TRANSFER ORIENTATION

2019 Spring Orientation Schedule
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!

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 ‘2019 Spring New Students’
3. Customize your Orientation experience
REMINDEBEFORE CLASS STARTS

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

Pay Your Bill
› Spring semester tuition and fees are due now. If you have not already paid your bill, you can do so via MyPack Portal. Visit the Cashier’s Office in Harris Hall if you have questions about your bill.
› 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 January 31, 2019
› Immunizations - Complete all required immunizations and upload to the Healthy Pack Portal https://sso.medicatconnect.com
› TB Questionnaire - Complete TB questionnaire online via Healthy Pack Portal
› Health History - Complete Health History Form online via Healthy Pack Portal
› Prescription Medications - Transfer your prescriptions to Student Health Pharmacy by calling 919.515.4050
› Get a Flu Shot - Student Health offers flu vaccination clinics across campus throughout January. healthypack.dasa.ncsu.edu

Get Excited for Winter Welcome Week!
January 2-12, 2019| go.ncsu.edu/NCStateWWW

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

Complete Mandatory Online Education
› All incoming students are required to complete three online education modules by January 7, 2019.
› Visit the website below for more information and deadlines for completion. go.ncsu.edu/required-ed

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.
› Available today from 2:30 p.m. - 4:40 p.m. in the Language and Computing Labs

Finalize Your Spring 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

Get your Wolfpack One Card ID
› Stop by the Wolfpack One Card Office (on the 2nd floor of Talley Student Union) between 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. weekdays with a government-issued ID to get your Wolfpack One Card student ID made. onecard.ncsu.edu

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 January 31, 2019 to make changes to your spring semester meal plan. go.ncsu.edu/MealPlans

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

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.

Visit our website for more go.ncsu.edu/NewStudentChecklist
Stop by the Wolfpack One Card Office 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, January 5th from 10:00am to 3:00pm
- Weekdays from 8:00am to 6:00pm

Note: ID Photos can be taken earlier today, but cannot be picked up until checkout.
Taking Care of Business If needed, submit verification forms to Scholarships and Financial Aid (#5 on back cover map).

Explore Campus Check out the NC State sights around campus. Feel free to use the campus map provided on the back cover and visit some of NC State’s most iconic spots like the University Plaza (commonly known as ‘The Brickyard’).

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

Questions? Stop by our Information Table in Talley Student Union to speak with a New Student Programs staff member.
## Check-In and Information Fair
8:00 A.M. - 8:45 A.M.
Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd Floor) (with family)
Pick up your Orientation materials and visit with campus departments before the Welcome begins.

## Veteran Student Info Session
8:15 A.M. - 8:50 A.M.
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.

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

## Life in the Pack Lane: Merging into NC State
9:30 A.M. - 10:15 A.M.
Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (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.

## Meet Your Orientation Small Group
10:15 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.
Various Locations
Meet your Orientation Leader and hear their perspective as a current student while getting to know other transfer students in your group.

## Lunch
11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
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.

## Valuing Your Community
12:30 P.M. - 12:45 P.M.
Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (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.

## imPACKting Your Community
12:45 P.M. - 1:20 P.M.
Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (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

## Campus Resource Choice Sessions
1:30 P.M. - 2:25 P.M.
Various Locations (See page 11) (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.

## International Students Meeting
1:30 P.M. - 2:25 P.M.
Talley Student Union, Room 3223
This session will address strategies and resources that will help with your adjustment to and overall success at NC State University. Students with F-1 and J-1 visa types are required to attend this meeting with the Office of International Services. Any other non-immigrants in other statuses (such as H-4) are also welcome (but not required) to attend.

## College Welcome and Academic Information
2:30 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.
See Page 10 (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.**

## Check-Out
Until 5:00 P.M.
Talley Student Union, 2nd floor lobby (Main Level)
After meeting with your college or academic program, check out of Orientation and pick up your Wolfpack One Card ID.
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

Winter Welcome Week

On Tuesday, January 8th, we recommend Transfer students swing by Talley Student Union for these events!

NC State Hearts Transfers Tuesday, January 8, 2019 | 5-6pm
Join us to socialize with new and current transfer students, enjoy some free pizza and get a free NC State shirt!

