



New Students

July 20, 2026

At Adelphi, more than 70% of Panthers participate in student organizations. They're exploring their interests, developing leadership skills and making their positive mark at Adelphi.

This week, we want to help you explore these possibilities for yourself. To access many of the resources shared below, make sure you're logged into your student account.

PS: Getting involved at Adelphi usually starts with our [Center for Student and Community Engagement](#). Come find us in the Ruth S. Harley University Center, Suite 123, or email us at engage@adelphi.edu.

If you have any questions, email us at orientation@adelphi.edu and expect a response within 24 hours.

 —Adelphi's Student and Community Engagement team

THIS WEEK'S RECOMMENDED TO-DOs

- **Review your fall bill.** Payment is due July 21, but it's not too late to explore [no-interest payment plans](#).
- **Activate your Adelphi account** using the instructions sent from helpdesk@adelphi.edu.
- **Review Adelphi's four opt-out programs** and decide whether to keep or waive them before the upcoming deadlines.
- **Register for Orientation Weekend (August 21–23).** Attendance is essential on all three days. The fee is already included in your tuition.
- **Register for fall classes if you haven't already.** [Schedule your required advising appointment](#) to plan your first semester.

LIKE BEING PART OF SOMETHING SPECIAL?

- **Want to lead?** Seek election to our [student government](#), [start a club of your own](#), or write for the [Delphian](#).
- **Wish to mentor?** Consider being a [Peer Assistant Leader](#), a [Resident Assistant](#) or a [Commuter Assistant](#) for the next academic year.
- **Hoping to volunteer?** Community engagement is a hallmark of an Adelphi experience. Panthers tend to our [community garden](#), run the [Panther Pantry](#), lead [Relay For Life](#), and make an impact through [volunteering](#).

- **Interested in Greek Life?** Our fraternities, sororities and social fellowships include recognized councils that promote leadership, service and diversity.
- **Want to compete or get fit?** Check out Campus Rec, Esports, Intramural Sports, Sport Clubs and Fitness programs. Or if you're interested in a FREE Introductory Personal Training program, submit the Campus Rec interest form.
- **Exploring your faith?** Our Achan Family Interfaith Center supports worship and fellowship and partners with our faith-based student clubs.
- **Got special interests?** Our 80+ organizations include academic, cultural, social action, and other groups.
- **Like learning about people?** Our Multicultural Center promotes Adelphi's inclusive and welcoming environment through cross-cultural interaction and dialogue that fosters and affirms all individuals.



THINGS YOU CAN DO BEFORE ORIENTATION

- Sign up for the service-oriented **First-Year Community Action Program** (FCAP) happening August 17–19.
- Out-of-state and upstate students can **come ExploreNY** with us on August 17–19.
- **If you're local, you can start using Adelphi's Fitness Center and pool!** Request an application at campusrec@adelphi.edu, then email it back or bring it to Woodruff Hall 240. But first, you'll need a student ID (follow the steps below)
- **Get your student ID and a parking decal.**
 - **Local?** Visit the Department of Public Safety in Levermore Hall 113. For your student ID, bring a current photo ID (driver's license, passport or school ID). For your parking decal, bring your driver's license and vehicle registration.
 - **Not local?** Submit an online request to have your ID ready for pickup at Orientation Weekend—either at Public Safety or waiting for you at your residence hall at move-in. Campus parking decals can only be obtained in person, so bring your driver's license and vehicle registration to Orientation Weekend and stop by Public Safety in Levermore Hall 113.



NEED HELP?

- **Ask Adele** | Has our AI chatbot texted you a hello yet? Save Adele in your contacts and feel free to ask her anything Adelphi-related, 24/7.
- **One-Stop** | When you need guidance on financial aid, your tuition bill, a refund, or your academic records or registration, you can call, email or stop by the One-Stop Student Services Center in the Lower Level of Levermore Hall (Room 008).
- **IT Help Desk** | Complicated software download? eCampus login not working? You clicked that suspicious link? Our IT Help Desk is your first point of contact for technology needs, service issues and cybersecurity worries. You can call 516.877.3340 or visit Swirbul Library, 2nd Floor.

- **Public Safety** | Available 24/7 to help keep you and our campus safe, Adelphi [Public Safety](#) officers patrol our campus, respond to emergencies, coordinate with local law enforcement, operate Adelphi's shuttle services and can assist with car troubles and late-night safety escorts. For help, call 516.877.3500 or 516.877.3511 or stop by the Command Center in Levermore Hall, 113. Store the number in your phone!



IMPORTANT DATES

See our [2026-2027 academic calendar](#)

- **August 20:** [First-Year Resident Student Move-In](#)
- **August 21-23:** [Orientation Weekend](#) ([Parents and families](#) on Friday)
- **August 23:** [Matriculation Ceremony](#)
- **August 24:** [First Day of Classes](#)
- **August 25:** [Health and Immunization Forms Due to Health Services](#)
- **September 4:** Final [add/drop/change/withdraw day](#) for Fall 2026
- **September 4:** Deadline for [opt-out programs](#) for Fall 2026
- **October 1:** [Health Insurance Waiver Period Ends](#)

Get ready for Adelphi! Watch your mailbox each Monday for more great info and resources.