



# FIRST YEAR STUDENT SCHEDULE

## DAY 1

TIME	SESSION	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
8 - 8:45 a.m.	SOAR Check-in	EUC, Auditorium	Check-in and head to the EUC, Cone Ballroom
8 - 9 a.m.	SOAR Material Pick-up	EUC, Cone Ballroom Lobby	Be sure to get your SOAR Resource Guide and other helpful materials.
8 - 9 a.m.	Health Services & Student Insurance	EUC, Cone Ballroom Lobby	Learn about services offered at Student Health and the required Student Insurance.
8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Ayuda en Español	EUC, Cone Ballroom Lobby	Pick up your Spanish language interpreting head sets and get general questions answered.
8 - 9 a.m.	Immunization Station	EUC, Cone Ballroom Lobby	Turn in your immunization records.
8 - 9 a.m.	Counseling & Well-Being	EUC, Cone Ballroom Lobby	Learn about Counseling & Psychological Services and Spartan Well-Being.
8 - 9 a.m.	UNCG Mobile App	EUC, Commons	Download today, choose either New Student Persona or Families, Friends, and Fans Persona.
8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	UNCG Bookstore Open	EUC, UNCG Bookstore	Stop in and check out some Spartan swag.
<b>9 - 9:20 a.m.</b>	<b>Welcome to SOAR</b>	<b>EUC, Cone Ballroom</b>	<b>Take your seat and get ready for the official start to SOAR!</b>
9:20 - 9:45 a.m.	Student Success in Year One	EUC, Cone Ballroom	Learn the keys to success for your first year at UNCG.
9:50 - 10:25 a.m.	SOS Small Groups	EUC, Various Locations	Meet other new students and your SOS!
10:30 - 11:55 a.m.	Academic Welcome & Advising	EUC, Various Locations	Hear about your academic programs and introduction to academic advising and course registration at UNCG.
	College of Arts and Sciences	EUC, Cone Ballroom	
	College of Visual and Performing Arts	EUC, Dogwood	
	Exploratory Majors	EUC, Claxton	
	Bryan School of Business & Economics	EUC, Auditorium	
	School of Education	EUC, Sharpe	
	School of Health and Human Sciences	EUC, Dail	
	School of Nursing, Nursing Interest	EUC, Alexander	
	Integrative Community Studies (Beyond Academics)	EUC, White Oak	

TIME	SESSION	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
12 - 1 p.m.	<b>Lunch and Optional Activities</b>	Moran Commons, Various Locations	
	<b>Lunch</b>	Moran Commons, Fountain View Dining Hall	Enjoy an all you care to eat lunch. Show your SOAR name tag.
	<b>Esports Arena</b>	Moran Commons, 109	You can compete in the new Esports arena with the latest, state-of-the-art gaming technology. Check out the newly opened arena!
	<b>Meal Plan &amp; Dining Information</b>	Moran Commons, Lobby	Questions about UNCG Dining and meal plans? Visit our table!
	<b>SpartanCard Photos</b>	Moran Commons, 106	If you haven't uploaded an approved photo, stop in to have your SpartanCard photo taken. All SpartanCards will be picked up on Day 2 in Moran Commons.
1:10 - 2:15 p.m.	<b>Let's Get Connected</b>	EUC, Cone Ballroom	Connect with UNCG resources for a successful first year. A sampling of ways to begin will be presented.
	<b>Your First Year (YFY)</b>	EUC, Cone Ballroom	
	<b>UNCG Athletics</b>	EUC, Cone Ballroom	
	<b>Get Involved</b>	EUC, Cone Ballroom	
2:20 - 2:45 p.m.	<b>Breakout Session A</b>	EUC, Cone Ballroom	<b>CHOOSE ONE SESSION.</b>
	<b>Living on Campus</b>	EUC, Cone Ballroom	For all students living on campus in the fall.
	<b>Commuting to and Engaging with Campus</b>	EUC, Auditorium	For all students commuting to campus in the fall.
2:50 - 3:15 p.m.	<b>Breakout Session B</b>	EUC, Various Locations	<b>CHOOSE ONE SESSION.</b>
	<b>6-TECH at Information Technology Services (ITS)</b>	EUC, Sharpe	Get answers to all your questions about UNCG hardware, software, and student computing accounts.
	<b>Academic Records, Grades, and more! (Registrar)</b>	EUC, Alexander	Learn more about Spartan Central, UNCGenie, The University Catalog and so much more!!
	<b>Office of Accessibility and Resource Services (OARS)</b>	EUC, Elm	ADHD? Anxiety? Depression? Medical Concern? "Other" for which an accommodation may be needed? Learn how easy it is to connect and arrange for barrier removal or accommodations.
	<b>UNCG Bookstore</b>	EUC, Azalea	Questions about purchasing or renting textbooks, or how to get the coolest swag for the fall semester? We are here to help!
	<b>UNCG Dining</b>	EUC, Dogwood	Stop in if you have questions about meal plans, flex, and dining options.
	<b>Health Services, Immunization and Student Insurance Information</b>	EUC, Claxton	Learn more about services offered at Student Health along with the immunization and student health insurance requirements and how to upload these documents to their coresponding portals.
	<b>Parking &amp; Transportation Options</b>	EUC, Dail	Learn about parking and transportation options, including car-free, sustainable transportation.

