First-Year Student & Family
Orientation

SUMMER 2023
NC STATE UNIVERSITY
Welcome to NC State!

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

The Orientation Leader team is here to help you navigate your way to a successful start. Each of us had an experience as a new student at NC State and know what it’s like to come into such a large community. NC State may feel overwhelming at first, but we have each made this place our home and can help you do the same.

It’s important that you make the most of your Orientation experience, so that you walk away feeling prepared and excited to begin your journey at NC State. We’re here to help you do that, but it starts with you! Our advice is to ask lots of questions, reach out to other new students, and start making your bucket list of what you want to experience and accomplish over the next four years.

Above all, we want you to know that we decided to be Orientation Leaders because we love this University. We love the Belltower, we wear red on Fridays, and we sing the Red and White Song loudly and proudly! Get ready to Think and Do, and congratulations on your decision to join the Pack!

Go Pack!

2023 Orientation Leaders

New Student Programs
Division of Academic and Student Affairs
3219 Broughton Hall, Campus Box 7525
Email: new-students@ncsu.edu
Phone: 919.515.1234
newstudents.ncsu.edu

Get Connected
at Orientation

Follow New Student Programs and use the hashtag #NCState27 on Twitter and Instagram!

@NCStateNSP

Get Assistance?
If you need to reach a guest, or your student, during Orientation, please contact our office for assistance during business hours (8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday - Friday) at 919.515.1234.

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

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New Student Checklist

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 are due July 26, 2023. Learn more about payment options and parental access for bill payment at studentservices.ncsu.edu.

- **Submit Final Transcripts**
  - Students must provide NC State with final transcripts of their academic coursework from their previous institutions.
  - Mail to: NC State Office of Undergraduate Admissions, Campus Box 7103, Raleigh, NC 27695-7103

- **Check Your Email Frequently**
  - Step 1 to being successful at NC 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.
  - https://google.ncsu.edu

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

- **Solidify Your Meal Plan**
  - Decide which meal plan option is best for you. You have until September 15, 2023 to make changes to your fall semester meal plan.
  - go.ncsu.edu/MealPlans

- **Student Health Services Checklist**
  - Insurance- Enroll into or waive out of the Student Health Insurance Plan by September 11, 2023. Visit bcbsnc.com/ncsu
  - 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 919.515.5040
  - Get a Flu Shot- Get your flu shot at one of our clinics on campus (September - January) healthypack.dasa.ncsu.edu

- **Prepare for Move-In Weekend**
  - If you will be living on campus, visit the University Housing website at housing.ncsu.edu for everything you need to know about moving into your residence hall.
  - Move-In Dates: Thursday, August 17 - Saturday, August 19, 2023 (by appointment) before classes begin on Monday, August 21.

- **Order Your Textbooks**
  - Visit 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.

- **Complete Mandatory Online Education**
  - All incoming students are required to complete 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

Visit our website for more go.ncsu.edu/NewStudentChecklist

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**Download the Orientation Mobile Schedule**

1. Search for and download the app ‘NC State University Guides’ from your favorite app store
2. Open the app and search for ‘2023 New Students’
3. Customize your Orientation experience
Getting Around

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

Stop by the Wolfpack One Card Office (main level lobby) with a government-issued ID during one of the following times to get your Wolfpack One Card student ID:

› After you check in to Orientation
› With your Orientation group during Lunch
› When you return to campus in August

Talley Student Union

Second Floor

TO FOUNTAIN DINING HALL, LEE RESIDENCE HALL, AND ORIENTATION PARKING

Pavilions
Tuffy’s Grill
Jason’s Deli

Talley Market

Stafford Commons

PNC Bank
Wolfpack One Card

Info Desk

Third Floor

Stewart Theatre
Outdoor Terrace

One Earth Lounge
One Earth World Cuisine

Wolfpack Outfitters
**Taking Care of Business** If needed, submit verification forms to Scholarships and Financial Aid (#6 on back cover map).

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

**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’).

**Questions?** Stop by our Information Table in Talley Student Union to speak with a New Student Programs staff member.
First-Year Student
Day One Schedule

8:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
Check-In Lee Residence Hall, Lobby (with family)
Check in with our staff to receive your materials for the day, and follow the "What’s Next" instructions! **At this time, you will also check in for overnight housing (if applicable).**

8:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
Morning Refreshments Talley Student Union, 3rd floor (with family)
Head over to the third floor of Talley Student Union to enjoy light refreshments! You can also use this time to pick up your Wolfpack One Card on the second floor.

