

Class of 2021 Checklist

Communications

Honors Carolina communicates with our students via an email messaging system called iContact. Around the time your invitation letter is mailed, we will send the first of several email messages describing the opportunities and advantages Honors Carolina offers. If you do not begin to receive our email messages, please check your junk mail folder to see if they ended up there.

- If our messages have been flagged as junk mail, please adjust your email settings so that future messages from us are received in your inbox.**
- If you do not find a message from our office at all, please call us at 919-966-5110 ext. 2 between the hours of 8:00am and 4:30pm EST so that we can confirm we have your correct email address.**
- If you are receiving mail at an address different from your home address (e.g., you are attending a residential/boarding school), please email us at honorscarolina@unc.edu to request that we update our records. We want to be sure that you receive the materials we are sending.**

Accept Your Invitation

All students selected to join Honors Carolina must officially accept their invitation.

- Please visit the [Honors Carolina Prospective Student web page](#) and click on “Accept Your Invitation” by the May 1, 2017 deadline.**

Housing

The Honors Carolina first year residential community offers a living-learning environment in which sharing ideas and forging friendships take center stage. Conversations from the classroom spill over into the study lounge. Suitemates bond over meals at the dining hall and explore a variety of academic, cultural, service, and athletic events together. With this community as a launch pad, you can begin building your Honors Carolina network from day one.

Students who join the community are housed in either [Horton Residence Hall](#) or [Hinton James Residence Hall](#) and are paired with a first year honors roommate. If you have a specific roommate request, you will have an opportunity to submit that information via the online UNC housing application. Students requesting to live with a student who is not a member of Honors Carolina are not guaranteed a space in the Honors Carolina first year residential community.

To join the Honors Carolina first year residential community, you must:

- Complete the required online housing application at myhousing.unc.edu prior to the May 15, 2017 deadline. Be sure to select Horton Residence Hall as your top choice and Hinton James as your second choice.**

Students who choose not to join the Honors Carolina first year residential community will be assigned to a residence hall other than Horton.

Questions related to housing should be directed to the Office of Housing and Residential Education, 919.962.5401, housing@unc.edu.

Orientation

All incoming first year students attend an orientation session during the summer. We strongly encourage you to register for the Honors Carolina session on June 28-29, 2017, where we will offer special presentations regarding opportunities available to honors students. Attendees at this session will enjoy their first chance to forge new friendships with other Honors Carolina participants who share their intellectual curiosity and passion for academic pursuit.

- **Register for the Honors Carolina orientation session at orientation.unc.edu prior to the May 18, 2017 deadline once you have paid your UNC enrollment deposit (Please note: deposits may take up to 10 days to process).** If a scheduling conflict prevents you from attending the Honors Carolina orientation session, you are welcome to register for a different first year orientation session. At all other sessions, an Honors Carolina representative will host a group information session for honors students and their families.

Questions related to your orientation registration should be directed to the Office of New Student and Carolina Parent Programs, 919.962.8304, newstudents@unc.edu.

Registration

Incoming first year Honors Carolina students have the opportunity to be registered for fall honors classes before attending orientation this summer. In mid-April, you will receive an email with course registration information and the **Fall 2017 Honors Carolina Course Registration Interest Form**. The form will ask you to rank courses in four categories: Honors First Year Seminars, Honors Carolina Courses, English Composition & Rhetoric, and Other Introductory Courses (non-honors). The **Fall 2017 Honors Carolina Course Registration Interest Form** may be submitted as early as you like, but is due no later than 11:59 PM EST on Sunday, May 7, 2017.

Students will receive information to help make informed choices, including course descriptions, honors faculty profiles, an overview of UNC's general education requirements, and a summary of how placement and test credits are awarded.

- **Complete the *Fall 2017 Honors Carolina Course Registration Interest Form* by Sunday, May 7.**

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