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	Title IX	EUC, Long Leaf Pine	Join us to learn more about safe choices, developing healthy relationships, and the support available to students.
	Recruited Student-Athletes & Families Only	EUC, White Oak	Student-athletes have University and NCAA requirements. Attendance is required for student-athletes.
	Work While You're a Student	EUC, Auditorium	Need a job? Learn more about on campus employment.
3:20 - 3:45 p.m.	Breakout Session C	EUC, Various Locations	<b>CHOOSE ONE SESSION.</b>
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	UNCG Bookstore	EUC, Azalea	Questions about purchasing or renting textbooks, or how to get the coolest swag for the fall semester? We are here to help!
	UNCG Dining	EUC, Dogwood	Stop in if you have questions about meal plans, flex, and dining options.
	Finding Academic Success	EUC, Willow	Learn how to recognize when you need help and hear about various (and free) academic support services available to you.
	Health Services, Immunization and Student Insurance Information	EUC, Claxton	Learn more about services offered at Student Health along with the immunization and student health insurance requirements and how to upload these documents to their corresponding portals.
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	Title IX	EUC, Long Leaf Pine	Join us to learn more about safe choices, developing healthy relationships, and the support available to students.
	Paying Bills & Payment Plans	EUC, Alexander	All you need to know to sign up for payment plans, due dates, and how to manage your student account.
	Work While You're a Student	EUC, Auditorium	Need a job? Learn more about on campus employment.
3:45 - 4 p.m.	Break		Transition back to Cone Ballroom
4 - 4:45 p.m.	Campus Resources	EUC, Cone Ballroom	Understanding campus policies and safety are key to your overall experience as a campus community member.
	Paying Bills and Payment Plans	EUC, Cone Ballroom	
	Dean of Students	EUC, Cone Ballroom	
	UNCG Police	EUC, Cone Ballroom	
	Mental Health & Wellbeing	EUC, Cone Ballroom	
5 - 5:50 p.m.	Dinner	Moran Commons, Fountain View Dining Hall	Enjoy an all you care to eat dinner. Show your SOAR name tag. Students must meet their SOS outside at the Fountain by 5:50 p.m. Guests are free to leave for the evening.

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6 - 6:30 p.m.	Student Connections	EUC, Various Locations	Connect with other new students and your SOS!
6:35 - 7:15 p.m.	LIGHT THE G	EUC, Auditorium	LIGHTs up with your fellow new Spartans as you learn what you have in common.
7:30 p.m.	Return home for the evening		Catch some UNCG landmarks and traditions as we direct students back to their residence halls or the parking garage for the evening.

