



RANDOLPH COLLEGE

2018 New Student Orientation

Wednesday, August 22

7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Breakfast

Cheatham Dining Hall

No charge for new students; breakfast buffet available for purchase for guests.

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Residential and Commuter Student Check-In

Student Center, Hampson Commons

It's time to pick up your Paw Pass and key (if you are a residential student). You may also address any questions you have with the following offices:

Campus Safety & Security (Student IDs/Paw Passes, Check-In Area)

Health Center (Health Forms, Health Center)

Academic Services Center (Academic Strategies, Writing Lab Tutor Program, Check-In Area)

Disability Support Services (Lipscomb Library, Fourth Floor – Main Level)

Counseling Center (Check-In Area)

Dean of the College (Academic Issues, Main Hall, First Floor)

Dean of Students (Student Life Issues, Main Hall, First Floor)

Student Financial Services (Financial Aid, Admissions Welcome Center, Rivermont Ave)

Business Office (Billing Information, Presser Hall, Ground Level)

Information Technology (Leggett Help Desk)

Registrar (HS Transcript and Release of Information, Main Hall, First Floor)

10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Campus Store Hours

Pickup pre-ordered textbooks, browse, and shop.

- 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Navigating the Commuter Student Experience at Randolph College**
 Student Center, Nichols Theatre
Are you interested in learning the ins and outs of being a successful commuter student at Randolph? If so, this session is for you! Come meet other commuter students as we discuss parking, inclement weather, balancing school and work, and how to have a deep and inclusive experience as a member of the campus community.
- 11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Lunch**
 Cheatham Dining Hall
Families and students, please join us for lunch. (Students complimentary)
- 2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. **Welcome to Randolph College**
 Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre
Come kick off Orientation with a welcome Randolph President Bradley W. Bateman; Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the College, Carl A. Girelli; and Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students, Wesley R. Fugate. Wanda WildCat and Davenport Leaders will be on hand to welcome our new students.
- 2:45 p.m. – 4:55 p.m. **Group Meetings with Davenport Leaders**
 SunTrust Plaza, Sundial [Rain site: Student Center, Hampson Commons]
Meet your Davenport Group for the first time! These students will be your companions throughout the Orientation experience.
- 5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. **Family Farewell Event**
 Student Center, Hampson Commons
Thank your family for all that they have done to support your arrival at Randolph. Enjoy a sweet treat as we wish family and friends a safe trip home.
- 5:30 p.m. **Families Depart**
- 5:45 p.m. **Davenport Groups Meet**
 Front Campus
- 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. **Dinner with the President**
 President's House, 3115 Rivermont Avenue
Join President Bateman and Cyndi Lee for dinner at their home in your honor. This event is one of the "bookends" to your Randolph experience. You will also be invited back for a senior class event during Commencement week. Please, come as you are, no special dress required. Shuttles for students in need will be provided to and from the event, please meet at Main Hall Circle.
- 7:45 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. **Living in the Residence Halls**
 Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre
 Amanda Denny, Assistant Dean for Residence Life and Student Conduct
 Kayce Croy, Assistant Director of Residence Life
Join us for a brief gathering where you will meet the professional and student staff who live and work in your residence hall. We will provide you with information that will be useful if you have questions regarding on-campus housing and discuss how we can all work together to make this year successful. The director and assistant director of residence life will remain afterwards if you have any additional questions.

8:30 p.m. – 9:15 p.m.

Floor Meetings

Your Residence Hall, Individual Floor

Continued dialogue is necessary in order for your community to function effectively. This is your first opportunity to talk as a group and develop your community standards. The discussion will be facilitated by your resident assistant (RA) and will cover information regarding housing and conduct policies.

9:30 p.m.

Meet the Neighbors

Michels Plaza [Rain site: Student Center, Hampson Commons]

Now that you have met your RA, why not meet your fellow resident neighbors as well? You won't want to miss delicious s'more making at Michels Plaza while you get to know your new classmates!

Thursday, August 23

7:30 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.

Breakfast

Cheatham Dining Hall

8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m.

Davenport Groups Meet

Various Campus Locations

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Registrar and Technology Session

Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre

Victor Gosnell, Chief Technology Officer

Jeanette Rork, Registrar

This session highlights important information regarding the Registrar's Office, and provides technology resources to enhance both your educational goals as well as your personal needs.

10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

Group Advising Meeting

Various Campus Locations

Meet with your academic advisor to discuss the advising process and signup for an individual advising session. Locations listed in your orientation folder.

