



**SUMMER
SPRINGBOARD**
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Duke University Program Infosheet

**New student admissions for
Summer 2025 are open**



About

Duke is consistently ranked among the top universities in the United States and is known for its strong academic programs, emphasis on research, world-class medical center, and competitive athletic programs. Students will be able to explore firsthand this diverse business, research, and medical ecosystem and take full advantage of all that this amazing Research Triangle location has to offer. Stay on Duke's beautiful campus, which is known for its Gothic architecture, lush green spaces, and famous chapel.

Session Dates:

- Session 1: June 29 - July 11
- Session 2: July 13 - July 25



Academic Courses:

- Psychology & Neuroscience
- Biomedical Engineering
- Public Policy
- Game Development
- Business & Entrepreneurship
- Veterinary Medicine (Session 1 only)
- Nursing (Session 2 only)

[Click here for the list of academic
instructors](#)



Program Excursions Include:

- Duke Campus Tour
- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Campus Tour
- Frankie's Fun Park *
- North Carolina State Farmers Public Market *
- Durham Bulls Game *
- North Carolina Museum of Natural Sciences *
- Bowlero Bowling *

*Commuter students can purchase a weekend add-on to join these excursions

[Click here for A Day In The Life of a
Summer Springboard Student](#)

Tuition Information:

Residential Students

- **Includes:** all meals, lodging, excursions, academic course, weekend excursions
- **Excludes:** optional airport pickup and drop off service (available for an additional fee)
- **Price:** \$5,698

Commuter Students

- **Includes:** lunch, academic course, excursions, programming from 9am to 5pm, Monday-Friday
- **Excludes:** lodging, breakfast, dinner, weekend excursions
 - Weekend excursions can be added on for \$125 per day
- **Price:** \$2,998

Supplements:

- **Application fee:** \$99 (mandatory, non-refundable)
- **Nursing course supplement:** \$250 tuition (mandatory)
- **Veterinary Medicine course supplement:** \$250 tuition (mandatory)
- **Tuition Protection Plan:** Allows for cancellation for any reason up until the day of the program. Click [here](#) for more info.

[More info on Airport Transfer](#)

[More info on Unaccompanied Minor Service](#)

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Student Life

Whether on East or West Campus, students will feel a sense of community and belonging as if they were Duke undergraduates. Duke's campus is known for its beautiful communal green spaces and natural surroundings, most notably Sarah P. Duke Gardens, which includes over 50 acres of specialized gardens in the heart of campus. While students will enjoy the on-campus amenities, they will also have the opportunity to explore Ninth Street and the surrounding in-boundary areas. The Ninth Street district is a popular neighborhood near campus where students enjoy dining out, shopping, trying new cuisines, and experiencing the undergraduate life with their new friends.



Lodging and Meals

At Duke, students can expect to be housed in a traditional-style dorm room, shared with one roommate. Floors have gendered communal bathrooms, which include multiple toilets and showers located at both ends of the hall. Dorm rooms feature an extra-long twin-sized bed, a desk and chair, and a standalone wardrobe closet. All residence halls have surrounding courtyards, are air-conditioned, and include common rooms and lounges, making them a comfortable place to hang out. Students will have their three daily meals at one of Duke's amazing student dining halls, which offer a wide variety of cuisines.



College Readiness Workshops

All students participate in a rotation of workshops designed to engage youth with various skills for a successful transition to college. The workshop sessions cover Public Speaking, Financial Literacy, Leadership, and College Admissions. Led by experienced instructors, these workshops provide a solid foundation to help students navigate their future academic endeavors.



Requirements

- For students entering grades 9-12
- A grade point average of 3.0 (or equivalent)