Welcome to The University of North Carolina at Pembroke! Your first step toward Becoming BRAVE (Building Relationships and Valuing Education) will begin this summer with a New Student Orientation (NSO) and Registration session where you will be oriented, advised and register for your classes. Additionally, there will be Family Orientation sessions during the programming. After attending New Student Orientation, the next step toward your success at UNCP is to attend the Welcome Program on August 17-18, 2015. All are required to attend the orientation session and the Welcome Program.

There will be six orientation sessions offered this summer. To pre-register for orientation and view essential information, please visit the New Student Orientation website at www.uncp.edu/orientation/new/. Each session will be limited to the first 200 students who register.

Students who register for an orientation session and pay the non-refundable $130.00 before May 1, 2015, will benefit from priority pre-registration: you will be placed into the courses most critical for your major prior to the first New Student Orientation session, no matter which orientation date you select.

Register for the orientation session online at www.edu/orientation/new or complete and return the enclosed registration form along with payment of the non-refundable $130 New Student Orientation fee (made payable to UNCP). Please note that there will be a $25 fee charged for returned checks. Mark your calendars for August 17-23, 2015. Additional information regarding the Welcome week will be mailed to you at a later date. For additional information about orientation, visit us on the web at www.uncp.edu/orientation.
REGISTRATION FOR ORIENTATION
Registration will open on Wednesday, April 1, 2015. Our orientation sessions fill up quickly. Please sign up as soon as possible so that you can get the session you prefer. We recommend that you discuss your intended date with family members prior to registration.

STEP 1: Getting Started
Please log in to www.uncp.edu/orientation/new to register for your orientation session. Follow all the prompts in order to register for your session.

STEP 2: Select an Orientation Session
Please submit your first and second choice dates. We will process registration requests on a first-come, first-served basis. You will be notified of your orientation session via email and a confirmation letter. Below is a list of the available dates.

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* Pine denotes Pine Residence Hall
** GPAC denotes Givens Performing Arts Center

REMINDER: As a student who has registered for a New Student Orientation session, you are automatically registered to attend the Welcome week that is scheduled for Monday-Sunday: August 17-23, 2015, which is a requirement for attending UNCP in the fall.

STEP 3: Orientation Fees
A non-refundable $130 NSO fee must be paid in advance of the orientation session. Confirm your reservation with pre-payment (payable to UNCP). A $25 fee will be charged for returned checks. Fee includes food, housing, activities and additional items for the student as well as funds the Welcome Program. You may pay the fee in the following manner:

- Credit card (MasterCard and Visa accepted), contact the Cashier’s Office at 910.521.6855.
- Check or Money order, made payable to UNCP, mail to:

  New Student Orientation
  UNC Pembroke
  PO Box 1510
  Pembroke, NC 28372

To change online registration after submission: Email requested change to orientation@uncp.edu. Include your name and student identification number. If we can accommodate your request, you will receive an email confirmation within one week. NOTE: You are limited to one change. All of our sessions are overnight. Family Orientation Sessions will be scheduled concurrently with the orientation/registration sessions.

STEP 4: Registering for Family Orientation
Indicate the number of attending family members on the online reservation form. There are no additional costs for family members except the cost of their meal on the date of the orientation session. SODEXO Food Services will sell meal tickets on the day of the orientation session. Please note that UNCP does not provide housing for family.
STUDENT ORIENTATION

CHECK IN: Plan to arrive between 7 - 8 a.m. at Pine Residence Hall, where students will be housed during the orientation session. Session 6 orientation session check-in will take place in GPAC (Givens Performing Arts Center). At check-in, students and family members will receive individualized schedules. Students will be provided meals throughout their orientation session. After check-in, family members have an opportunity to purchase a lunch ticket from SODEXO (our campus dining service).

Orientation Day Overview
Schedules are subject to change.

