



University of
New Haven

WELCOME TO SOAR

STUDENT ORIENTATION
ADVISING & REGISTRATION
SUMMER 2024

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**STUDENT
ENGAGEMENT
& SUPPORT**

The Student Experience

Exceptional, distinctive,
and transformative experience!

Our role in supporting your student:

- Create opportunities for student engagement outside of the classroom
- Provide life & career-readiness opportunities
- Monitor students' holistic development
- Foster a campus culture where everyone can thrive



Student Participation

Why is it important to engage outside of the classroom?



Exciting choices that can provide purpose and build confidence



Diverse programs to explore



Build connections & strengthen relationships



Programs are designed to be educational, challenging & enlightening



FUN!

Types of Student Engagement

- 100+ Recognized Student Organizations
 - Student Government
 - Honor Societies
 - Hobbies & Interest Groups
 - Career Focused, and more!
- Fraternity and Sorority Life
- Late Night Programming (Chargers After Dark)
- Civic Engagement
- Residence Life Programming
- University Recreation Wellness Programs
 - Open Recreation (100+ hours per week)
 - GroupX
 - Competitive Sports
 - Student Employment



Charger Connection on CorQ: Discover amazing events and groups around campus from your mobile device. [Link iOS](#) | [Link Android](#)

Developing Your Holistic Care



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CARE TEAM



START YOUR CAREER ADVENTURE

We bring career information and preparation to you.



The Career Development Center is THE place for anything internship and career related!



Would you work this job?

Instructions:

- *Stand up or Raise Your Hand*
- *Listen to the job description as it is read to you.*
- *Remain standing (or hand raised) if you see yourself working this job.*
- *When you no longer want to work this job, take a seat (or lower your hand).*



Becoming Career Ready

Applying skills, competencies, interests, and personality to your career goals



Who you are is connected to what you will do



Understand your competencies, skills & interests



Work environments are key to career happiness



Determine what "success" means to you



Skills + Personality + Interest = Career Fit

First Year Milestones

The following checklist will prepare you for future opportunities & will help build your professional network.

- Activate and complete your Handshake profile
- Draft a Resume using Resume Guide on Handshake
- Upload your finalized resume into Handshake
- Create a LinkedIn Profile
- Explore our myCharger & Handshake resources
- Join a Recognized Student Organization (RSO) related to your interests
- Build personal development by volunteering at the University or community events
- Get to know your academic advisor and program requirements (internship, capstone, etc.)
- Stay connected
 - Instagram: @unewhavencdc
 - LinkedIn: [University of New Haven Career Connect](#)

COMPLETE YOUR HANDSHAKE PROFILE

Scan the QR code and login using Single Sign-On University credentials.



www.newhaven.edu/CDC

www.newhaven.joinhandshake.com



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Campus Dining Experience

Meal Plan - Charger Pride

- 21 meal swipes at resident dining halls per week
- 2 meal swipes may be used at Food Trucks per week + \$50 Dining Plus Dollars per semester
- 6 Guest passes for friends/family per semester
- \$200 Dining Dollars for retail locations per semester

Large Array of Dining Options

- 2 resident dining halls
- Allergen-friendly fare
- Vegan & plant-based options
- 11 Retail Dining Locations
- Order-ahead & grab-n-go options
- Feedback opportunities
- Reusable Container Program

Variety of Meal Plans for commuter & upper-class students to choose from at newhaven.edu/dining

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*Available for
Nutrition Counseling!*



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**FIRST-YEAR
STUDENT
TRANSITION
PROGRAMS**

DREAM: Defeating Roadblocks in Education through Awareness and Mentoring

- Accessibility Resources Center
- One Credit Course for students who are registered with ARC
- Application due August 1st
- More information Roadmap and Webpage or email arc@newhaven.edu

F.I.R.S.T.: Fostering Intentional Relationships for Successful Transition

- Collaborative program hosted by CSELO, DOS & the Myatt Center
- Students who are first in their families to attend college, multicultural students, and students who may have difficulty transitioning to college are welcome to apply.
- Program begins with a summer bridge experience in August, and continues with ongoing mentorship, advising, and events throughout the year.
- Application due July 26
- For more information, email first@newhaven.edu

Men of Color Collective

- A mentoring program for male-identifying students of color supported by faculty & staff.
- Participation includes biweekly mentoring, advising, and monthly supporting programming;
- For more information, email MCC@newhaven.edu

Foundations for Success (SDEV 1150 - Academic Course)

- Available to first-year, first-time students only. This course promotes success - both in college and thereafter - by teaching valuable strategies that can be used across disciplines while fostering the development of lifelong learning skills. 1 excess credit hour.
- For more information, email the Center for Student Success at css@newhaven.edu

Before You Leave Today, Things You Should Know!

First Year Transition Programs

- FIRST Program:
 - Apply to Participate By: July 26
 - Program Dates: August 18–20
- DREAM Program:
 - Apply to Participate By: August 1
 - Early Arrival Program: August 19–20

Charge In & Residential Move-In

- Charlie's Fast Pass: August 17
- Residential Student Move-In: August 21
- Commuter Return to Campus: August 22
- **Charge In Orientation:** **August 22 – 25**
 - All incoming students

Classes Begin: Monday, August 26

The Welcome Experience

August 26 – September 9, 2024

- Involvement Fair
- Facebook Live Events for Families
- Residential & Myatt Center Events
- Chargers After Dark – Late Night Events
- Recognized Student Organization Events

Important Dates

- ARC Accommodations: Apply NOW!
- Health Insurance Waiver: July 31
- Student Health Records: August 1
- Family Day: September 21
- Homecoming: October 5

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Questions & Answers

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**THANK
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