# new student 2014 ORIENTATION

Between June 5 – July 17 UND Memorial Union

- Find out what to expect during your first year at UND.
- Meet with faculty from your major to learn more about your degree program.
- Discuss your academic goals one-on-one with an advisor.
- Register for classes with assistance from a current student.
- Connect with new UND students who have similar academic interests.
- Get all your questions answered.

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# what to do **BEFORE** you arrive



#### Make your accommodations

UND RESIDENCE HALL ACCOMMODATIONS

We invite you and your family to experience what it's like to stay in a UND residence hall.

For your convenience, private rooms in Swanson Hall are available with a private bathroom, twin beds made hotel style, and towels changed daily. Rollaway beds are not available.

- Single rooms = \$38 per night
- Double rooms = \$40 per night

Find more information and make a room reservation at **UND.edu/guesthousing.** If you have questions, contact UND Housing at 701.777.2779.

#### HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Find area hotel options at visitgrandforks.com.

#### **DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS**

If disability accommodations are needed, please contact the Student Involvement & Leadership Office at 701.777.4200 at least 1 week prior to your Orientation session date.

#### Claim your student account

It's **imperative** that you activate your student account within the ND University System (NDUS) **prior** to coming to Orientation so you can gain access to many of the systems you'll need in order to register for classes, activate your UND email, accept financial aid awards, etc.

To claim your NDUS Account (NDUS.Identifier):

- 1. Go to UND.edu/claim.
- Find your student ID number (also known as your EMPLID) included on your Admissions letter, or click on the "What is Your Student ID?" link.
- 3. Once you have your student ID number, click on the "Claim Your Account" link.
- 4. Follow the steps as indicated.
- 5. Write your username and password on the enclosed card (page 5), cut it out, and keep it in a secure place to bring with you to Orientation.

If you have questions, contact the NDUS Help Desk at 1.866.457.6387 or go to helpdesk.ndus.edu.

#### Log in to your UND email account

If you haven't already done so, please log in to your UND student email account. You'll receive official communications from UND via this email account, including information about Orientation.

After you've claimed your NDUS Account:

- 1. Go to UND.edu/tech-support.
- 2. Click on the "Students" tab.
- 3. Click on the "Email" icon.
- 4. Watch the video tutorial and follow the directions for accessing your student email account.

If you have questions, contact UND Tech Support at 701.777.6305.





### Submit your Health History & Immunization Form

New UND students **must** submit the mandatory Health History & Immunization Form to Student Health Services. The form is available online at **UND.edu/studenthealthforms**.

Documentation needs to be signed / stamped by a licensed health care provider. High school records also will be accepted.

Proper documentation of the following immunizations is required:

- 1. MMR (Measles, Mumps and Rubella): Two documented doses of MMR. The first dose of MMR must have been given after your first birthday and the second dose given at least one month later. Proof of positive blood titers for measles, mumps and rubella immunity also will be accepted. Proof of birth prior to 1957 exempts students from having to provide documentation of vaccinations.
- Meningitis: New, incoming students 21 years of age or younger living in UND housing (residence halls / apartments) must provide documentation of a meningitis vaccination given after the 16th birthday.
- 3. **Tuberculosis Screening Form:** All students must complete the tuberculosis screening form found within the Health History & Immunization Form.

When you've completed the Health History & Immunization Form, please mail it to:

UND Student Health Services 2891 2nd Avenue N, Stop 9038 Grand Forks, ND 58202-9038

or

Fax to: 701.777.4835

If you have questions, contact UND Student Health Services at 701.777.4500 or 1.800.CALL.UND, ext. 4500.

**NOTE:** Students taking **online courses only** are **not** required to complete the form.

## Send college-level transcripts or scores to UND (if applicable)

When you begin to register for classes at UND, it's important that advisors are aware of any college-level credits you may have earned while you were in high school through dual credit or post-secondary enrollment options (PSEO). If you want to have your credits evaluated for transfer to UND, please ask the college or university at which you earned the credit to send your official transcript directly to:

UND Office of Admissions 3501 University Avenue, Stop 8357 Grand Forks, ND 58202-8357

Please request that your official transcripts be sent directly to UND **at least 2 weeks prior** to your Orientation date, or bring your transcripts with you to Orientation.

#### ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) CREDITS

In order for UND to apply Advanced Placement (AP) credits appropriately, please ask the College Board to send your scores directly to UND (1.888.CALL.4.AP or apscore.collegeboard.org/scores).

## COLLEGE-LEVEL EXAMINATION PROGRAM (CLEP) CREDITS

The College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) provides credit by passing appropriate CLEP Subject Exams. You may apply these credits toward Essential Studies requirements, specific major requirements or use them as elective credits. For more information, please contact UND Testing Services at 701.777.4157.

During Orientation, you'll meet individually with an advisor, while your parents attend Parent Orientation. As you begin your college career, it's important that you register for classes on your own with the guidance of advisors, so you can make your own decisions about your academic future. By being self-sufficient, you'll feel more confident in your decision-making abilities, and you'll have a more positive academic experience at UND.

## **UND.edu/orientation**

# what to do **BEFORE** you arrive

### Read about the requirements for your major

Go to UND.edu/orientation/checklist to review the graduation requirements for your major found in the UND Academic Catalog. This will help you learn about the courses you must take for your major. Use the worksheet found in the Registration Prep Packet at UND.edu/orientation/checklist to begin planning what courses you'll take your first semester at UND.