Day 1:
(Length of day is approximately 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.)
• Check in at Pine Hall (between 7 – 8 a.m.)
• Resources Fair
  (Family, don’t forget to purchase your meal ticket for lunch)
• Official Welcome to UNCP
• Student Safety
• Student Health
• Student Connection
• Student Accommodations
• Student Money
• Black and Gold Carnival

Day 2:
(Length of day is approximately 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.)
• Breakfast
• Student Resources
• Student Academics
• Student Advisement and Registration
• For your convenience: Administrative Offices will be open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

REMINDER

Student Rights and Responsibilities Overview
(Student Code of Conduct)
All students are expected to conduct themselves in a responsible and accountable manner at all times. The Student Code of Conduct outlines prohibited conduct and assists students in understanding their rights and responsibilities while living and learning in the University community. The Student Code of Conduct can be located online at www.uncp.edu/handbook. Please review the Student Code of Conduct prior to attending this orientation session.

Overnight Housing Requirements:
Students will be provided a room key and hall access card during check-in. Students are expected to be responsible for their key and card and adhere to all residence life policies. All students are required to return the room key and access card at the end of New Student Orientation or they will be charged for the replacement cost. The cost of the key is $30 and the access card is $20. Family members will not be allowed to stay with their student in the residence hall during the overnight stay.

Student Health Services:
Students are required to submit the Student Health Services Form before attending the orientation session. North Carolina Law requires all students enrolling in five or more semester hours to submit a copy of their immunization records to their respective institutions. Please submit a copy of your immunization records and complete medical form to the Office of Student Health Services.
PRE-ORIENTATION PLANNING

Finding Your Way/Directions
You can find directions to campus at www.uncp.edu/maps-directions.

Parking during Orientation
Parking on the day of an orientation session is free. Please park in the student and open parking lots only. Do not park in the faculty/staff parking lots surrounding the campus or you will be ticketed. You may access a parking map at www.uncp.edu/student-life/student-services/police-public-safety/parkingtraffic-control/campus-parking-map. Directional signs around campus will guide you.

Where Will Students Stay During Orientation?
ON CAMPUS:
The overnight stay is mandatory for all incoming freshman students. Students will be attending orientation and residing in Pine Residence Hall on campus. Students will be provided a residence hall key and swipe card during check-in. Students are expected to be responsible for their keys and adhere to all residence life policies. All students are required to return the keys and swipe cards at the end of New Student Orientation or they will be charged for the price of each item not returned. UNCP and/or New Student Orientation is not responsible for any items that are lost and/or stolen. Key replacement cost is $30 and a card replacement cost is $25. Family members will not be allowed to stay with their student in the residence hall during the overnight stay.

What Should You Bring to Orientation?
- UNCP Spirit: Excited to participate in Becoming BRAVE (Building Relationships and Valuing Education)
- Completed Student Health Services Form
- Comfortable walking shoes and weather appropriate clothing for two days.
- Bedding and pillow (Linens are not provided. Bring sheets and/or blankets to accommodate a twin mattress)
- Hygiene/toiletry products (make sure to include a towel, and wash cloth)
- Alarm clock     • An umbrella     • Pen and paper
THINGS TO DO THIS SUMMER

College Credit
If you received college credits while still in high school, please send an official transcript from the college or university. Please note that your high school transcript is not enough to grant credit, even if the class is listed on it. Contact the Registrar or Records Office at the other institution and request that the transcript is sent to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions.

Have you taken any AP, CLEP or IB tests? If you want to receive transfer credit, please submit your official test scores to Undergraduate Admissions for evaluation. For additional information, please contact the Admissions Office at 910.521.6262.

ALCOHOL EDU & HAVEN Requirement

Alcohol Edu & Haven Online Education Programs
Part of our commitment to overall campus wellness, AlcoholEdu & Haven are comprehensive prevention programs, UNCP expects each member of the first-year class to complete. AlcoholEdu & Haven for College – EverFi are online, non-opinionated, science-based alcohol abuse/sexual assault prevention courses. Whether you drink or not, AlcoholEdu will empower you to make well-informed decisions about alcohol and help you better cope with the drinking behavior of your peers. To find out more information about our two online prevention programs log onto: http://www.everfi.com/alcoholedu-for-college or http://www.everfi.com/haven

During the week of July 20th, 2015, if you have completed your New Student Orientation you will receive an email from our AlcoholEdu/Haven Coordinator, Timothy Hunt. The email will announce that you may start AlcoholEdu and Haven online programs. The courses have two sections, both of which must be completed to fulfill this requirement and register for future classes. Prior to the first day of class you must complete part one of both programs. The programs will be accessible through Braveweb on July 20th. Part one of the course takes approximately 1.5 - 2.5 hours to complete, and we recommend that you take it in multiple sittings. This part ends after survey two and the exam. A grade of 70 or higher is required to pass and receive credit for the course.

