



Spartan Family News

Greetings Spartan Families!

We are so excited to welcome our newest Spartans to campus and to catch up with our returning students. August is full of exciting activities designed to help our students get settled and feel at home, so they are best prepared to get started with classes, get engaged on campus, and develop a strong support network of friends and campus resources. I hope you will join us in encouraging your students to get out and take advantage of the programs and services offered on campus. This initial transition, especially for our newest students, can be challenging--but we've designed experiences that will help them find their place here at UNCG.



Our faculty and staff are committed to creating a culture of care on the campus, where the success and well-being of every student matters. We look forward to connecting with students throughout this month and beyond. We value our partnership with families, so don't hesitate to reach out if we can ever be of assistance

I encourage you to read through the important dates and information we've provided in this newsletter, and I hope to see you on campus for Spartan Family Weekend, scheduled for October 20-22.

Sincerely,

*Cathy Akens
Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs*

NOTE TO YOUR STUDENTS: [UNCG switched from a Google Suite institution to Microsoft this summer.](#) Email addresses @uncg.edu did not change. However, students will need to send emails from Outlook, not Google moving forward. Students will also need to check Outlook for new mail. If Gmail is used, their messages will not be received by others, nor will they receive new messages.



Important/Upcoming Dates



First Day of Class is Tuesday, August 15!



Rawkin' Welcome Weeks

This is a great opportunity for your student to continue the transition to college life at UNCG and find out what it means to be a Spartan. All events are designed to help your student get acclimated to campus by learning about academic support resources, campus programs and services, and most importantly, a chance to meet friends and make new Spartan connections. Please encourage your student to check out RWW programming during the month of August! Details can be found [here](#) and on Spartan Connect.

1GNITE: August 13th

During 1GNITE new Spartans gather in blue and gold for the annual class photo, pick up their NAV1GATE swag bag, and First Year Success Planner! Dinner and Live @ the G follows 1GNITE to get students excited for their time at the G! This event is required for all new first year students – information will be sent to their UNCG email address.

NAV1GATE: August 14th

NAV1GATE provides new Spartans with a warm welcome to kick-start the school year! Students wear the gray UNCG t-shirt they received at SOAR. Students will hear from the Chancellor, Deans, and their faculty while having fun with fellow new Spartans, the cheer and dance teams, pep band and more! This event is required for all new first year students – information will be sent to their UNCG email address.



Encourage your student to sign up for a day of service and to connect with their fellow Spartans on **August 19th!** Students will serve with community organizations addressing community concerns including hunger and homelessness, literacy, animal welfare, and more. Students can learn more with [OLCE](#).



The [Office of Leadership and Civic Engagement](#) is here to help your student discover their passions, connect with their community, and build skills employers are looking for. To stay up to date on upcoming events and opportunities, please encourage your student to [sign-up for our weekly newsletter](#). Our upcoming events include:

Spartan Leadership Challenge - Bronze Experience

Whether your student is just stepping into their leadership identity or wondering if they are a leader, the Bronze experience is ready to help them own being a changemaker! The Bronze Experience is one of the first steps in creating positive social change on campus and in the Greensboro community. It is also a great way to meet new people, gain valuable competencies, and develop essential leadership skills! Students can learn more at the Bronze kickoff on **August 21st** at 11:00 AM in EUC Claxton or on **August 31st** at 1:00 PM in EUC Claxton. Students should also complete this [THIS](#)

Add/Drop Classes - August 21

Add/Drop Period Ends August 21st. This is the last day your student can change their class schedule. They will want to consult with their academic advisor or [advising office](#) first.

Payment Deadlines (based on when course registration occurred)

REGISTRATION PERIOD	BILLING STATEMENT SENT	PAYMENT DUE
Registered by July 6, 2023	July 7, 2023	Aug. 9, 2023 (by 5:00 p.m.)
Registered between July 7 and July 24, 2023	July 25, 2023	Aug. 9, 2023 (by 5:00 p.m.)
Registered between July 25 and Aug 1, 2023	Aug. 2, 2023	Aug. 9, 2023 (by 5:00 p.m.)
Registered between Aug 2 and Aug 14, 2023	Aug. 15, 2023	Aug. 23, 2023 (by 2:00 p.m.)



Insurance/Immunization Records Deadlines:

September 8: Date to be compliant with state [immunization requirements](#)

September 11: Last day to waive or enroll in [student health insurance](#)



UNCG is excited to announce the launch of our co-curricular program, Spartan Experience, this fall. Through this program, students will curate their co-curricular transcript, which documents their campus life experiences including student employment, diversity training workshops, career coaching, and more.

Upon completion of the Spartan Experience in their senior year, students will have learned more about themselves and others within five main learning areas: Leadership, Career, Inclusion, Well-Being, & Connections.

While this is not required for students to complete, we highly encourage their participation, as it will not only enhance their time at UNCG but will give them the tools to describe how their time in college impacted them personally and professionally. The Division of Student Affairs will recognize students' progress through the program at various milestones with sling backpacks, tote bags, dinner with the Vice Chancellor, presence at the Spartans of Excellence Banquet, and more!

We hope you will encourage your students to participate, and you can learn more [here!](#)

Register now!



UNCG SPARTAN FAMILY WEEKEND

OCTOBER 20-22

\$10 FAMILY MEMBER TICKETS

+ OPTIONAL ADD-ONS

REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR SPARTAN FAMILY WEEKEND! FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT

GO.UNCG.EDU/SFW2023

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13

For more information geared towards Spartan Families, follow us on social media, and check out our [site!](#)



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