



# NEXT STEPS

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**New Student Orientation**  
University of South Carolina

# PREPARING FOR INDEPENDENCE

- Laundry
- Waking Up
- Budgeting
- Self-Care
- Advocating for themselves





# WHAT TO EXPECT AFTER ORIENTATION

- Read *Educated*
- Packing
- Getting to know the roommate
- Summer Plans



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# REMINDERS

- Register with Student Disability Resource Center
- \$35 replacement fee for lost CarolinaCards
- Parking requests available now





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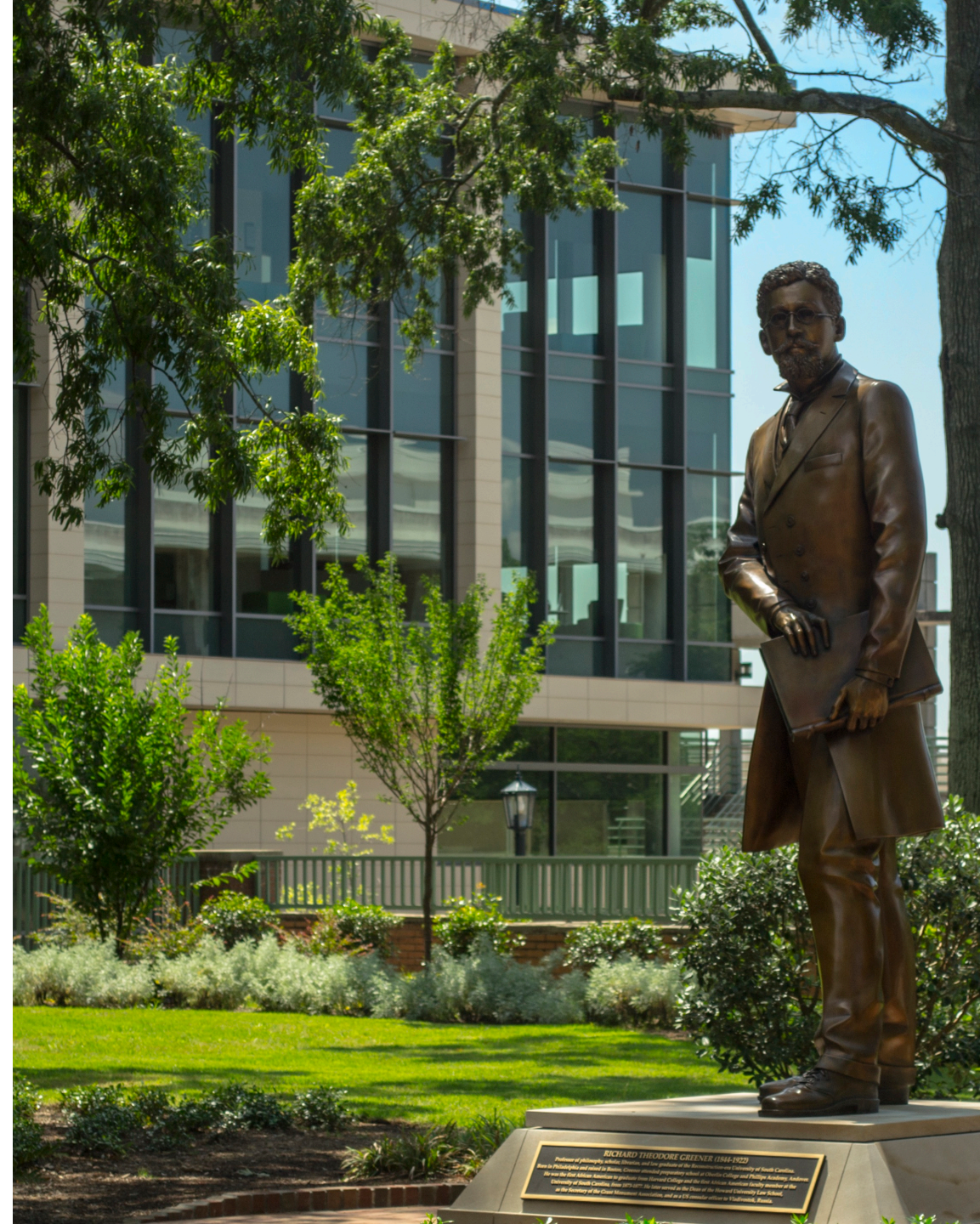
- Housing – Personal Property & Liability Insurance
- Proof of Health Insurance
  - Due September 10th
    - **2021-2022:** \$2,591.00
    - **Fall 2021:** \$1,097.00
    - **Spring/Summer 2021:** \$1,494.00
- Tuition is due August 11th by 5:00 PM





# REMINDERS

- Sorority recruitment deadline
  - **July 31 at 11:59 p.m. EST**
- Sorority Recruitment Early Move-In
  - **Aug. 11**
- Fraternity recruitment deadline
  - **Sept. 18** [www.sa.sc.edu/fsl](http://www.sa.sc.edu/fsl)





# ALCOHOL EDU & SEXUAL ASSAULT PREVENTION FOR UNDERGRADUATES (SAPU)



- Online educational class
- Deadlines
  - Available: **July 31**
  - Part One: **August 19**
  - Part Two: **October 19**



# SHIPPING ITEMS



- July 15: Addresses will be made available in Self Service Carolina ([my.sc.edu](https://my.sc.edu))
- **August 3:** Mail Center will begin accepting packages

Student's Name (*first name, middle initial, last name*)

USC Mail ID #\_\_\_\_\_ (*assigned five-digit number*)

1400 Greene Street

Columbia, SC 29225-0112



# MOVE-IN DAY



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Room Select: June 1-June 31

Early Move-In:

- August 11th (for sorority recruitment, band, etc.)