If you do not receive at least a 70, you may return to the course and then complete a retest. Part two will be completed after the fall semester begins.

For further information regarding our online campus wellness programs (AlcoholEdu or Haven), contact Timothy Hunt at Counseling and Psychological Services at (910) 521-6202 or by email at timothy.hunt@uncp.edu
THINGS TO DO

Please review and complete the items below.

**Student Health Insurance:** Registered students taking six (6) or more credit hours are required to purchase the Student Health Insurance Plan with the following exceptions:

- Distance Education students (taking off-campus and Internet only courses)
- Submit evidence of equivalent coverage satisfactory to the policyholder.
- Waiving the insurance on June 1 at the following website www.bcbsnc.com/uncp. Waiver deadlines vary each semester. If you do not complete the waiver procedure, you will be enrolled in the student insurance and required to pay the premium of the insurance policy.

**Students with Disabilities:** Students who have a disability and who are requesting accommodations for New Student Orientation should contact the Accessibility Resource Center (ARC) at 910.521.6695. Notification of required accommodations should be submitted one week prior to the session date. However, last minute requests for accommodations will be honored if possible.

**Housing Requirements:** First-year freshman students at UNCP are required to reside on campus for their first academic year. For purposes of this requirement, a first-year freshman residential student is defined as any incoming student who will not be 21 years of age prior to August 1st of the initial enrollment year and who is registered for a course load of nine credit hours or more. Depending on certain criteria, this requirement may be waived. For information concerning the waiver requirements and to obtain a copy of the waiver form, go to www.uncp/housing/forms. If applicable, visit the UNCP Housing and Residence Life website (www.uncp.edu/housing/) to apply for housing.

**Financial Aid:** To seek federal financial aid or UNCP scholarships, please submit your Free Application for Federal Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov. UNCP’s Federal school code is 002954. Questions about Financial Aid visit the UNCP Financial Aid website (www.uncp.edu/fa).

**UNCP Email Account:** As a part of becoming a UNCP student, you are assigned a Bravemail email account. All official UNCP communication (including billing and financial aid) is directed through the Bravemail account. It is important that you check this account regularly for important information. To access your email, go to braveweb.uncp.edu and log into Braveweb.

**Common Reading Experience**
The UNCP Common Reading Experience is designed to provide all first-year students with the opportunity to have a shared academic experience. This experience will assist them in making connections before and after they arrive on campus. Students will receive more information on the Common Reading Experience at New Student Orientation.

**BravesCard Office:** The BravesCard is your single source card for purchasing foods and services at UNCP. It is also your identification card for UNCP events and athletics. Our office is located in the Auxiliary Services Building. If you have any questions about your BravesCard please contact the BravesCard office at 910.521.6845 or visit us at www.uncp.edu/bravescard.

**University Mail Center:** The UNCP Mail Center offers full mail services in the Auxiliary Services Building. A $25 key deposit is required to retrieve mail on campus. Deposit is refundable upon return of the key. If you have any questions about UNCP Mail Services please call 910.521.6210 or visit us at www.uncp.edu/mail-center.
FAMILY ORIENTATION
Your student has reached a major milestone in life and you both are to be congratulated. We are delighted that your student has selected The University of North Carolina at Pembroke (UNCP) to continue their educational pursuits. UNCP is a wonderful place to learn and grow. Through your participation in Family Orientation, you will have the opportunity to help your student get the best start possible as a student at UNCP. We are highly committed to student success and we understand the very important role that you play in this success. Please accept this as a personal invitation to attend Family Orientation. We have a program designed to meet the needs of parents of first-time freshmen as well as family members of our non-traditional freshmen and transfer students. Family Orientation sessions will be scheduled concurrently with the orientation/registration sessions. For additional information regarding travel to UNCP, please access www.uncp.edu/visitors. For additional information on the Family Orientation sessions, please visit the New Student Orientation website at www.uncp.edu/orientation/family/. There is no fee for family members, except for the cost of meals, which can be purchased in the University dining facilities on the day of the event.