11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Campus Store Hours

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Placement Testing

English Placement Test

Smith 300

Consultations (as needed)

Determined in your group advising meeting.

Mathematics Consultations

Martin 326

French Consultations

Leggett 603

Latin Consultations

Psychology 308

Spanish Consultations

Leggett 601

Online Math Exemption

Martin 315

- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Consultations for Enrollment in Music Performance Courses (as needed)**
 Presser Hall, Room 344
Professor Randall Speer
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Lunch**
 Cheatham Dining Hall
- 1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. **Davenport Group Activity**
 Various Campus Locations
- 2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. **Healthy Relationships**
 Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre
Sharon Saunders, Director of Human Resources and Title IX Coordinator
Amanda Denny, Assistant Dean for Residence Life and Student Conduct
Amanda Gelber, Assistant Director of Campus Life
- This session helps students develop healthy relationships through discussions about respect and equality, consent, and warning signs of unhealthy or abusive behaviors (including sexual assault and other forms of gender-based violence). This session will also familiarize students with school and community support resources.*
- 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **Class of 2022 Picture and Introduction to Randolph Traditions**
 Mabel K. Whiteside Greek Theatre (The Dell)
Smile! 😊 Gather for the traditional class photo and learn about some of the College's other traditions.
- 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **Picnic Dinner**
 Cheatham Dining Hall
Outside seating is available.
- 6:15 p.m. **Davenport Groups Meet**
 SunTrust Plaza, Sundial
- 6:30 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. **Can We Talk? Embracing Diversity and Inclusion at Randolph**
 Smith Memorial Building, Smith Banquet Hall
Wes Fugate, Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students
Various members of the Randolph Community
- Randolph is a diverse community, and after you leave here, we wish for you to be prepared to live in a diverse world. This interactive session will begin a discussion on creating an inclusive community that embraces people regardless of their differences.*
- 9:00 p.m. **WildCat Welcome: Music Bingo**
 Student Center, Skeller Dining Room
Meet new friends during an evening of fun! You will be able to win some awesome prizes during Music Bingo and with light refreshments!

Friday, August 24

7:30 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.

Breakfast

Cheatham Dining Hall

8:15 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Davenport Groups Meet

Various Campus Locations

8:45-9:45 a.m.

CIRP Survey Group A

Smith Memorial Building, Smith Banquet Hall

The Cooperative Institutional Research Program (CIRP) survey of incoming first-year students is a national study originating at the University of California, Los Angeles. Since 1965, over 15 million students at nearly 2,000 colleges and universities have participated in this study. The survey helps us to understand you, our first-years, better, which is a critical first step in providing you with the support you need to be successful at Randolph.

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Concurrent Events:

Individual Advising Appointments

Faculty Offices

You and your academic advisor will review your class schedule.

Refer to your Orientation folder insert for location.

Riding Placements

Main Hall, Lobby

Experienced riders intending to enroll in PED 254 or PED 151 must attend to assess skill level for lesson placement and scheduling. Shuttles depart from Main Hall circle.

Library Open House

Lipscomb Library

Come explore your library! Find a favorite study space, browse our DVD and pleasure reading collections, and stop by the community Tea Closet for snacks and a cup of tea. Talk with the librarians about research support and other services, or explore on your own if you're feeling adventurous.

Campus Employment Drop-In

Main Hall, Human Resources Office

If you have the required identification [passport OR driver's license and social security card OR original birth certificate] and would like to complete payroll forms, please stop by the Human Resources office during this time. There are also additional employment sessions on Tuesday, Aug. 29th and Wednesday, Aug. 30th.

Rummage Room

Main Hall, Room 366

Did you forget to pack something for your room? Stop by the Free Store and pick up some kitchen supplies, storage containers, decorations and more. All items were collected by Sustainability interns during move-out last year and are available for free!

College Student Inventory

Residence Hall Rooms/Main Hall Computer Labs

Use your free time to complete the inventory. Must be completed before classes begin.