Regular Move-In:

- August 15th-16th
  - Odd-numbered floors in high-rise buildings (Capstone, South Tower, Patterson) will move in on the 15th and even-numbered floors on the 16th
- You will sign up for your move-in time in mid-July
- Live shows and Q&As
- Housing will be available on Day 2 of Orientation on the second floor of Russell House
- For more information, visit [www.sc.edu/movein](http://www.sc.edu/movein)





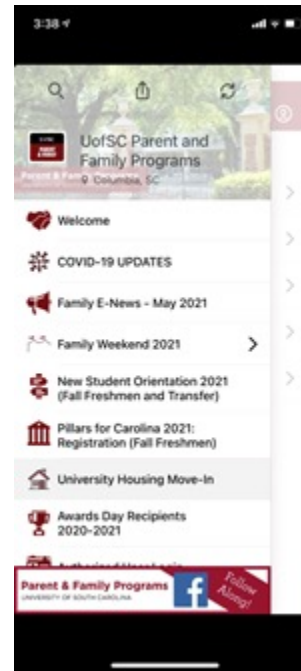
# PARENT AND FAMILY PROGRAMS

- Parents Association
- Parents Calendar
- Facebook.com/UofSCPParents

[www.sa.sc.edu/parents](http://www.sa.sc.edu/parents)

1-800-868-6752

[scparents@sc.edu](mailto:scparents@sc.edu)



**UofSC Parent and Family Programs**  
University of South Carolina

**MAY 2021**

**IMPORTANT DATES:**  
4/28 - 5/5 Final Examinations  
5/7 Commencement exercises begin  
5/26 All Summer tuition bills due by 5 pm  
8/11 Fall tuition bills due by 5 pm  
8/19 First day of classes for the Fall 2021 semester

**Gamecock Families!**

As we wrap up spring 2021, we are filled with gratitude to have made it through the entire academic year. Students have shown resilience through their actions both in and out of the classroom. We are proud of our UofSC students and look forward to them finishing the semester strong through finals week. Encourage your student to practice healthy habits to limit their stress during finals. Sleeping regularly, [creating a study plan](#), taking breaks to refocus, and going for a short [walk](#) around the Horseshoe are all ways students can prepare for [final exams](#).

April hosted several university-wide celebrations, including [University Awards Day](#) and [DiscoverUSC](#), where we celebrated the many diverse accomplishments and contributions of our students. We also celebrated [Glee 1.0 Grand](#) where \$1.7 million was raised by 4,367 donors -- over 300 of whom are parents of UofSC students! Note of the opportunities afforded to students at the University of South Carolina would be possible without the support of Carolina family members like yourself.

If you or your student have questions as we approach summer please reach out to the

**South Carolina**

**PARENTS AND FAMILIES GATEWAY**

**Office of Parent & Family Programs**

Let us help partner with you to support your student's growth and success at the university. Contact us directly with questions or concerns at 800-868-6752 or [scparents@sc.edu](mailto:scparents@sc.edu).

**Get Involved**

**Parents Association**  
Sign up for the free [Parents Association](#) to receive monthly e-newsletters and other important email communication from the University of South Carolina.

**Parents Annual Fund**  
Help strengthen your student's living and learning environment and [donate your support](#) for their university future.

**Get the App**  
Download the award-winning UofSC Parent and Family Programs app by searching "University of South Carolina Parents" in the app store or [scan the QR code](#) below.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Spring into Health: COVID-19 and the Student Experience**  
A panel of student leaders will discuss their experiences during the pandemic in a virtual event hosted by the UofSC Parents Association and [Prisma Health](#) on March 9.

**Dance Marathon registration now open**  
University of South Carolina Dance Marathon registration is now open.

**Sign up for housing for 2021-22 academic year**  
Continuing students interested in living on campus during the 2021-22 academic year can apply for housing starting Tuesday (Jan. 19).

**DATES AND DEADLINES**

Get Due to Do for the Year Conference  
Monday, Feb. 15, 2022

Presidents Day Holiday  
Monday, Feb. 15, 2022

Mental Health Weekdays  
Monday, Feb. 15, 2022

Valentine's Holiday  
Monday, Feb. 15, 2022

**ENGAGE WITH US**

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[Instagram](#)  
[Twitter](#)  
[LinkedIn](#)

**UofSC Parents**  
Follow us on Instagram to catch a glimpse of student life happening on campus.





# FAMILY WEEKEND

**September 24-25**

Registration opens July 6th!

Space is limited, so register early.

[www.sa.sc.edu/parents](http://www.sa.sc.edu/parents)





# LETTER TO YOUR STUDENT

Return address  
(in case it's not deliverable)

Student's full name  
Date of birth OR VIP ID



# FAMILY AND GUEST SOCIAL

Join our off-campus partners for  
the opportunity to connect with  
other family members and guests  
from 6:30- 8:00 pm!

Barefoot Campus Outfitters (700  
Lincoln Street)

Graduate Columbia (1619  
Pendleton Street)

