



Hello, New Clark Families and Loved Ones!

We are so excited to welcome you to the Clark community, and to be partners in your student's education throughout their Clark journey. Clark is an incredible place of learning and innovation, with a vibrant and engaged student body dedicated to making a difference in the world. Congratulations for supporting your student becoming a part of it — and welcome!

This summer is sure to be an exciting time of transition for your student and your family. After a year like no other, we are moving toward anticipating a fall that feels familiar and could not be more ecstatic your student will be joining us.

While we want them — and each of you — to savor each of these moments leading up to Move-in Day, we know there are many questions about processes and the adjustment to Clark. Our [Fall 2021 New Student Site](#) is filled with information about impending deadlines, upcoming webinars and opportunities to connect, and, eventually, essential details about the move-in and orientation schedules. For those of you on Facebook, the [Official Clark University Class of 2025 Families](#) page is another useful tool for information and connection.

We also will be communicating with your Clarkie just about every Wednesday this summer with reminders about upcoming deadlines and introductions to important offices and departments on campus. These emails will go directly to their Clark University email — **which they must activate by [May 31, 2021](#)**. We also will host a series of Zoom webinars from helpful offices to aid in your journey. The Zoom events will be advertised on the [Fall 2021 New Student Site](#) and recorded and posted online for your convenience.

Living on Campus Next Year

Wednesday, May 26 | 6:30 p.m. ET

We invite your student to join members of the Residential Life and Housing team to learn more about Clark's residence halls, rooms, and community. To help students prepare for the June 13 housing and meal plan sign up deadline, we'll answer questions about everything students need to know about living on campus from what to pack to what room options exist.

Can't make it?

This session will be recorded and posted on the new student site.

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Potential Roommates Mix and Mingle

Thursday, May 27 | 7:00 p.m. ET

Your student is invited to meet other incoming Clarkies and connect with some of their future classmates. They'll learn more about what they may want in a roommate and questions to consider, and connect with other incoming students in this casual conversation.

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Countdown to Clark

The next three important deadlines for your Clark student include:

- **Activating their Clark email account by May 31.** Incoming students must log in to their new [Clark account](#) to begin using the University's network services and complete all their summer tasks. Students should check their Clark email frequently, as important information will be communicated there throughout the summer.
- **Completing any necessary placement exams by June 4.** The placement exams are found on the [Fall 2021 New Student Site](#). Students can select the "Writing Placement," "Language Placement," and "Math Placement" links then follow the instructions. Please note, transfer students who have not taken a writing course at their previous institution should complete the writing placement process.
- **Complete their Housing and Dining Preferences by June 13.** This application is available through the new student site and allows your student to list building preferences, lifestyle habits, and even list a specific roommate if they have one.

We will check in with you, as well, every two to three weeks with reminders and additional information. If you ever have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to contact dos@clarku.edu, or any member of the [Student Success](#) team.

Stay engaged and connected with other Clark families.

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