11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Campus Store Hours
12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Lunch Cheatham Dining Hall
12:45 p.m.	Davenport Groups Meet Various Campus Locations
1:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Concurrent Events: Individual Advising Appointments Faculty Offices <i>You and your academic advisor will review your class schedule. Refer to your Orientation folder insert for location.</i> CIRP Survey Group B Smith Memorial Building, Smith Banquet Hall <i>The Cooperative Institutional Research Program (CIRP) survey of incoming first-year students is a national study originating at the University of California, Los Angeles. Since 1965, over 15 million students at nearly 2,000 colleges and universities have participated in this study. The survey helps us to understand you, our first-years, better, which is a critical first step in providing you with the support you need to be successful at Randolph.</i>
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Hazed and Confused Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre <i>Wes Fugate, Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students</i> <i>This session will introduce you to the topic of hazing and how to report it at Randolph.</i>
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Davenport Groups Meet SunTrust Plaza, Sundial
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Alcohol and Other Drugs in College Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre <i>Ruby Bryant, Director, Student Health Services</i> <i>Wes Fugate, Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students</i> <i>Jennifer Bondurant, Director of the Counseling Center</i> <i>The speakers will take you on a journey exploring substance use disorders and how to make healthy choices in college.</i>
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Dinner Cheatham Dining Hall
6:15 p.m.	Davenport Groups Meet SunTrust Plaza, Sundial
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Getting Involved on Campus Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre <i>From student organizations to long standing College traditions, our Macon Activities</i>

Board [MAC] students along with other campus leaders will give you the in's and out's about getting involved on campus.

The Honor System and Student Government

Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre

Learn about Randolph College's Honor System. Adopted early in the College's founding, the Honor System is a very unique element of student life at Randolph College. This presentation will share with you an overview of the system and how it works.

Additionally, members of the Student Government will explain who they are, what they do and how their efforts affect the college community.

9:00 p.m.

Student Center Night In

Student Center, Hampson Commons & E-Cade

Join first-years and upper-class students for an activity filled evening, MAC will be sponsoring multiple activities including games, sustainability projects, music, crafts, & snacks.

Saturday, August 25

8:15 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Breakfast

Cheatham Dining Hall

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Davenport Groups Meet

Various Campus Locations

9:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Creating College Expectations

Various Locations

Spend the morning connecting with faculty and learning how to be a successful student at Randolph. This conference style workshop will allow you to select different sessions focused on the transition from high school to college level academics.

11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Campus Store Hours

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

Cheatham Dining Hall

1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

Davenport Groups Meet

Various Campus Locations

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Grounds for Discussion

Smith Memorial Building, Smith Banquet Hall

This fast-paced, interactive presentation uses humor, role playing, audience participation, and real-life stories to explore challenging situations and diversity on our campus. Afterwards, you will be able to debrief with the Davenport Leaders and enjoy a cup of coffee or tea!

4:45 p.m.

Davenport Groups Meet

Various Campus Locations

- 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **Dinner**
Cheatham Dining Hall
- 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. **WildCat Carnival**
RAD Parking Area [Rain OR Shine]
Connect with other students for a night of fun, friends, and festivities! The carnival will feature rides, balloon art, body art, inflatables, games, giveaways, & carnival food.
- Sunday, August 26**
- 9:00 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. **Chamber Orchestra, Choral Ensemble, and Voice Study-Mandatory Meeting**
Presser Hall, Wimberly Recital Hall
Q&A, sign up for audition time.
- 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Sexual Assault Prevention and AlcoholEDU – Online Education Modules**
Requires access to a computer with internet capabilities
For those who may not have yet completed these online requirements, this is your time to finish learning important information about navigating important decisions you will face in college.
- 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. **Chamber Orchestra, Choral Ensemble, and Voice Study Auditions**
Presser Hall, Wimberly Recital Hall
- 11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Brunch**
Cheatham Dining Hall
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. **Classroom Tours with Davenport Leaders**
Main Hall Lobby
Bring your academic schedule and walk around campus as Davenport Leaders help you locate your classrooms.
- 2:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. **Auditions for MEDEA - the 2018 RC Greek Play**
Mabel K. Whiteside Greek Theatre (The Dell) [Rain site: Houston Chapel]

Be part of one of the oldest college traditions and a unique theatre experience. Audition now for the production in October, in which Medea defends her honor and destroys her enemies in Euripides' game-changing masterpiece. Seeking actors, singers, dancers, and crew. Details at <http://melpomene.go.randolphcollege.edu>.

If you are unable to make auditions, please be in touch with Amy Cohen (acohen@randolphcollege.edu) as soon as possible. Rehearsals start on Tuesday, August 28.
- 2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. **Exclusive Tour and Scavenger Hunt: The 107th Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Art: Zeitgeist**
Maier Museum
Did you know that there is a nationally recognized American art museum on campus? Get an exclusive tour of the inner workings of the Museum, hear the secret history called Project Y, and get a sneak peek at our new exhibition of contemporary art, Zeitgeist. Participate in a scavenger hunt for a prize! Free refreshments.