## DAY 2

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7 - 8 a.m.	Breakfast	Moran Commons, Fountain View Dining Hall	Enjoy an all you care to eat breakfast. Show your SOAR name tag.
8:15 - 8:35 a.m.	SOS Small Groups	EUC, Various Locations	Continued connections with your fellow Spartans!
8:45 - 9 a.m.	Advising Assignment Information	EUC, Auditorium	All students must be present at this time to receive a class schedule; late arrivals will miss out on this session.
9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	Advising & Class Schedule Checks	Various Locations	SOS will guide you to your advising location. Once done, return to the EUC.
9:15 - 11:15 a.m. Leave every 15-20 minutes.	Class Schedule Tours	EUC, Birch	Now that you have received your class schedule, take a tour noting the locations of your classroom buildings. We will have Spartan SPEARS available the first two days of the semester stationed around campus to help you find your buildings if you can't take part in these tours.
9:15 - 9:45 a.m. 10:15 - 10:45 a.m.	Scheduled Tours	Various Campus Locations	These tours will begin and end at specific times.
	Jackson Library Tours	Jackson Library - Meet at the EUC connecting entrance for library tours	Take a tour of the state of the art Walter Clinton Jackson Library.
	Smith Center Campus Ministry Tours	Meet in front of the UNCG Bookstore	Learn about campus ministries and the Spartan Open Pantry.
10:30 - 10:55 a.m.	Breakout Session D	EUC, Various Locations	<b>CHOOSE ONE SESSION.</b>
	A Week in Your Life as a UNCG Student	EUC, Dogwood	You have your class schedule - now what? Plan your weekly schedule to determine how you will balance class, homework, work, and fun!
	Bienvenidos Familia!	EUC, Meditation Room	UNCG Alianza is ready to answer questions in our language. UNCG Alianza está listo para contestar preguntas en nuestro idioma.
	Financial Aid and Scholarships Q & A Open Forum	EUC, Azalea	Drop in to ask general Financial Aid and Scholarships questions.
	Inclusion at the G: You Belong Here!	EUC, 062, Office of Intercultural Engagement	Stop by to learn how we affirm, support, and celebrate UNCG's diverse multicultural communities; serve as a catalyst for intercultural and intersectional dialogue; and prepare Spartans with the awareness, knowledge, and skills to contribute to a multicultural society.

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	<b>Lloyd International Honors College &amp; Residential Colleges</b>	EUC, Dail	If you've been accepted into Lloyd International Honors College OR a Residential College, please attend one of two required sessions and explore what we offer you!
	<b>Military-Affiliated Educational Benefits</b>	EUC, Elm	Learn about the Office of Military-Affiliated Services and how they can help you utilize your benefits. If you are using VA Educational Benefits as a veteran or military-affiliated student, this session is for you.
	<b>TRiO Programs</b>	EUC, Claxton	Are you the first in your family to attend college? Learn about UNCG's programs for first-generation, low-income college students.
	<b>UNCG Study Abroad</b>	EUC, Alexander	Studying Abroad is a life-changing experience for students of all majors. Find out how UNCG makes it possible for YOU to go abroad!
<b>11 - 11:25 a.m.</b>	<b>Breakout Session E</b>	EUC, Various Locations	<b>CHOOSE ONE SESSION.</b>
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<b>11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Spartan EXPO</b>	EUC, Cone Ballroom	Information, giveaways, and your FREE t-shirt.
<b>12 - 1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Final SpartanCard Pick-up</b>	Moran Commons, 106	Be sure to pick up your SpartanCard before leaving SOAR.

# THANK YOU FOR JOINING US AT SOAR!



## REMINDERS:

AUGUST 16TH - 1ST FRIDAY @ THE G  
AUGUST 19TH - NAVIGATE

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