9:45 a.m. to 10:10 a.m.
Orientation Welcome 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.

10:15 a.m. to 10:55 a.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 students in your group. **You can find your OL group number on the lower right corner of your nametag.**

My Orientation Leader
Name: ________________________________
Email: _______________________________

10:55 a.m. to 11:25 a.m.
Learning to Howl: Transitioning to NC State Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd Floor)
Starting your journey at NC State will be filled with opportunities, connections, and at times, challenges. Learn more about healthy transitioning, developing resilience, and overall emotional awareness. Also learn about Prevention Services and the Counseling Center and other campus resources that support wellness development.

11:25 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Lunch Fountain Dining Hall
Enjoy lunch with your small group and OL using the meal ticket you received at check-in.

12:25 p.m. to 1:05 p.m.
Information Fair Talley Student Union, James H. Woodward Student Involvement Center (4th floor)
Visit the Information Fair to learn about involvement opportunities and to receive information about campus services and resources.

1:05 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Academic Success 101 Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
Learn the basics of academics at NC State, including the General Education Program, campus resources, and the support of your academic advisor.

1:40 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.
University Honors Program Meeting Talley Student Union, Room 4280 (with family)
A mandatory meeting for students accepted into the University Honors Program.

1:40 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Campus Resource Choice Session # 1 Various Locations (with family)
Students and families will have the opportunity to learn more about select campus resources and how they can enhance your NC State experience. You will be able to choose which session you attend during the two time blocks.

Study Abroad
Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

Undergraduate Research
Talley Student Union, Currituck Ballroom (3rd floor)

Career Development Center
Talley Student Union, Hatteras-Ocracoke Ballroom (3rd floor)

Leadership and Civic Engagement
Talley Student Union, Room 3285
Campus Resource Choice Session #2 Various Locations (with family)
Students and families will have the opportunity to learn more about select campus resources and how they can enhance your NC State experience. You will be able to choose which session you attend during the two time blocks.

- Study Abroad
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- Undergraduate Research
  Tartley Student Union, Currituck Ballroom (3rd floor)

- Career Development Center
  Tartley Student Union, Hatteras-Ocracoke Ballroom (3rd floor)

- Leadership and Civic Engagement
  Tartley Student Union, Room 3285

College Welcome and Academic Information Various Locations (with family)
College representatives will provide information on academic advising, course requirements, and what you can expect from your new academic home.

- Agricultural Institute (July 19)
  Tartley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)

- College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (July 24 & 25)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- College of Design (June 20)
  Tartley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)

- College of Education (June 20)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- College of Engineering
  (June 13, 14, 15; July 26 & 27; August 1 & 2)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- College of Humanities and Social Sciences (July 6 & 10)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- College of Natural Resources (July 18)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- College of Sciences (July 20)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- Wilson College of Textiles (July 19)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- University College (June 27 & 28; July 11)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- University College (July 12)
  Tartley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)

- Life Sciences First Year Program (June 21; July 12 & 13)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

- Poole College of Management (June 26; July 31)
  Tartley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

Music Involvement Drop-In Price Music Center
Department of Performing Arts & Technology representatives will be available for those who have questions regarding auditions, music/dance courses, or music/dance ensemble participation, including dance companies, choirs, orchestras, jazz bands, concert bands, and athletic bands.

Dinner Fountain Dining Hall
Enjoy dinner with other new students, Orientation Leaders, and Wolfpack families using the meal ticket you received at check-in

Whether your family is eating with you or trying a restaurant off campus, be sure to touch base with them and make a plan for meeting in the morning. After checking out of University Housing in the morning, you will need to store your luggage in a car before the first session begins at 9:00 a.m.
First-Year Student
Day One Schedule cont.

7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. **Connect & Engage with the Pack**
*Talley Student Union, Coastal 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 Leadership and Engagement and some tips for navigating how to get involved during your first semester. The opportunities are limitless!

7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. **#NCState27 Showdown**
*Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)*
Learn about thriving as a member of the Wolfpack community in this interactive game show, followed by a small group discussion!

8:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. **Late Night with Wellness and Recreation**
*Carmichael Complex*
Relax, recharge, and connect with your new classmates. Join Wellness and Recreation and choose your own adventure. Play knockout or spikeball, explore the Carmichael Gym, or relax with board games and crafts with the Wolfpack family. Nametag is required for participation.

