

NSU#3 - New Student Orientation



New Student Update #3 – July 23, 2026

Hello,

The start of the semester is just around the corner. Don't forget to check out the New Student Orientation program and complete the required course on Blackboard!

Key dates & deadlines:

- Now until Sept. 14: Course registration
 - Aug. 24: Tuition fees payment deadline
 - Aug. 25 - Sept. 4: Faculty/ General New Student Orientation Sessions
 - Sept. 1: International Student Orientation Session
 - Sept. 7: Deadline for completing *DCUE 0100 - Academic Integrity* on Blackboard
 - Sept. 17: Bursary application deadline
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New Student Orientation

The New Student Orientation program offers a mix of digital and in-person experiences, helping you explore available services, connect with faculty and peers, and navigate our campuses.

(1) **Faculty/ General New Student Orientation Sessions**: Choose the one offered by your faculty.* If its schedule does not work for you or if there is not one being offered for your faculty, attend a general one.

- **Faculty of Commerce and Business Administration (CBA):**
New Westminster | Sept. 1 | [Register now](#)**
- **Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences (HSS) and
Faculty of Language, Literature and Performing Arts (LLPA):**
New Westminster | Aug. 31 | [Register now](#)**
- **Faculty of Science and Technology (S&T):**
Coquitlam | Aug. 25 | [Register now](#)**
or New Westminster | Aug. 31 | [Register now](#)**
- **General Sessions - parents and supporters are welcome:**
Coquitlam | Aug. 26 | [Register now](#)**
or New Westminster | Sept. 4 | [Register now](#)**

* If you are unsure which faculty you are in, check out the [Find Programs webpage](#).

** Registration using desktop devices is highly recommended for better user experience.

(2) **International Student Orientation Session**: If you are an international student, apart from the Faculty/ General New Student Orientation Sessions mentioned above, you should also attend the International Student Orientation Session on Sept. 1 at 2pm. Stay tuned for registration instructions.

(3) **Orientation Workshops**: Check out the [workshop offerings](#) and be sure to register for the ones that best fit your needs.

(4) **DCUE 0200 - New Student Orientation**: This online course is a hub of all the basics on how to get ready for your first semester. It will be made available on [Blackboard](#) beginning **early August**. Log on with your 9-digit student number and CNA password and access the course under “**Courses**”. Those who complete the course by the end of the Fall Semester will be entered into a draw to win \$250 in tuition credit!

Check out the [Orientation webpage](#) for all the details about New Student Orientation.



Understanding academic integrity

Douglas College expects students to adhere to the highest standards of [academic integrity](#). To help you understand what academic integrity means at Douglas, all new students will be automatically enrolled into **DCUE 0100 - Academic Integrity**, an online course that lives on [Blackboard](#). This course is **mandatory**. You are expected to complete the course before your first semester begins. Students who do not complete

the course with a passing grade will not be allowed to register for future semesters until it is completed. Log on with your 9-digit student number and CNA password and access the course under “**Courses**”. Contact aie@douglascollege.ca if you have questions.



Class registration and fee payment

*(*Information in this section is applicable to domestic students only. Please refer to separate instructions provided by Douglas College International (DCI) if you are an international student.)*

If you have not registered for all your classes, have a look through the [Register for classes webpage](#). If you are on a waitlist for some of your classes, don't worry, there is still a chance you'll make it into the classes. When you are on the waitlist, be sure to check your [myAccount](#) every day because if you are given an offer, you only have **23 hours** to accept it. If you miss your offer, you will be removed from the waitlist. If you still find yourself on a waitlist on the first day of class, attend the first class to talk to the instructor and indicate your interest. Visit the [Waitlist information webpage](#) for more information.

Reminder that the fee payment deadline is **Aug. 24**. Information on ways to pay can be found on the [Paying your fees webpage](#). For questions about class registration and fee payment, [contact Enrolment Services](#).



Purchasing textbooks through the Bookstore

The Douglas College Bookstore is where you can find textbooks for your studies. Use their [web ordering service](#) to order necessary materials. Make sure that you have chosen the correct materials by matching the ISBN to those on your personal booklist, which will be available under “**Student Profile**” on your [myAccount](#) beginning early August. Visit the [Bookstore’s website](#) or contact them at bookstore@douglascollege.ca for questions.

Stay informed!

If you want to revisit previous New Student Updates, please visit the [Orientation webpage](#) and refer to the column on the right.

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Questions?

Answers to some frequently asked questions are available at the bottom of the [Orientation webpage](#) under the “**Questions**” section.

If you have further questions, please email studentlife@douglascollege.ca. If you are an international student, please submit your questions through the [Douglas College International contact form](#).