PRE-ORIENTATION PLANNING
Refer to the student section for pre-orientation information.

Where Will Family Members Stay During Orientation?
Family members will stay off campus. Students will be residing in the residence hall. Family members can find a list of local hotels and motels at www.uncp.edu/uncp/hotels_restaurants.htm. Family members will not be allowed to stay in the residence halls with their student.

What Should Family Members Bring to Orientation?
• UNCP Spirit, excited to support your student as they participate in Becoming BRAVE (Building Relationships and Valuing Education)
• Student’s Completed Student Health Services Form
• Comfortable walking shoes and weather appropriate clothing
• Pen and paper
FAMILY ORIENTATION

WHAT TO EXPECT

CHECK IN:
Please plan to arrive between 7 and 8 a.m. at Pine Residence Hall, where your student will be housed during the orientation session. Orientation leaders will be available around campus to direct student and family members to the check-in location.

At check in, you and your student will receive individualized schedules. After check in, family members will have an opportunity to purchase a lunch ticket from SODEXO (our campus dining service).

Your student’s meals will be provided during their orientation session.

Orientation Day Overview
(Schedules subject to change)

Day 1:
(Length of day is approximately 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.)
• Check in at Pine Hall
• Resources Fair
  (Don’t forget to purchase your meal ticket for lunch)
• Official Welcome to UNCP
• Presentation Sessions
• Family Session: Meet UNCP faculty/staff event

Day 2:
(Length of day is approximately 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.)
• Breakfast with student (optional)
• Presentation Sessions
• Campus Tours
• For your convenience: Administrative Offices will be open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

All new students are required to attend all of their orientation activities. Although family orientation takes place on the same two days as student orientation, the requirements and schedules are different. We encourage families to attend as many of the presentations as possible on both days so they can take full advantage of the orientation experience.

During orientation, your student will attend interest sessions, meet current UNC Pembroke students and explore the campus. Orientation will also be the first opportunity they will have to learn about the academic procedures at the university, meet with an academic advisor and register for courses.

Students will not be allowed to register for classes until they have attended an orientation session. If you have additional questions, please visit www.uncp.edu/orientation/family/.
Parent and Family Services to the UNCP family
Welcome to the University of North Carolina at Pembroke where parents and families are valued partners in our students’ success! UNCP offers many resources to inform, educate and collaborate with parents and families to support students in their transition, success and affinity for, UNCP. We want you to have the information you need to stay connected.

BE CONNECTED...STAY INVOLVED

Keep informed about the latest news and developments impacting your student through Campus Connections, the Student Affairs newsletter for parents and families: www.uncp.edu/sa/newsletter/.

Subscribe to the parent and families listserv at www.uncp.edu/parents/. Help make your student’s college experience the best it can be!

Calendars
Check out the fall calendar at calendar.uncp.edu/. You may also access the academic calendar through the Registrar’s Office at www.uncp.edu/registrar/calendars/.
Note: Dates are subject to change.

Questions?
If you have questions regarding orientation, please contact us at www.uncp.edu/orientation/.

DEPARTMENT CONTACT INFORMATION

CAMPUS INFORMATION
910.521.6000
www.uncp.edu

ACCESSIBILITY RESOURCE CENTER
910.521.6695
www.uncp.edu/arc

ADMISSIONS
910.521.6262
www.uncp.edu/admissions

ADVISING CENTER
910.521.6243
www.uncp.edu/advising

BURSAR'S OFFICE
910.521.6855
www.uncp.edu/co/bursar

FINANCIAL AID
910.521.6255
www.uncp.edu/fa

STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES / Student Insurance
910.521.6219
www.uncp.edu/shs

HOUSING AND RESIDENCE LIFE
910.775.4253
www.uncp.edu/housing

IN-STATE STATUS
910.521.6262
www.uncp.edu/admissions

PARENT AND FAMILY SERVICES
910.521.6207
www.uncp.edu/parents

REGISTRAR
910.521.6298
www.uncp.edu/registrar