

# FYE 101: SUCCEED AT THE G

## PEER ACADEMIC LEADERS

FALL 2022

Peer Academic Leaders (PALs) serve new students as advocates, teaching assistants, and mentors in FYE 101: Succeed at the G, a MAC Foundations course. This course aims to equip students with the tools and resources to be successful in college. PALs have the distinct leadership opportunity to help the students in their class section transition to college, get connected to campus resources, and establish a sense of belonging here at UNC Greensboro.

**100%**

OF PALS WERE SATISFIED  
WITH THEIR EXPERIENCE

**97%**

OF STUDENTS BELIEVED  
THEIR PAL GENUINELY  
CARED ABOUT THEM

**100%**

OF PALS WOULD  
RECOMMEND THE  
PAL POSITION

"Being a PAL has changed my life in so many ways! It pushed me to do better as a student, professional, and person. Not only have I been able to grow as a professional with the skills I developed, but I really found my calling for working with students." – Fall 2022 PAL

**97%**

OF PALS REPORTED A  
POSITIVE LEVEL OF  
CONNECTION WITH  
THEIR STUDENTS

**100%**

OF PALS REPORTED FEELING  
SUPPORTED BY THEIR  
FYE INSTRUCTORS

**80%**

OF PALS REPORTED LEADING  
MORE THAN THEIR ONE  
REQUIRED CLASS DURING  
THE SEMESTER

**70%**

OF PALS REPORTED  
MEETING WITH STUDENTS  
2+ TIMES OUTSIDE OF  
REQUIRED 1-ON-1'S

"My PAL was a wonderful mentor and friend. She was inclusive and respectful, and was always concerned with our mental and physical health. She always came to class with a smile and had fun activities for us to do, and she provided a sense of community inside and outside of the classroom." – Fall 2022 FYE 101 Student

Based on information collected from bi-weekly reporting & end of year assessments.

Interested in learning more about Peer Academic Leaders (PALs)?  
Connect with New Student Transitions & First Year Experience at [e\\_wiersm@uncg.edu](mailto:e_wiersm@uncg.edu)