



WELCOME

to the University of North Carolina at Charlotte

We hope you enjoy this self-guided walking tour, which offers a general overview of our beautiful, modern campus. We invite you to stop at any building, classroom, residence hall, campus dining area, or recreational facility, even those not directly on the walking tour path. If you are visiting on a typical class day, you will get a better idea of student and campus life.

STUDENT-GUIDED DAILY CAMPUS TOURS

- Student-guided daily campus tours are available Mondays through Fridays and select Saturdays with an advance reservation in the Future 49er Portal.
- If you would like more information about student-guided tours, or any other campus visit programs, please visit admissions.uncc.edu/visit.

BEGINNING YOUR SELF-GUIDED TOUR

- This walking tour has been designed to take approximately one hour.
- Start your tour at the Gage Undergraduate Admissions Center and follow the numbered stops.
- Return back to the Gage Undergraduate Admissions Center using the Gold Niner Transit bus across from the light rail station.
- On your way out, we encourage you to drive along the perimeter of campus to see additional residence halls, academic buildings, and the football stadium.

OUR HISTORY

- UNC Charlotte is one of a generation of universities founded in metropolitan areas of the United States immediately after World War II in response to rising education demands generated by the war.
- Originally started in 1946 as an evening college center and named The Charlotte Center, the institution later evolved into Charlotte College in 1949, offering the first two years of college courses.
- In 1961, Charlotte College moved its growing student body into two new buildings on what has become our current 1,000-acre campus.
- In 1965, the North Carolina legislature approved bills making Charlotte College a four-year, state-supported college, thus creating the University of North Carolina at Charlotte, now the third largest university in the North Carolina system.

SELF-GUIDED CAMPUS TOUR

GETTING AROUND CAMPUS

Most students walk, bike, or skateboard to get to class, but UNC Charlotte also offers a free campus shuttle service for quick transportation across campus.

TRANSPORTATION

- » **UNC Charlotte's Niner Transit buses** are free of charge and operate every day except when the university is closed. You can track the buses by downloading the UNCC NextRide Mobile App.
- » **Zipcar Rentals** offers on-campus car rentals by the hour or by the day.
- » **Charlotte Wheels** offers free bike membership and 1 free hour of ride time a day for every student.

CAMPUS POLICE & SAFETY

- » **UNC Charlotte Police & Public Safety** is a fully authorized state police agency, providing 24/7 police and security service to the campus.
- » **Blue Light emergency phones** are placed strategically throughout the campus providing the student community with an easy and reliable way to report a crime.
- » **The LiveSafe App** provides access to campus emergency resources in addition to a direct line of communication with students and the police via text and phone services.

NEW & UNDER CONSTRUCTION

UNC Charlotte's growing student population also brings exciting additions to our campus.

LIGHT RAIL

- » **The Light Rail** connects students directly to Uptown Charlotte in approximately 25 minutes.

UNIVERSITY REC CENTER

- » **UREC** is a 148,000 square-foot space dedicated to student recreation and fitness. It features an indoor pool, outdoor pool, multi-purpose courts, group fitness studios, a cycling studio, an elevated running/walking track, and multi-floor cardio and strength training equipment.

MARRIOTT HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER

- » **The full-service hotel and conference center** will provide a welcoming space for generations of 49ers and Charlotteans. The hotel will feature more than 220 hotel rooms and 24,000 SF of conference space.



THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE

Our proximity to the city of Charlotte gives students many opportunities to explore, study and research in one of America's fastest growing economies. Whether you're interested in the arts, music, sports, history, dining, shopping, or just sight seeing, there's something for you in Charlotte.



DISCOVER THESE SITES IN CHARLOTTE

- » **Shopping:** Concord Mills, SouthPark Mall, Northlake Mall, shopping centers, art galleries, antique villages, and more
- » **Major League Sports:** NFL Carolina Panthers, NBA Charlotte Hornets, ECHL Charlotte Checkers Hockey, NASCAR at Charlotte Motor Speedway
- » **Outdoors/Attractions:** Carowinds Amusement Park, Blumenthal Performing Arts Center, Great Wolf Lodge & Waterpark, Hiking, The U.S. National White Water Center, Museums & more

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1 GAGE UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS & SOUTH VILLAGE

- » **South Village Crossing (SoVi):** All-you-care-to-eat dining
- » **Laurel & Hunt Hall:** Residence halls featuring suite-style living
- » **Holshouser & Sanford Hall:** Residence halls with doubles & suites
- » **Scott Hall:** Residence hall for freshmen only, with traditional style two-person rooms

