful at NC State mean to you? Explore ideas and resources and advice with NC State’s Academic Coordinator for International Student Support.

10:50 A.M.-11:20 A.M. ✶ Small Group Meeting Various Locations
Get to know your CCAP Ambassadors and the other new students in your group. You can find your group number on your name tag.

11:30 A.M.-2:00 P.M. ✶ Scavenger Hunt + Lunch Various Locations
This is a campus tour redux! Continue getting to know your peers and now the campus better.

2:00 P.M.-2:20 P.M. ✶ Hunt Debrief + Prizes! Dabney Hall, Room 222
Review with other groups the important resources and hot spots across campus. Plus prizes!

2:20 P.M.-3:05 P.M. ✶ Thrival Skills Dabney Hall, Room 222
Learn tips to help you survive and thrive at NC State, related to healthcare and insurance, transportation and food!

3:05 P.M.-3:30 P.M. ✶ Day One Closing Dabney Hall, Room 222
Time to wrap up Day 1 of orientation and look to what’s ahead.

What’s Next for International Students...

Thursday, August 16

9:00 A.M.-11:00 A.M. ✶ Information Fair Talley Student Union, State Ballroom
Representatives from various campus offices, student organizations, and local businesses (including banks) will be available to meet you and share important information and resources.

Friday, August 17

8:30 A.M.-5:00 P.M. ✶ Orientation with New Student Programs (details on pages 7-9)
**Friday, August 17**

**8:00 A.M. - 8:45 A.M.** Domestic Student Check-In  
Talley Student Union, Room 3285 (with family)

**8:15 A.M. - 8:55 A.M.** Veteran Student Info Session  
Talley Student Union, Room 3210 (with family)  
Open to all veterans, active military, and family members who will be using Veterans Education Benefits at NC State (Post 9/11, Guard/Reserve, Dependents Educational Assistance (DEA), etc.) or would just like to gather more information on resources/services available at NC State for veterans and military families.

**8:30 A.M. - 9:00 A.M.** International Student Arrival  
Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)  
Do not forget your nametag with meal cards, schedule, and bag.

**9:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.** Orientation Welcome  
Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor) (with family)  
Get excited to be a part of the Pack and learn NC State traditions to start your Orientation experience.

**9:30 A.M. - 10:15 A.M.** Life in the Pack Lane: Merging into NC State  
Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor) (with family)  
As a new member of the Pack, there will be opportunities and challenges in adjusting to NC State in and outside of the classroom. Learn how academic advising, counseling services, and involvement opportunities can help support your academic path at NC State.

**10:20 A.M. - 10:35 A.M.** Valuing Your Community  
Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)  
Everyone who comes to NC State enriches us through their varied knowledge and backgrounds. Learn how multiple viewpoints, experiences, and perspectives are critical to your education and our academic mission.

**10:35 A.M. - 11:10 A.M.** imPACKting Your Community  
Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)  
Let’s take time to explore our community’s expectations and resources, and how you can have a positive imPACKt on campus. This session includes…  
› Interpersonal Violence Prevention  
› Campus Safety Information from NC State University Police Department

**11:10 A.M. - 11:25 A.M.** Up Next with NSP  
Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)  
Learn how New Student Programs continues to support your transition to college through Wolfpack Welcome Week and the Year One Series.

**11:25 A.M. - 12:10 P.M.** Meet Your Orientation Small Group  
Various Locations  
Meet your Orientation Leader and hear their perspective as a current student while getting to know other transfer students in your group.

**12:10 P.M. - 1:35 P.M.** Lunch  
Fountain Dining Hall  
Enjoy lunch with your Orientation Small Group and learn about campus from your Orientation Leader. Use the meal ticket you received at Check-In for admission into the dining hall.

