

TIPS FOR NEWLY ADMITTED STUDENTS



IS THIS YOUR FIRST SEMESTER BACK AFTER SOME TIME?

HERE ARE SOME SUGGESTIONS WE HAVE FOR PREPARING FOR THE FIRST WEEK OF CLASS AND A SUCCESSFUL SEMESTER.

Class Sizes

- Be prepared for class sizes ranging from 15 students to 200 or more. UNC Charlotte is a large institution of almost 30,000 with many classes running daily. Don't let this intimidate you from diving in!

Writing Resources

- It may be a while since you've had to write a college paper, and there are resources to help prepare your writing to meet your professor's expectations. Explore the Writing Resource Center and use the Librarians in the Atkins Library to learn how to research, revise, and become a better writer.

"Am I alone?"

- This is a question we hear often from adult students. If you're worried about feeling alone in this journey, we hope you'll find solace in that there are almost 5,000 adult students on campus in similar shoes.

First Day of Class

- Arrive extra early for class during the first week. Add at least 15 minutes on to your estimated travel time to be sure you find parking and your classroom on time. If possible, come to campus before classes begin to get a feel for the campus. Try to find your classrooms ahead of time so you do not get lost.

Email

- It's important to meet with your Advisor regularly to develop a plan for completing a major/degree. Find your assigned advisor in Starfish, and be sure to check email AT LEAST once a day (3+ is better). Email is the official form of communication for the university. Email is the official form of communication for the university. Reference the Information and Technology Services website for help and tips.

Time Management

- Buy a planner or utilize an electronic calendar. Enter the dates from all your syllabi the first week of class as soon as you get them. Also, include important registration dates from the Academic Calendar such as drop/add, withdrawal, and registration deadlines.

NEW STUDENT RESOURCES



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TUTORING, WORKSHOPS, & ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC RESOURCES

ucae.uncc.edu
Colvard 2300
PH: 704-687- 7837

WRITING RESOURCE CENTER

writing.uncc.edu
Cameron 125
PH: 704-687-1899

ATKINS LIBRARY, ADULT STUDENT LIBRARIAN: BETH

guides.library.uncc.edu/adult_
students
Atkins 133A
PH: 704– 687-0496

MATH LEARNING CENTER (MLC)

math.uncc.edu
Fretwell 330
PH: 704-687-1392 (Front Office)

LANGUAGE RESOURCE CENTER

lrc.uncc.edu
COED 434
PH: 704-687-8790

VETERAN STUDENT SERVICES

unccdso.uncc.edu/org/veterans-
studentservices
Barnard 103
PH: 704– 687-5488

COUNSELING CENTER

counselingcenter.uncc.edu
Atkins 158
PH: 704-687- 0311

CAREER CENTER

career.uncc.edu
Atkins 150
PH: 704-687-0795

DEAN OF STUDENTS

unccdso.uncc.edu
King 217
PH: 704– 687-0345