2 LEVINE HALL, HONORS COLLEGE, & HOUSING OFFICE

- » **Levine Hall:** Residence hall featuring suites & apartments. Also features classrooms and houses the administrative offices for the **Honors College** and Levine Scholars Program
- » **Housing Office** is the campus resource for Housing & Residence Life needs

3 ROBINSON HALL, STORRS, ROWE

- » **Robinson Hall:** Performing arts, dance, music, and theatre
- » **Storrs:** College of Arts + Architecture studios and classrooms
- » **Rowe:** Art department, art galleries with rotating exhibits, open-air sculpture courtyard, choral rehearsal hall, instrumental studio, photography labs, art studios

4 ATKINS LIBRARY

- » **Atkins Library:** Open 24 hours Sun-Thurs, varying hours on Fri and Sat, and 24/7 during exam week
- » 216 computer work stations, 60 lending laptops, 50+ private group study rooms, 45,000 electronic journals and 350 journal databases
- » **Atkins Library Café** is located on the ground floor
- » A research librarian is on site to assist students with projects

5 KING, REESE, & CONE UNIVERSITY CENTER

- » **King, Reese:** Administrative offices including Human Resources, Student Employment, Financial Aid, Dean of Students
- » **Cone University Center** is named after the Founder of UNC Charlotte, Miss Bonnie Cone
- » **Niner Central Student Services Center** is the campus resource for services related to financial aid, billing, registration, transcripts
- » **Cone food court:** Subway, Bojangles and Panda Express

6 BARNHARDT STUDENT ACTIVITY CENTER & STAR QUAD

- » **Barnhardt Student Activity Center (aka "The SAC"):** 9,000-seat Halton Arena, home to 49er basketball and volleyball. Features group exercise rooms, cushioned track, rock climbing wall
- » **"Star Quad":** Compass-shaped mosaic design on the ground. A popular spot for outdoor events & activities such as the annual Greek yard show and National Panhellenic Council step show

7 STUDENT UNION PLAZA, WOODWARD, COED, & CHHS

- » **Student Union Plaza:** Courtyard between several buildings
- » **Woodward Hall:** The College of Computing and Informatics, Dept. of Biological Sciences
- » **Cato College of Education (COED):** College of Education, Foreign Language, Culture Studies, Counseling
- » **College of Health & Human Services (CHHS):** Nursing, Public Health, Social Work, Kinesiology

8 UNIVERSITY RECREATION CENTER (UREC)

- » **The University Recreation Center:** 148,000 sq. ft. building dedicated to student recreation and fitness
- » Features indoor pool, outdoor pool, multi-purpose courts, group fitness studios, cycling studio, elevated running/walking track, and multi-floor cardio and strength training equipment

9 POPP MARTIN STUDENT UNION

- » **The Popp Martin Student Union** is ranked as one of the top college unions in the nation!
- » Features university bookstore, movie theater, food court, Crown Commons dining hall, hair salon, NinerTech store, student ID office, student organization & activities offices, large group meeting spaces

10 NORTH VILLAGE

- » **Miltimore, Wallace, Witherspoon, & Belk Hall:** Residence halls featuring suite-style and apartment-style living
- » **Lynch Hall:** Residence hall featuring suite-style living. Home to most Learning Communities

11 LIGHT RAIL AND TRANSPORTATION

- » **Light Rail** connects students to Uptown Charlotte for internships and entertainment
- » Provides easy access to the region's performing arts, athletic events, festivals and other activities
- » Students have unlimited access to Light Rail by showing their student ID cards
- » The campus shuttle bus provides free transportation around campus. Try it for yourself! Hop on the Gold bus from this location back to the Gage Undergraduate Admissions Center!

ON YOUR WAY OUT, THERE'S MORE TO SEE...

Follow the yellow path as you drive out

- » **South Village residence halls**
- » **Athletic Facilities, Belk Track and Field**
- » **Jerry Richardson Football Stadium:** 15,000-seat stadium
- » **EPIC (Energy Production & Infrastructure Center), Grigg Hall, Duke Hall, Kulwicki Lab, Motorsports Research, Bioinformatics:** Engineering buildings



KEY

- Academic Buildings
- Residence Halls
- Walking Tour Stops
- Driving Path
- Gold Bus return route

