

NU Parent Guide

2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR



Northwest
UNIVERSITY

Jesus First. Jesus Always.

Welcome



Welcome to Northwest University! We are so glad you chose NU. We trust this community will be a blessing to you and your family.

We want you to be informed about the activities happening at NU and ways you can connect with your student and the NU community.

One way you can stay informed is to subscribe to our **Parent Connections e-newsletter**. You can do that by scanning the QR code down below or by visiting **northwestu.edu/parents/connections**.

Another way is to become part of the **NU Parent Connections Facebook page**.

There you will find weekly happenings, pictures, and fun ways to win some NU parent swag! To join, log in to your Facebook account, search "Northwest University Parent Connections," and click "join group."

We are here to come alongside your family as you navigate this exciting new season. We are praying for your family and this coming school year and are delighted to serve you. Get ready for a wonderful year!

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*Parent Relations
Development Office*



NU PARENT SOCIAL MEDIA

Find us on various forms of social media for all updates, announcements, and events.

- **NU Facebook:** [/northwestu](https://www.facebook.com/northwestu)
- **Facebook Group:** [Northwest University Parent Connections](https://www.facebook.com/groups/northwestuniversityparentconnections)
- **NU Instagram:** [@northwestu](https://www.instagram.com/northwestu)
- **NU Athletics Instagram:** [@nu_athletics](https://www.instagram.com/nu_athletics)
- **NU LinkedIn:** [linkedin.com/school/northwest-university](https://www.linkedin.com/school/northwest-university)
- **NU YouTube:** [youtube.com/@northwestuniversity](https://www.youtube.com/@northwestuniversity)

PARENT CONNECTIONS E-NEWSLETTER

Go to **northwestu.edu/parents/connections** to be added to our e-newsletter mailing list.

CONTACT INFO

If you have any further questions or need to request information, you can email **parents@northwestu.edu**.

Academic Calendar

AND OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

FALL SEMESTER 2026

First Day of Classes (Undergraduate Program)	Aug. 31
Academic Convocation	Sept. 2
Last Day to Register; Last Day to Add/Drop Classes	Sept. 6
Labor Day Holiday (University Closed)	Sept. 7
Reading Days (No Classes)	Oct. 22–23
Priority Registration for Spring Semester Opens	Nov. 2
Last Day to Withdraw From Classes	Nov. 20
Reading Day (No Classes)	Nov. 25
Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)	Nov. 26–27
Last Day of Classes	Dec. 14
Final Exams	Dec. 15–18
Student Semester Break (No Classes)	Dec. 19–Jan. 10
University Offices Closed	Dec. 24–Jan. 1

SPRING SEMESTER 2027

Residence Halls and Dining Hall Open (Returning Students)	Jan. 10
First Day of Classes (Undergraduate Program)	Jan. 11
Last Day to Register; Last Day to Add/Drop Classes	Jan. 17
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (University Closed)	Jan. 18
Presidents' Day (University Closed)	Feb. 15
Spring Break (No Classes)	Mar. 8–12
Priority Registration for Fall Semester Opens	Mar. 29
Reading Day (No Classes)	Mar. 25
Good Friday (University Closed)	Mar. 26
Last Day to Withdraw From Classes	Apr. 9
Last Day of Classes	Apr. 30
Baccalaureate Chapel	Apr. 30
Final Exams	May 3–6
Graduation Celebration	May 7
Commencement	May 8

Directory

For a full directory, check out the Eagle website or call 425-822-8266 to reach the front desk receptionist to be transferred.

ACADEMIC SUCCESS AND ADVISING

425-889-5227 | Williams Hall, room 10
advising@northwestu.edu

For questions regarding advising, testing, tutoring, career development, disability accommodations, or academic resources (including, but not limited to, change of major and adding or dropping a class).

CAMPUS MINISTRIES

425-889-5308 | Pecota Student Center
campusministries@northwestu.edu

For questions regarding prayer or pastoral counseling, Life Group applications or information, mission trip information, and participating in a local missions group.

HOUSING

425-889-5334 | Pecota Student Center
housing@northwestu.edu

For questions regarding residence hall and apartment housing, RAs, and ACs.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

425-889-5310 | Barton, first floor
help@northwestu.edu

For help with computers, printing, ID key cards, internet and Wi-Fi, passwords, and other technology at NU.

REGISTRAR

425-889-5228 | Rice 10
registrarsoffice@northwestu.edu

For questions regarding class schedules and registration, transcripts, and graduation requirements.

STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES

425-889-5210 | Barton, second floor
studentfinancialservices@northwestu.edu

For questions regarding payments, balances, and financial aid.

STUDENT DEVELOPMENT

425-889-5234 | Pecota Student Center
studentdevelopment@northwestu.edu

For questions regarding housing, commuter information, student leadership, clubs and organizations, and social and multicultural events.

NUHOPE COUNSELING CENTER

425-889-5261 | Greeley Center
nuhopeinfo@northwestu.edu
To make an appointment for counseling services.

ACADEMIC OFFICES

Center for Online and Extended Education Office
425-889-7793

College of Arts and Sciences
425-889-5315

College of Ministry
425-889-5211

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences
425-889-5249

School of Business
425-889-5754

School of Education
425-889-5272

School of Nursing
425-889-7822

“ Our daughter went to Northwest University looking for a community; growing up in a rural town she craved a godly community. At NU she made lifelong friends and found a community in which she was sharpened and encouraged in her faith. Having our daughter at NU gave us a peace knowing that she was being challenged academically, but more importantly, she was deepening her walk with the Lord.”

Rachel ('03) and Kyle ('03) Hopkins, PARENTS OF CLAIRE HOPKINS ('26)