NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION OVERVIEW
DATES

• **Summer Term Orientation Sessions**
  • May 4
  • May 26 (early advising preferred)

• **Transfer Orientation Sessions**
  • June 23
  • July 27
  • July 28
  • August 18
DATES

• Freshman Orientation Sessions
  • May 22-23
  • May 24-25
  • June 1-2
  • June 5-6
  • June 7-8
  • June 12-13
  • June 14-15
  • June 19-20
  • June 21-22
  • June 26-27
  • June 28-29
  • July 6-7
  • July 10-11
  • July 12-13
  • July 17-18
  • July 19-20
  • July 24-25
  • August 16-17*
REGISTRATION UPDATE

• TRANSFER – 6 SESSIONS TOTAL
  • Students: 388
  • Families: 223

• FRESHMAN – 19 SESSIONS TOTAL
  • Students: 5671
  • Families: 4135
1-DAY ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

• 7:15 am  Check-in/Breakfast
• 8:15 am  Welcome
• 8:25 am  Campus Partner Presentations
• 9:40 am  Small Group
• 11:00 am Academic College Visit
• 12-2 pm  Lunch/Resource Fair
• 2:00 pm  Academic Advising
• 3:30 pm  Campus Business Checklist

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DAY 1

- 8:00 am  Check-In
- 10:00 am  Welcome
- 10:15 am  Campus Partner Presentations
- 11:30 am  Small Group 1/Lunch
- 1:00 pm  Academic College Visits
- 2:30 pm  Breakout Sessions
- 4:30 pm  Small Group 2
- 5:30 pm  Dinner
- 7:00 pm  Readers Theater
- 7:45 pm  Small Group 3
- 8:10 pm  Carolina Connections
- 8:30 pm  Gamecocks After Dark
2-DAY ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

DAY 2

- 7:45 am  Breakfast
- 8:15 am  Small Group 4
- 9:00 am  Campus Partner Presentations
- 11:00 am Lunch/Resource Fair*
- 1:00 pm  Academic Advising
- 2:30 pm  Campus Business Checklist

* Special Populations Sessions
ORIENTATION LEADERS

University Advising Center
• May 16 from 2:45-3:30 pm
• RHUU Ballroom

College Ambassador Visits
• May 16 from 3:30-5:00 pm
• Freshman Academic College Visit location

Campus Partner Showcase
• May 19 at 11:00 am
• Hootie Hall
VISUALZEN (VZ)

• A secure system with integration services that allows students, families, and supporters to register for orientation and complete onboarding tasks.

• Allows you to pull reports to know who to expect at academic advising and specific information about your students.
VZ ACCESS

- Request user access at:

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REMINDERS & UPDATES

• Fully in-person program
• Large incoming first-year class
• Smaller Orientation team
• Locations for NSO: RHUU, Alumni Center, Koger Center
• Digital Check-in Process
• Registration Assistance Center
• Major Changes
QUESTIONS?

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