First-Year Student
Day Two Schedule

7:30 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. **Breakfast**
*Fountain Dining Hall*
Enjoy breakfast prior to the start of the day using the breakfast ticket you received at check-in.

8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. **Housing Check-Out**
*Lee Residence Hall, Front Patio*
Students staying in Lee Residence Hall MUST return room and suite keys to University Housing by 9:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. **Staying Safe at NC State**
*Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)*
Get to know the NC State University Police Department and hear about beneficial safety tips and resources.

9:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. **Technology on Campus**
*Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)*
Learn about the IT accounts and services available to students and families, and hear about the importance of security for campus accounts, hardware, and mobile devices.

9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. **imPACKt Your Community**
*Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)*
Let’s take time to explore our community expectations and how the Class of 2027 can have a positive imPACKt on campus. This session includes interpersonal violence prevention information.

10:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. **Campus Tours**
*Central and North Campus*
Learn more about campus through this informative tour led by your Orientation Leader.

11:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. **University Housing Showroom**
*Lee Residence Hall, Room 106*
Stop by to see a model residence hall room and get ideas for how to deck out your space.
Download These Apps

Wolfpack Welcome Week Mobile Schedule

- Search for and download the app ‘NC State University Guides’ from your favorite app store
- Open the app and search for ‘2023 Wolfpack Welcome Week’
- Create your custom schedule

Navigate NC State

- Go to the Google Play or Apple App Store and search for “Navigate Student”
- Open the app and select “NC State University” as your school
- Log in with your unity ID and password
- View your course schedule, find class locations, and create study groups

AcademicLiveCare

All NC State degree-seeking students can access free telehealth counseling appointments.

- Download the ‘AcademicLiveCare’ free app from Google Play or the App Store, or visit AHPLiveCare.com.
- Create an account and sign in using your username and password.

Learn more at: go.ncsu.edu/alc
### First-Year Family Day One Schedule

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| 8:45 a.m. to  | **Check-In**  
9:30 a.m.  
Arrive to gather your materials for the day, and follow the “What’s Next” instructions! | Lee Residence Hall, Lobby (with students) |  |
| 8:45 a.m. to  | **Morning Refreshments**  
9:30 a.m.  
Head over to the third floor of Talley Student Union to enjoy light refreshments! | Talley Student Union, 3rd floor (with students) |  |
| 9:45 a.m. to  | **Orientation Welcome**  
10:10 a.m.  
Get excited to be a part of the Pack and learn about NC State traditions to start your Orientation experience. | Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor) (with students) |  |
| 10:10 a.m. to | **Helping Your Wolf Howl**  
10:50 a.m.  
At the end of this session, you will have:  
- Gained insight into the opportunities and challenges that your student may encounter in their first year at NC State.  
- Gained insight into the opportunities and challenges that you as a parent or family member may encounter during your student’s first year at NC State.  
- Learned ways to support your student and yourself during this transition.  
- Received an overview of the services provided by the NC State’s Counseling Center and Prevention Services, including how to access and refer to these services. Contact the Counseling Center at 919.515.2423 or https://counseling.dasa.ncsu.edu/  
Contact Prevention Services at 919.515.4405 or https://prevention.dasa.ncsu.edu/. | Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor) |  |
| 11:05 a.m. to | **Parents and Families Services**  
11:25 a.m.  
At the end of this session, you will have:  
- An understanding of the integral role families play in their student’s success.  
- Gained knowledge of the resources and services that the Office of Parents and Families Services offers.  
- Discover strategies to support and engage students and their families within the university and beyond.  
- Explore the various ways that parents and families can maintain an active role in the NC State community.  
For more information visit parents.ncsu.edu. If you have questions please call the Parents’ HelpLine at 919.515.2441 or email at ncstateparents@ncsu.edu. | Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor) |  |
| 11:25 a.m. to | **Academic Success 101**  
11:55 a.m.  
Learn the basics of academics at NC State, including the General Education Program, campus resources, and the support of academic advisors. Contact Academic Advising Programs and Services at 919.515.8130 or https://advising.ncsu.edu/. | Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor) |  |
| 12:00 a.m. to | **Lunch**  
1:35 p.m.  
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 a credit/debit card. | Fountain Dining Hall |  |
| 1:05 p.m. to  | **Information Fair**  
1:35 p.m.  
Visit the Information Fair to speak with our campus partners and receive information about campus services and resources. | Talley Student Union, James H. Woodward Student Involvement Center (4th floor) |  |
| 1:40 p.m. to  | **University Honors Program Meeting**  
2:30 p.m.  
A mandatory meeting if your student is participating in the University Honors Program. | Talley Student Union, Room 4280 (with students) |  |
Campus Resource Choice Session # 1 Various Locations (with students)

1:40 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Students and families will have the opportunity to learn more about select campus resources and how they can enhance your NC State experience. You will be able to choose which session you attend during the two time blocks.