How To Thrive Workshops Tuesday, January 8, 2019 | 5-7:30pm
Learn ways to jump-start your success in the classroom with these sessions during #NCStateWWW

Campus Connections Tuesday, January 8, 2019 | 5-7pm
Delve into campus life at NC State’s largest student organization fair of the year! Meet current student leaders and connect with clubs that match your interests.

Connect on Campus

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

Newsletters
Connect with other offices through their newsletters and calendars of events: go.ncsu.edu/newsletters
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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.

10:35 A.M.-11:05 A.M.  **Staying Safe at NC State**  Talley Student Union, Mountains-Piedmont (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.

11:05 A.M.-11:40 A.M.  **Community Expectations**  Talley Student Union, Mountains-Piedmont (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

11:40 A.M.-1:15 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.

1:30 P.M.-2:25 P.M.  **Campus Resource Choice Sessions**  Various Locations (See page 11)  (with student)
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2:30 P.M.-3:20 P.M.  **College Welcome and Academic Information**  See Page 10  (with student)
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Your Student’s Health and Wellness  Talley Student Union, Room 3285

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.

Money Matters  Talley Student Union, Room 3285

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/.

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.

Important Spring Semester Dates
Find more dates in the Parents’ Handbook and Calendar that you received at Check-In.

First Day of Classes  January 7

Martin Luther King Jr. Day - No Class  January 21

Spring Break - No Class  March 11-15

Spring Holiday - No Class  April 19

Last Day of Classes  April 26

Spring Semester Exams  April 29 - May 7
The meeting rooms for each College Welcome and Academic Information Session are determined by the academic program in which the student is currently enrolled. Check your name tag if you are unsure of which college session you should attend.

2:30 P.M.-3:20 P.M.  Agricultural Institute
Escorted from Talley 3rd Floor Lobby to Patterson Hall, Room 06

College of Agriculture and Life Sciences
Talley Student Union, Mountains (3rd floor)

College of Design
Escorted from Talley 3rd Floor Lobby to Brooks Hall Lobby

College of Education
Talley Student Union, Room 3221

College of Engineering
Escorted from Talley 3rd Floor Lobby

College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Escorted from Talley 3rd Floor Lobby to Poe Hall, Room 216

College of Natural Resources
Talley Student Union, Piedmont (3rd floor)

College of Sciences
Talley Student Union, Currituck (3rd floor)

Poole College of Management
Talley Student Union, Hatteras/Ocracoke (3rd floor)

Wilson College of Textiles
Talley Student Union, Room 3210

Notes
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.

1:30 PM - 1:55 PM. Campus Choice Session 1

**Transportation**
Talley Student Union, Mountains Ballroom (3rd floor)
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, Currituck Ballroom (3rd floor)
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!

**Academic Advising Programs and Services**
Talley Student Union, Hatteras/Ocracoke Ballroom (3rd floor)
This session introduces students to policies and resources related to applying for a second major, changing majors, or adding a minor.

**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.

**Technology on Campus**
Talley Student Union, Room 3222
This session provides an overview of the services and resources provided by OIT. In addition, staff will be available to answer common questions regarding purchasing a computer, managing emails, and utilizing Unity accounts.

2:00 PM - 2:25 PM. Campus Choice Session 2

**Study Abroad and Global Experiences**
Talley Student Union, Mountains Ballroom (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, Currituck Ballroom (3rd floor)
This session provides information on the benefits of Undergraduate Research and how to start identifying mentors and opportunities.

**Campus Career Services**
Talley Student Union, Hatteras/Ocracoke 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.

**Healthy Living on Campus**
Talley Student Union, Room 3221
Learn about Wolfpack Wellness and campus resources that will help you THRIVE at NC State and beyond. End with a rejuvenating meditation exercise you can use throughout orientation.

**Dining on Campus**
Talley Student Union, Room 3222
NC State Dining feeds the Wolfpack. Attend this session to learn how meal plans work and what options are available for residence halls and campus apartments.

**Money Matters**
Talley Student Union, Room 3285
Find out what you need to know about viewing students accounts, paying bills, financial aid basics and more.
Orientation Parking
1. Coliseum Parking Deck
Orientation Activities
2. Talley Student Union
Orientation Dining
3. Fountain Dining Hall
Campus Offices and Services
4. Pullen Hall (University Housing)
5. Harris Hall (Registration and Records, Cashier’s Office, and Scholarships)
6. Student Health Center (Health Insurance and Immunization Records)
7. Language and Computer Labs (Foreign Language Placement Test)

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