



Congratulations from the Office of Student Transitions!

Your transition to TCNJ will consist of several components that begin in April and continue into your first semester at the college. Read on for more information and be sure to save the date for our two major on-campus programs: **Orientation** and **Welcome Week!**

April

There will be several opportunities to connect with current students and professional staff throughout the month as you finalize your college plans for the fall. Stay tuned for details and mark your calendar for Accepted Students Day on Saturday, April 1, 2023!

May

The Roar Booklet will be mailed to you the week of May 8–12 after the National Deposit Deadline has passed and our incoming first-year and transfer classes have been finalized. Also keep an eye out for the start of *Transition Times*, a biweekly e-newsletter that will help you stay on schedule all summer long.

June–July

Pre-registration for your fall semester classes will take place throughout the month of June leading up to your on-campus Orientation program. Make sure to check your TCNJ email address (created in May) daily so you don't miss important deadlines.

Orientation

Your summer Orientation is a hybrid model that consists of a series of online modules you will need to complete, and an in-person day on campus with faculty, staff, and other incoming new students. Read below for more details!

Part 1: Online

All incoming students will have a series of online modules to complete throughout the summer. Hosted in Canvas, our course management system, it will also give you an introduction to the platform your faculty members will be using for their classes. The first modules will open in early May and an email with instructions and more details will be sent to your TCNJ account.

Part 2: On Campus

Save the Date! First-year students are assigned an Orientation date based on their academic major. All transfer students, regardless of major, attend on the same day. Please plan to be on campus for the entirety of the day (8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.), and guests are welcome to join you. (Please note there is a maximum of two guests per student.)



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School of Education first-year students: You will attend Orientation based on the date for your content area. For instance, elementary education and psychology majors should attend on Wednesday, July 19; secondary education and mathematics majors should attend on Tuesday, July 18. Undeclared–education students (no content area) and speech pathology majors should attend on Monday, July 17.

Transfer Students

Tuesday, June 20

First-Year Students

Monday, July 17

School of the Arts and Communication, School of Education, School of Engineering

Tuesday, July 18

School of Education, School of Science, Center for Student Success (*provisional students*)

Wednesday, July 19

School of Education, School of Humanities and Social Sciences

Thursday, July 20

School of Business, School of Nursing and Health Sciences,
Center for Student Success (*Undeclared—general students*)

August

While more information about Welcome Week 2023 (August 24–28) will be shared in early summer, please plan now to avoid vacations and other commitments on those dates. This program is a five-day event with more than 100 mandatory and optional sessions, starting with move-in on Thursday and ending with Academic Welcome Day on the following Monday. The first day of class for the fall semester is Tuesday, August 29, 2023.

We can't wait for you to join us on campus.

Roar on, Lion!



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