#### Learn about Essential Studies

Essential Studies is the academic core of your university experience. Regardless of your major, you're required to complete Essential Studies curriculum. For most new students, you'll focus on Essential Studies courses during your first few semesters at UND.

Visit UND.edu/orientation/checklist to review the Essential Studies course listing. Complete the worksheet found in the online **Registration Prep Packet**, so during Orientation you can discuss with an academic advisor the courses that interest you.

# Explore additional courses and programs to enhance your UND experience

During the first year of college, many transitions will take place and UND is committed to assist with your success. Go to UND.edu/orientation/checklist to learn more about courses and programs that you may participate in during your time at UND, including:

- Success Courses
- · Integrated Studies Program
- First-Year Seminar Program
- Honors Program





### Apply for financial aid and housing

If you haven't done so already, make sure that you've taken the necessary steps to apply for financial aid and housing.

#### FINANCIAL AID

Complete the FAFSA **as soon as possible** at fafsa.gov. Please submit any additional documentation as requested by the Financial Aid Office in a timely manner.

UND's school code is 003005. For more information, refer to UND.edu/financial-aid.

#### HOUSING

If you're interested in living in one of the UND residence halls, visit housing.UND.edu to research housing options, apply online, or download a printed application.

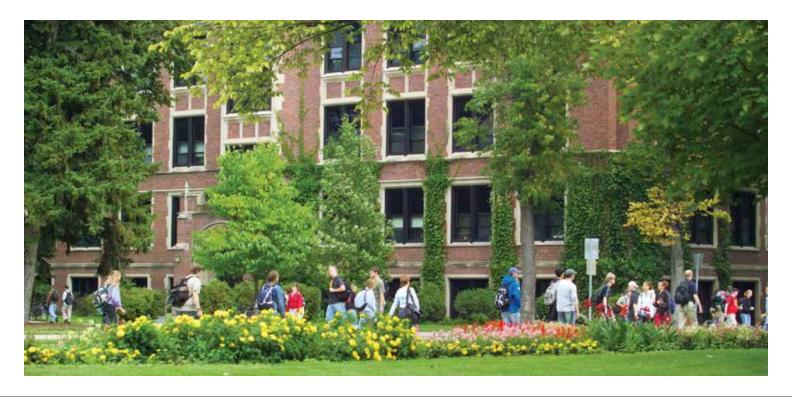
Apply early! Your priority room assignment is based on the date you submit your housing application. If you complete the application process before May 1, you'll receive your room assignment before you arrive at Orientation.

Keep in mind that residence hall housing is **not** guaranteed.

### **UND.edu/orientation**

# what to **BRING** with you

- A printed copy of the confirmation email for your Orientation reservation.
- Your parking permit (included with your confirmation) and driving directions.
- Your username (firstname.lastname) and password to access your student account in Campus Connection. Write your login information on the enclosed card (page 5), cut it out, and keep it in a secure place. Bring the card with you to Orientation.
- If you haven't submitted your completed **Health History & Immunization Form** to UND Student Health Services, you may bring it with you to Orientation. However, it's highly recommended that you **submit it in advance**, so it can be verified.
- If you plan to transfer college credits, dual credits, or PSEO credits and an official copy was not sent to the UND Office of Admissions **prior** to your Orientation date, bring a copy of your **college transcript(s)**.
- Sour Major / Program of Study and Essential Studies Worksheets from the online Registration Prep Packet.
- Your government-issued **photo ID** (such as your driver's license) so you can get your UND student ID, also known as your U Card.
- Workout gear, if you're interested in trying out the UND Student Wellness Center.
- Wear comfortable clothing and dress in layers as meeting room temperatures may vary. You're encouraged to wear UND clothing to show your school spirit. You may even want to pick up something new at the UND Bookstore (UNDbookstore.com).



## your **LOGIN INFORMATION**

Follow the process in Step 2 on page 1 to claim your student account within the ND University System (NDUS). Once you've claimed your NDUS Account, you'll be able to:

- · access Campus Connection to register for classes at Orientation
- log in to your official UND student email account
- log in to UND's course management system (Blackboard) once you start classes

Write your username (firstname.lastname) and password on the card (below right), cut it out, and keep it in a secure, but accessible place. Please bring your card with you to Orientation as you'll need it to register for classes.

### **QUESTIONS?**

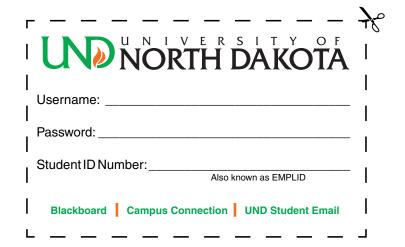
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1.800.CALL.UND, ext. 4200

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## orientation **PARKING**

During Orientation, you may park free of charge in the large parking lot located at the intersection of Columbia Road and University Avenue. Please look for signs directing you to the designated lot.

You **must** bring the parking permit included with your Orientation email confirmation, and display it on your vehicle's dashboard to avoid a citation.



Visit UND.edu/orientation/parking for driving directions, a link to a campus map, and more information about parking.