

Undergraduate Student Welcome and Orientation**January 10, 2025**

9 – 10:15 am	Check-in, Registration, & Move-in	Highlands Café
	<i>Resident Students:</i> check-in starts at 9:00 a.m. After check-in, members of the Residence Life teams will assist you with moving into your assigned room. <i>Commuting Students:</i> plan to arrive between 9:30-10:00 a.m.	
	<i>All students will receive orientation materials, your student ID, your room key, and everything you need to get started! Everyone is welcome to enjoy coffee and refreshments in the Highlands café.</i>	
10:30 – 11:45 am	Student Welcome and Enhancing Student Success	Commuter Lounge
	<i>Following a welcome from the Dean of Students, you'll meet various students and staff from around the University who will provide valuable insights, resources, and strategies to help you thrive academically, socially, and personally throughout your time at Cairn. We will finish our time together with a joint time of prayer.</i>	
11:50 – 12:45 pm	Lunch	Furman Dining Commons
	<i>Students: Please wear your name badge!</i>	
(After lunch)	Parent Departure	
1 – 2 pm	Meet with Faculty Advisors and Finalize Course Registration	ED 322
2 – 2:50 pm	Title IX & Safe Campus	ED 322
	<i>You'll learn about Title IX and how Cairn is committed to providing a safe campus for everyone. This session will cover key policies, resources, and strategies for preventing and addressing discrimination, harassment, violence, and concerning behaviors</i>	
3 – 3:15 pm	Afternoon Break (Please have a laptop for 3:15-5:00pm sessions)	
3:15 – 4:15 pm	Academic Success Session	Hearth Room
	<i>Students will meet with The Academic Resource Center to learn more about services that are offered through the ARC.</i>	
4:15 – 5:00 pm	Incoming Student Assessment	Hearth Room
	<i>Students participate in a brief assessment to assist university personnel in knowing your collective academic, personal, and spiritual strengths.</i>	
5 – 6 pm	Dinner	Furman Dining Commons
	<i>Students: Please wear your name badge!</i>	
7:00 pm	Welcome + Waffles	Heritage Great Room
	<i>Enjoy some waffles with ice cream as you make some new friends and get to know our Residence Life team and other student leaders. You will hear about all of the exciting events planned for the semester and the guidelines for Cairn resident living.</i>	