- **Study Abroad**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **Undergraduate Research**
  - Talley Student Union, Currituck Ballroom (3rd floor)
- **Career Development Center**
  - Talley Student Union, Hatteras-Ocracoke Ballroom (3rd floor)
- **Leadership and Civic Engagement**
  - Talley Student Union, Room 3285

Campus Resource Choice Session # 2 Various Locations (with students)

2:10 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Students and families will have the opportunity to learn more about select campus resources and how they can enhance your NC State experience. You will be able to choose which session you attend during the two time blocks.

- **Study Abroad**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **Undergraduate Research**
  - Talley Student Union, Currituck Ballroom (3rd floor)
- **Career Development Center**
  - Talley Student Union, Hatteras-Ocracoke Ballroom (3rd floor)
- **Leadership and Civic Engagement**
  - Talley Student Union, Room 3285

College Welcome and Academic Information Various Locations (with students)

2:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Meet representatives from your student’s college and learn about academic requirements, opportunities, and expectations. For meeting location, find your student’s college or program below.

- **Agricultural Institute (July 19)**
  - Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)
- **College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (July 24 & 25)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **College of Design (June 20)**
  - Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)
- **College of Education (June 20)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **College of Engineering (June 13, 14, 15; July 26, 27; August 1, 2)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **College of Humanities and Social Sciences (July 6 & 10)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **College of Natural Resources (July 18)**
  - Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)
- **College of Sciences (July 20)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **Wilson College of Textiles (July 19)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **University College (June 27 & 28; July 11)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **Life Sciences First Year Program (June 21; July 12 & 13)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)
- **Poole College of Management (June 26; July 31)**
  - Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

Dining, Bookstore, and ID Card Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)

4:15 p.m. to 4:55 p.m.

At the end of this session, you will have:

- Learned how meal plans work and what options are available.
- Determined how to shop for the best price and options for course materials through MyPack Portal.
- Reviewed how to select a laptop designed for your student’s course of study.
- Learned how your student’s Wolfpack One ID Card works and about the various spending accounts associated with it.
- Learned about student banking options provided by PNC Bank.
- Learned about on-campus jobs and how they can help your student succeed.

Contact Campus Enterprises at campus-enterprises@ncsu.edu or visit https://campusenterprises.ncsu.edu/
For more about PNC Banking at NC State, visit www.pnc.com/ncstate.
Next Steps

Now that your student is enrolled at NC State, their personal record is confidential according to the federal law called the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). If your student wishes to grant you access to their records for things like assisting with bill payment, they must follow the steps provided online. [go.ncsu.edu/parentaccess](go.ncsu.edu/parentaccess)

Make sure your student pays their bill. Fall semester tuition and fees are available to view beginning July 6, 2023 and due July 26, 2023. [https://mypack.ncsu.edu](https://mypack.ncsu.edu)

Your Role in the Pack

Stay engaged with what’s happening on campus through Parents and Families Services.

Mark your calenders for September 29 - October 1, 2023 for Parents and Families Weekend! Registration opens in August 2023. Find more information at: [https://parents.ncsu.edu](https://parents.ncsu.edu)

Preparing for the Move

If your student will be living on campus, mark your calendar for move-in (by appointment), Thursday, August 17 - Saturday, August 19, 2023. Classes begin Monday, August 21. Find more information at: [https://housing.ncsu.edu](https://housing.ncsu.edu)

Visit our website for more information [go.ncsu.edu/NewStudentChecklist](go.ncsu.edu/NewStudentChecklist)
8:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.  **Pack Families Connect**  
*Campus Health Center, Room 2301*  
Wolfpack families are invited to coffee and conversation with students, faculty and staff from Prevention Services, the Counseling Center and Parents and Families Services. This is a great opportunity to meet other Pack Parents and learn more about the many resources and programs available to support your student’s success at NC State.