**1:35 P.M. - 2:30 P.M.** Campus Resource Choice Sessions  
Various Locations (see page 9) (with family)  
Use these Choice Sessions as an opportunity to get your questions answered and learn about resources to help you transition to the campus and the classroom.
2:45PM-5:00PM  College Welcome and Academic Information Various Locations (with family)
College representatives will provide information on academic requirements and what you can expect from your new academic home. They will also be available for academic advising. **This session is required for all students, even if you have already completed course registration.**
My College Welcome Location: ______________________

STUDENT ACTIVITY

**Academic & Career Success**
- Explore my major & career identity
- Hone my research skills
- Bolster my study skills
- Get a job/internship
- Build relationships with faculty

**Personal Wellness**
- Get enough sleep
- Engage in regular physical activity
- Manage my time effectively
- Find a creative outlet
- Cope with stress

Wolfpack Welcome Week

Friday, August 17- Saturday, August 25, 2018
[go.ncsu.edu/ncstatewww](go.ncsu.edu/ncstatewww)

**Transfer, Think & Do** (Monday, August 20)
Kick off your campus involvement with an exclusive tour of the NC State Belltower, and participate in small group involvement consultations to help you navigate NC State’s co-curricular opportunities!

**NC State Hearts Transfers** (Tuesday, August 21)
Socialize with new and current transfer students, enjoy some free pizza and get a free NC State t-shirt!

**Campus Connections** (Tuesday, August 21)
Learn about ways to connect with a variety of student organizations, academic programs, and campus services.

**College Connections** (Tuesday, August 21)
Build relationships with the students, faculty, and staff within your college and learn more about opportunities within the college experience.

[Get Involved Portal](getinvolved.ncsu.edu)
Find and join organizations and discover upcoming events for NC State students:

[Newsletters](go.ncsu.edu/newsletters)
Connect with other offices through their newsletters and calendars of events:
Choose a session based upon your own needs or interests and what you believe will assist you in beginning the semester. It is encouraged that students and family members (if applicable) attend different sessions to gather as much information as possible.

1:35PM - 2:00PM. **Choice Session 1**

**Transportation**
*Talley Student Union, Room 3285*
Learn about transportation on campus including how and when to get a parking permit and other parking options. We will also discuss transportation alternatives including the Wolfline, city and regional buses, and walking/bicycling.

**Connect & Engage with the Pack**
*Talley Student Union, Room 3222*
NC State offers exciting ways to engage outside of the classroom. Each of these activities can connect you with valuable experiences and provide career-ready skills. This session will introduce you to Student Involvement and some tips for navigating how to get involved during your first semester. The opportunities are limitless!

**Disability Resource Office**
*Talley Student Union, Room 3221*
If you are a student with a disability, who may have and IEP or 504 plan in K-12, come learn about the process and resources offered by the Disability Resource Office.

**Leadership and Civic Engagement**
*Talley Student Union, Mountains Ballroom (3rd floor)*
Explore leadership development and civic engagement opportunities that will transform your passion into action.

**Campus Career Services**
*Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)*
Begin to define your career identity, develop job search skills, and gain career-related experience. Learn about co-op and internship opportunities, as well as available resources.

2:05PM - 2:30PM. **Choice Session 2**

**Academic Advising Programs and Services**
*Talley Student Union, Room 3285*
This session introduces students to policies and resources related to applying for a second major, changing majors, or adding a minor.

**Money Matters**
*Talley Student Union, Room 3222*
Find out what you need to know about viewing students accounts, paying bills, financial aid basics and more.

**Study Abroad and Global Experiences**
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*
Make the WORLD Your Classroom: learn more about study abroad & other ways to go global during your time at NC State.

**Undergraduate Research**
*Talley Student Union, Piedmont Ballroom (3rd floor)*
This session provides information on the benefits of Undergraduate Research and how to start identifying mentors and opportunities.
8:00 A.M. - 8:45 A.M.  **Check-In**  
Talley Student Union, Room 3285  *(with student)*

8:15 A.M. - 8:55 A.M.  **Veteran Student Info Session**  
Talley Student Union, Room 3210  *(with student)*
Open to all veterans, active military, and family members who will be using Veterans Education Benefits at NC State (Post 9/11, Guard/Reserve, Dependents Educational Assistance (DEA), etc.) or would just like to gather more information on resources/services available at NC State for veterans and military families.

9:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.  **Orientation Welcome**  
Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)  *(with student)*
Get excited to be a part of the Pack and learn NC State traditions to start your Orientation experience.

9:30 A.M. - 10:15 A.M.  **Life in the Pack Lane: Merging into NC State**  
*Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)*  *(with students)*
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If you have questions about your student’s transition after Orientation, you can contact the **Counseling Center** at 919.515.2423 or https://counseling.dasa.ncsu.edu. If you have questions about academic success after Orientation, you can contact **Academic Advising Programs and Services** at 919.515.8130 or https://advising.ncsu.edu.

