**RowanUniversity

Fall Orientation Welcome Week 2024



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Fall Orientation & Welcome Week Program Overview

During your fall orientation program, you will have the opportunity to **explore Rowan University**. The events prior to classes are part of Welcome Week – where you will meet other new students and get an overview of the many facilities, programs, and services available on campus. Orientation continues throughout the first six weeks of the fall term where you will have the opportunity to choose workshops that match your interests. We know that your transition to college is an ongoing process, so we will continue to provide opportunities to get involved in your new community! Welcome to Rowan University, and we look forward to seeing you at these campus events!

Wednesday, August 28

Welcome Aboard the Brown-Eyed Susan: Family reception

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Holly Pointe Commons Courtyard

Information for parents & family members.

Esports Open Play

11 a.m. - 7 p.m. Nerd Street Localhost, 109 High Street West, Glassboro, NJ

Join the Esports Club and Localhost, your home for everything gaming from casual to competitive, to try College Football 25, Fortnite, Rocket League, Smash, Mario Kart, Valorant, CS, Call of Duty, and more. *Sponsored by the Esports Club*

BINGO!

8 p.m.

Chamberlain Student Center Pit

Join SGA for BINGO for a chance to win great prizes!

Sponsored by the Student Government Association

Thursday, August 29

Welcome Aboard the Brown-Eyed Susan: Family reception

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Gazebo by Magnolia Hall

Information for parents & family members.

Lawn Games

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Holly Pointe Commons Courtyard

Join a game of Kan Jam, Spikeball, and more.

Esports Open Play

12 - 5 p.m. & 7 - 10 p.m.

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Dinner

5 p.m.

Glassworks Eatery, Holly Pointe Commons

Nest Group Meeting

6:30 p.m. • In your hall

Meet with your Community Assistant (CA) for your first small group meeting!

First Night Fest

8 - 10 p.m. • Holly Pointe Commons Courtyard

Enjoy glow-in-the-dark mini golf, selfie stations, a photobooth, a DJ, and snacks.

Rowan After Hours (RAH): RAHlapalooza

9 p.m. - 1 a.m. • Chamberlain Student Center

Ready to kickoff the school year? Join RAH at our first event of the year. Enjoy a fun-filled night with inflatable games, karaoke, and a chance to win RowanBucks in our gaming tournaments consisting of *Smash Bros, Mario Kart,* and *Mario Party*.

Midnight Breakfast

10 p.m. - Midnight • Glassworks Eatery, Holly Pointe Commons

Sponsored by Gourmet Dining

Dining Hours and Locations

See rowan.edu/dining for campus food service hours and locations



Friday, August 30 Academic Programs Day

Nest Group Meeting

10 a.m. • In your hall

Meet with your Welcome Week leader and Nest Group.

Academic Presentations & School/College Picnics

As assigned • See sticker on back

Student Success Fair & Open House

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. • Savitz Hall

Visit with campus resources to support your success. Enter to win \$500 RowanBucks!

Nest Group Meeting

2:45 p.m. • See sticker on back

Meet with your Welcome Week leader and Nest Group.

Student Success Workshops

3:45 p.m. • Chamberlain Student Center and Discovery Hall

Choose a workshop that meets your interests! Visit ProfLink or see signage in the building for full session descriptions and locations.

Dinner on Your Own

6 p.m. • See rowan.edu/dining for locations and hours

Your Welcome Week Experience

All students are a part of a small group throughout Welcome Week. Your group number and group leader are listed below. You will often meet with your small group in your nest - the classroom listed below.

On Friday 8/30, you will join other students from major for a school or college presentation and picnic! That time and location are also listed below.

Name:

Group #: Group leader:

Nest classroom:

Friday 8/30 School or College:

Time: Location:

Monday, September 2 Prepare for classes

Classroom Finding Tours

11 a.m, 12:30 p.m., and 2 p.m. Departing from Gazebo by Magnolia Hall & Holly Pointe Commons Courtyard

Admissions Ambassadors and PROS will lead small groups to find various academic buildings on campus. Find your classrooms and be ready for your first class meetings.