*Sessions on June 27, July 11 & 19 and August 1 will take place in One Earth Lounge, Talley Student Union (2nd Floor)*

9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.  **Morning Choice Sessions**  
Choose from one of the following sessions:

- **Fraternity and Sorority Life**  
  *Talley Student Union, Room 3285*  
  Join the Department of Fraternity & Sorority Life to learn the why, the how and the what behind fraternities and sororities.

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

9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.  **Staying Safe at NC State**  
*Talley Student Union, Mountains-Piedmont Ballroom (3rd floor)*  
At the end of this session, you will have:

- Learned the university police department’s mission and contact information.
- Learned about the university’s safety resources and emergency communication procedures.
- Learned about crime on campus, along with safety tips that may be beneficial to students.

Contact NC State University Police Department at 919.515.3000 or https://ncsu.edu/police.

10:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m.  **Technology on Campus**  
*Talley Student Union, Mountains-Piedmont Ballroom (3rd floor)*  
At the end of this session, you will have:

- Learned about the IT accounts and services available to students and families.
- Heard about the importance of security for campus accounts, hardware, mobile devices, etc.
- Gained awareness of campus rules and regulations related to IT.
- Gained awareness of campus IT support and knowledge of how to access these support systems as a student or family member.

Contact The Office of Information Technology (OIT) at 919.515.4357 or https://oit.ncsu.edu/.

10:35 a.m. to 11:05 a.m.  **Your Student’s Health and Wellness**  
*Talley Student Union, Mountains-Piedmont Ballroom (3rd floor)*  
At the end of this session, you will have:

- Heard an overview of the preventative, medical and other services offered by Campus Health Services.
- Learned about eligibility for care and services with Campus Health Services.
- Learned about the UNC system-wide health insurance requirement and the NC State immunization requirements.

Contact Campus Health Services at 919.515.2563 or https://healthypack.dasa.ncsu.edu/.

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**Additional Notes**
Common Experience

As part of the Common Experience, first-year students have the opportunity to engage with the CliftonStrengths for Students tool.

go.ncsu.edu/common-experience

Encouraged to complete by Thursday, August 17, 2023

- Ease your transition to the university with CliftonStrengths for Students
- Identify and better understand your strengths
- Learn how investing in your natural talents can help your ongoing success
- Visit the website for more information and instructions
- Look out for more opportunities during the fall semester to engage with your strengths

Ask your OL about their top strength!
Important Fall Semester Dates

for Students & Families

Move-In Weekend
August 17-19

Wolfpack Welcome Week
August 17-26

New Student Convocation
August 20

First Day of Classes
August 21

Parents and Families Weekend
September 29 - October 1

Fall Break - No Classes
October 9 - 10

Red and White Week
October 22 - 28

Thanksgiving Break - No Classes
November 22 - 24

Last Day of Class
December 5

Fall Semester Exams
December 7 - 13

Wolfpack Welcome Week

Thursday, August 17 - Saturday, August 26, 2023

go.ncsu.edu/ncstatewwww

› Make new friends while learning more about NC State
› Explore exciting ways to engage in and outside of the classroom
› Celebrate the start of the academic year with one of our
  signature events, Packapalooza™
› Download the NC State Guides app to check out the full
  schedule (page 8). For an individualized experience, reference
  the seven interest categories below

Connect on Campus

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

Academic Engagement & Success
Health & Wellness
Social Connections
Diversity & Inclusion
Arts & Creativity
Wolfpack Pride
Community Engagement & Service
NC State University is dedicated to equality of opportunity. The University does not condone discrimination against students, employees, or applicants in any form. NC State University promotes equal opportunity and prohibits discrimination and harassment based upon one’s age, color, disability, gender identity, genetic information, national origin, race, religion, sex (including pregnancy), sexual orientation and veteran status.

**Orientation Parking**
- Lee Lot
- West Lot

**Orientation Dining**
- Fountain Dining Hall
- Talley Student Union
- Talley Market (2nd Floor)
- Port City Java (2nd Floor)

**Student Services Offices**
- Harris Hall - Student Services Center
- PNC Bank
- Wolfpack One Card Office
- Talley Student Union
- Wolfpack One Card Office

**Orientation Sessions and Activities**
- Lee Residence Hall
- Talley Student Union
- Pullen Hall

**Orientation Housing**
- Lee Residence Hall
- North Hall