HELLO, SPARTANS!

Here's your first official First Year Connect. Each First Year Connect contains an email and a YouTube video that can be found by clicking on the YouTube icon. Be sure to check them out!

Move-in Day

Are you living on campus this fall? Be sure to keep up with the Housing & Residence Life website for the latest info on your move-in date and what to pack. If you are attending SOAR in August, you will be moving into your Residence Hall on Wednesday, August 8th.

Student Convocation

The first weekend of the semester is going to be a blast! Kick it off by getting READY on Friday, getting SET on Saturday, because Sunday is GO TIME. Remember Sunday is the New Student Photo that you will wear your Bucket List T-Shirt and you’ll pick up your NAV1GATE T-shirt that you will wear to NAV1GATE. Be sure to have everything you need for the semester by this weekend, because Monday, August 13th, is NAV1GATE New Student Convocation. This is an all day event that all new Spartans go to. You don’t want to miss out!

Rawkin’ Welcome Week 2018

The first weekend you are on campus will be fun and exciting, but it doesn’t stop there! A range of events are going on until Monday, August 20th. A full calendar of Rawkin’ Welcome Week can be found here. These events are designed to help you meet new people, connect you to campus, and give you tips on how to succeed in your first year!

The Distance Between us - The Keker First Year Common Read

In the meantime, you can keep reading the Keker First Year Common Read. This year, the book is The Distance Between Us by Reyna Grande. This book is a memoir of her immigration to the United States. Reading this book is a great way to build community with other first-year Spartans, and some of your faculty might read it as well. In addition, Reyna Grande will be coming to campus on Wednesday, October 10th. Mark your calendars now!

There will be a new edition of First Year Connect once a month throughout your entire first year, giving you updates on how to succeed during your first year - so be sure to stay tuned! In addition to keeping up with the First Year Connect, follow YFY on social media to be in the know for everything going on around campus. With the semester gearing up, tag @UNCYGFY in your pictures of you getting ready for the first day of the semester!

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