4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

Introduction to the Career Development Center and the Alumnae and Alumni Career Network

Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre

Phebe Wescott, Director of Alumnae and Alumni Relations

Kristin Dabney, Alumnae and Alumni Career Network Manager

Christine Harriger, Director of Career Development

Please come dressed for the Honor Dinner. Come learn more about the tools available to you to explore possible careers, interests and passions. And, learn about our robust alumnae and alumni network ready and willing to advise, assist and support you.

5:30 p.m. – 7:15 p.m.

Honor Dinner and Speaker

Cheatham Dining Hall

New students will celebrate the time honored tradition of the College's Honor System with a candle-light dinner, special speaker, and formal signing of the College Honor Pledge. Held the last evening of Orientation, the special dinner and program initiates you into a part of the College community by pledging mutual trust and personal responsibility in academic and personal settings.

****Note:**

Please remember to complete both the Sexual Assault Prevention and AlcoholEDU online education modules, as well as, the College Student Inventory Survey.

Monday, August 27

8:00 a.m.

Classes Begin

9:00 p.m.

Mandatory Residence Hall Floor Meetings

Your Residence Hall

Round two! Plus a chance to meet some of your upper-class neighbors while hanging out in the hall.

Tuesday, August 28

12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Campus Employment Session

Student Center, Nichols Theatre

Sharon Saunders, Director of Human Resources

Cheryl Gandy, Payroll Manager

Connie Everhart, HR Coordinator

Interested in being a student worker while at college? This session is for you! Bring personal documentation [passport OR driver's license and social security card OR original birth certificate] with you, since you will complete the necessary paperwork to get started.

Wednesday, August 29

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Campus Employment Session

Student Center, Nichols Theatre

Sharon Saunders, Director of Human Resources

Cheryl Gandy, Payroll Manager

Connie Everhart, HR Coordinator

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4:00 p.m.

Davenport Groups Meet

Various Campus Locations

4:30 p.m.

Opening Convocation

Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre

Join us in celebrating the official opening of the College's academic year. President Bateman and Tori Green '19, president of Student Government, will address the College community. Additionally, Carl Girelli, vice president for academic affairs and dean of the College will introduce new College faculty and present awards.



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- # Academic (& campus bldgs)
- # Athletic
- # Residence Hall
- P Parking
- VP Visitors Parking



The Randolph College Riding Center
4762 Hawkins Mill Rd.
Lynchburg, VA
Approximately 7 miles from campus

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| 1. Athletic Practice Field | 14. Lipscomb Library | 27. Organic Garden | 37. Terrell Health & Counseling Center |
| 2. Bell Residence Hall | 15. Leggett Building & Thoresen Theatre | 28. The Pines Cottage | 38. Thoresen Hall |
| 3. Dorothy Crandall Bliss Botanical Garden | 16. Maier Museum of Art at Randolph College | 29. Presser Hall & Wimberly Recital Hall | 39. Sundial |
| 4. Butler House | 17. Mail Room | 30. Psychology Building | 40. Webb Residence Hall |
| 5. Caldwell Commons and Campus Store | 18. Main Hall | 31. Randolph Athletics and Dance Center (RAD) | 41. West Residence Hall |
| 6. Casey House | 19. Margaret's Gate | 32. Randolph College Admission
Welcome Center (Admission check-in) ★ | 42. WildCat Stadium |
| 7. Cheatham Dining Hall | 20. Martin Science Building | 33. Riding Center | 43. Winfree Observatory |
| 8. Doyle House | 21. Mary's Garden | 34. Smith Memorial Building & Smith Hall Theatre | 44. Mabel K. Whiteside Greek Theatre
(The Dell) |
| 9. Engagement Tower | 22. Michels Plaza | 35. Student Center and Skeller
Hampson Commons, Nichols Theatre,
Fitness Center, Alice's E-Cade | 45. Wright Residence Hall |
| 10. Even Post | 23. Moore Residence Hall | 36. Tennis Courts | 46. 2460 Rivermont Avenue |
| 11. Gazebo | 24. Norfolk House | | |
| 12. Grosvenor Apartments | 25. Randolph College Nursery School | | |
| 13. Houston Memorial Chapel | 26. Odd Tree | | |