10:20 A.M. - 10:35 A.M.  **Parents and Families Services**  
Talley Student Union, Room 3285
*At the end of this session, you will have:*
1. Become fully aware of the resources and services provided by the Office of Parents & Families Services.
2. Identified strategies for student and family engagement and support within the university.
3. Learned about the many ways parents and families can remain engaged and active in the NC State community.

If you have questions about opportunities and resources for parents and family members after Orientation, call the **Parents’ HelpLine** at 919.515.2441 or visit parents.ncsu.edu.

10:50 A.M. - 11:20 A.M.  **Community Expectations**  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*
*At the end of this session, you will have:*
1. Heard about the university’s student behavioral expectations, which are articulated in the Code of Student Conduct.
2. Learned about the importance of discussing the topics of alcohol use, drug use, sexual misconduct, and academic misconduct with your student.

If you have questions about university policies and expectations after Orientation, you can contact **The Office of Student Conduct** at 919.515.2963 or studentconduct.ncsu.edu.

11:20 A.M. - 11:50 A.M.  **Staying Safe at NC State**  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*
*At the end of this session, you will have:*
1. Learned the university police department’s mission and contact information.
2. Learned about the university’s safety resources and emergency communication procedures.
3. Learned about crime on campus, along with safety tips that may be beneficial.

If you have questions about safety and security on campus after Orientation, you can contact **NC State University Police Department** at 919.515.3000 or ncsu.edu/police.
11:50 A.M.-1:35 P.M.  **Lunch**  *Fountain Dining Hall*
Use the meal ticket you received at Check-In this morning for admission into the dining hall. Should your family need to purchase additional meal tickets, you may do so at the door using cash or credit/debit card.

1:35 P.M.-2:30 P.M.  **Campus Resource Choice Sessions**  *Various Locations (see page 9) (with student)*
Use these Choice Sessions as an opportunity to get your questions answered and learn about resources to help your student transition to the campus and the classroom.

2:45 P.M.-3:30 P.M.  **College Welcome and Academic Information**  *Various Locations (with student)*
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**My College Welcome Location:**

3:45 P.M.-4:10 P.M.  **Your Student’s Health and Wellness**  *Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*
At the end of this session, you will have:
1. Heard an overview of the preventative, medical and other services offered by Student Health Services.
2. Learned about eligibility for care and services with Student Health Services.
3. Learned about the UNC system-wide health insurance requirement and the NC State immunization requirements.

If you have questions about the health services offered at NC State after Orientation, you can contact Student Health Services at 919.515.2563 or healthypack.dasa.ncsu.edu.

4:10 P.M.-4:35 P.M.  **Money Matters**  *Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*
At the end of this session, you will have:
1. Learned about FERPA’s role in answering questions you may have about your student’s account.
2. Learned how to gain access, review and pay your student’s account, with information on billing due dates and payment methods available.
3. Reviewed the basics of the Financial Aid process.

If you have questions about billing, scholarships, or financial aid after Orientation, you can contact the Student Services Center at 919.515.NCSU (6278) or studentservices@ncsu.edu, or visit https://studentservices.ncsu.edu/.

4:35 P.M.-5:00 P.M.  **Dining, Bookstore, and ID Card**  *Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*
At the end of this session, you will have:
1. Learned how meal plans work and what options are available.
2. Determined how to shop for the best price and options for course materials through MyPack Portal.
3. Reviewed how to select a laptop designed for your student’s course of study.
4. Learned how your student’s Wolfpack One ID Card works and about the various spending accounts associated with it.
5. Learned about student banking options provided by PNC Bank.

If you have questions about NC State Dining, NC State Bookstores, or the Wolfpack One Card after Orientation, you can contact Campus Enterprises at campus-enterprises@ncsu.edu or visit at https://campusenterprises.ncsu.edu/.
For more about PNC Banking at NC State, visit www.pnc.com/ncstate.
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Orientation Parking
1. Coliseum Parking Deck

Orientation Activities
2. Talley Student Union
3. Fountain Dining Hall

Campus Offices and Services
4. Pullen Hall (University Housing)
5. Harris Hall (Registration and Records, Cashier's Office, and Scholarships and Financial Aid)
6. Student Health Center (Health Insurance and Immunization Records)
7. Tompkins Hall
8. Foreign Language Placement Test
9. Penn Pavilion

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