Nest Group Meeting

3:30 p.m. • In your hall

President's Welcome Parade & Picnic

4 - 6:30 p.m.

Departing from your residence hall

Don't be late for our annual parade through campus, leading to the historic entrace to Bunce Green for brief welcome remarks from President Houshmand and SGA President Zackary Brown. Sample Houshmand's Hazardous Hot Sauce and other picnic foods at our community celebration of you – our incoming class of 2028!

Fall Orientation Continues

throughout the first six weeks
See rowan.edu/proflink for future events!

Friday, August 30 continued Glassboro Car Show & Food Truck Festival 5 - 9 p.m. • Downtown Glassboro

For the 19th year in a row, car enthusiasts will gather at the premier car show in South Jersey along Rowan Boulevard.

Shop & Style with SUP & RAH

7 - 11 p.m. • Chamberlain Student Center

Looking to finish styling your room? Wanting to meet new people? SUP & RAH have got you covered! Join us for our annual Welcome Week Walmart Shuttle to pick up any lastminute items you may need for your room. Then join RAH after for a Paint & Sip and delicious food bar. The shuttle leaves from the Student Center Front Patio and the last one will leave campus at 9:30pm. And don't forget your reusable bags! This event is FREE with your RowanCard.

Sponsored by the Student University
Programmers (SUP) & Rowan After Hours (RAH)

Chamberlain Student Center Hours

Visit rowan.edu/scca to see when the Chamberlain Student Center and Information Desk are open



Saturday, August 31 Thriving at Rowan

Nest Group Meeting

10 a.m. • In your hall

Brunch on Your Own

10:30 a.m. • See rowan.edu/dining for locations and hours

Well-Being Fair

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. • Pfleeger Concert Hall, Wilson Hall

Visit with campus resources to support your well-being. Enter to win \$500 RowanBucks!

Meet the Dean of Students Staff

1 p.m. • Pfleeger Concert Hall, Wilson Hall

Meet the Dean of Students staff & learn about how they can support you during your time at Rowan! *Grab your orientation t-shirt here!*

Rowan Thrive Workshops

2:30 p.m. • Chamberlain Student Center and Discovery Hall

Choose a workshop that meets your interests! Visit ProfLink or see signage in the building for full session descriptions and locations.

Nest Group Meeting

3:45 p.m. • See sticker on back

Meet with your Welcome Week leader and Nest Group.

Saturday, August 31 continued Late Night @ The Rec

7 - 11 p.m. • Student Recreation Center

Check out the Rec Center along with a wide variety of games, activities, giveaways, and food! Activities will include a mobile game truck, Archery Tag, inflatable games, miniature golf and more! Participate in a variety of different events for more free chances to win one of our grand prizes. Sneakers and athletic attire recommended!

Sponsored by Campus Recreation

Rowan After Hours (RAH): Family Feud 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. • Chamberlain Student Center

Join us at RAH for a fun family feud game-show style competition. Check out our board game area for both classic and new games! Hang all night for a chance to win some awesome prizes and enjoy our delicious food bar!

Sunday, September 1 Get Involved!

Student Organization Fair

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. • Student Recreation Center Back Patio & Meditation Walk

Visit with student organizations, sports clubs, and fraternity & sorority organizations.

Find Your Vibe On Campus

2:30 p.m. and 4 p.m. • various locations

Choose a workshop that meets your interests! Visit ProfLink for full session descriptions and locations.

Food Truck Festival

3-7 p.m. • Robinson Circle

Join us for our 10th annual Food Truck Festival. The festival will feature a variety of food trucks and music. Rowan undergraduate students will receive a \$10 food voucher to use at any food truck. We encourage you to bring money for additional food.

Sponsored by the Student University Programmers (SUP)

Athletics Pep Rally

8 p.m. • Richard Wackar Stadium

Meet the Profs student atheletes, learn the Fight Song, and see performances from the Pride of the Profs Marching Band, the cheerleading squad, & dance team. Afterwards enjoy snacks!

Campus Recreation Hours

Visit rowan.edu/rec to see when the Fitness Center and Student Recreation Center are open, pool hours, group fitness class schedules and more!

