

# START

## NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

**START I: June 15–16**    **START III: July 13–14**  
**START II: June 19–20**    **START IV: July 17–18**

Register by clicking on the “VISIT US” tab on the left side of your personal webpage.

### Student Checklist

- Complete the New Student Questionnaire found in the tabs on the left side of your personal webpage. An email will also be sent to you that includes a link to this questionnaire.
- Register for classes prior to attending START Orientation. After completing the New Student Questionnaire, students will receive information via email with advising expectations.
- Register for START Orientation by clicking on the “VISIT US” tab on the left side of your personal webpage.
- The application for housing will open on **May 15**. Visit [housingapp.yhc.edu](http://housingapp.yhc.edu) to complete your residency information at that time. Both commuter and on-campus students must complete the residency application. Housing assignments will be made starting in early June.
- Submit FAFSA paperwork to be eligible for need-based financial assistance.
- Submit required health forms and records found by visiting [yhc.edu/healthforms](http://yhc.edu/healthforms). Email completed forms to Sandy McClure at [smcclure@yhc.edu](mailto:smcclure@yhc.edu) prior to attending START Orientation.
- Submit final transcripts to the Office of Admissions (high school and any college credits) along with any AP scores.
- Pay your tuition and fees by **July 31**. Tuition and fees can be paid online via Self-Service under the “Finances” tab. Additional information, including information regarding payment plans, can be found by visiting [yhc.edu/business-office/payment](http://yhc.edu/business-office/payment).
- Complete AlcoholEdu and HAVEN online. A link and additional details will be sent to your YHC email.
- YHC provides reasonable accommodations for students with known disabilities. If you have a documented disability, contact Disability Services in the Student Success Center at [sscinfo@yhc.edu](mailto:sscinfo@yhc.edu) to arrange reasonable accommodations.

### Mark Your Calendar

New Student Move In.....**Saturday, Aug. 12**

Welcome Week.....**Saturday–Saturday, Aug. 12–19**

Classes Begin .....**Tuesday, Aug. 15**

Academic Convocation....**Tuesday, Aug. 15, 7 p.m.**

### Outdoor Adventure Trips

YHC has partnered with the Nantahala Outdoor Center to create four distinct adventures for incoming students. The additional \$125 fee includes activities, equipment, transportation, lodging and meals. Details about registering for adventure trips will be sent after students register for their START session.

**START I: Flatwater Kayaking**

**START II: Whitewater Rafting**

**START III: Whitewater Rafting**

**START IV: Adventure Ropes Course**

Payment is due at START Orientation check-in. Students will leave immediately following START Orientation and conclude at noon the next day.

### Information for Family Members

We encourage family members to attend START Orientation with their student. The optional one-day program for family members runs concurrently with the START student schedule on the first day of orientation and concludes that evening with a social for family members. Sessions throughout the day provide information to help those closest to the student better understand YHC and the college experience as a whole. The family schedule during START Orientation highlights academic expectations, available services, and the many opportunities your student will have at the College.

While overnight accommodations for family members cannot be made (only students will be lodged on-campus for the two-day orientation), there is a wide array of lodging opportunities in the area. See [yhc.edu/start](http://yhc.edu/start) for details.

Registration for Family Orientation is completed online when students register for START. Changes can be made by emailing [SSCinfo@yhc.edu](mailto:sscinfo@yhc.edu).

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