Welcome to Family Weekend

Welcome back to your student’s “home away from home.” We are so excited to have you join us for Family Weekend 2024! This event allows University of Denver students, faculty, staff, and administration to celebrate our parent and family community and recognize your endless support of our student population.

Stay connected year round through our DU Family Experience App! Sign up today!

Inside! Check out this weekend’s event schedule organized by day & package.

- White Package
- Red Package
- Gold Package
THURSDAY, APRIL 25th

Check In .......................................................................................................................................................12:00-5:00 pm
Community Commons Gallery, 2055 E. Evans Ave.
Welcome to Family Weekend! Student and staff volunteers will get you checked in for the weekend. Pick up your schedule, package materials to get set up for the weekend. DU Family Merch will be available for sale.

Educational Sessions .......................................................................................................................................1:00-5:00 pm
Community Commons Room 2600, 2055 E. Evans Ave.
Come in for one of our informational sessions provided by different campus offices and resources. Sessions include:
- Family Engagement............................................................................................................................1:00-1:50 pm
- Health & Well-being at DU: Health & Counseling Center Overview Resources..................................2:00-2:50 pm
- Supporting Students in Their Career Journey.........................................................................................3:00-3:50 pm
- Study Abroad...........................................................................................................................................4:00-4:50 pm

Campus Tours ................................................................................................................................................12:30-5:00 pm
Various (See Family Weekend App for Locations)
Choose from a selection of campus tours departing from various locations around campus. Pre-registration is required. More details at Check In or in the app.
- Campus
- Bell Tower
- Innovation Lab
- Innovation Lab Workshop

Opera............................................................................................................................................................7:30 pm
Newman Center for the Performing Arts, 2344 E. Iliff Ave.
Spring opera performance of Midsummer Night's Dream. Tickets sold separately.

FRIDAY, APRIL 26th

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Demystifying College with FIRST@DU.....................................................................................................1:30-2:30 pm
Community Commons Room 2600, 2055 E. Evans Ave.
This interactive workshop equips students and families with the essential tools to navigate college successfully. We'll break down college lingo, explore academic expectations, and unlock the power of campus resources and mentorship. Leave feeling confident and prepared to thrive – academically, socially, and personally – at the University of Denver.
FRIDAY, APRIL 26th

Resource Fair

Community Commons, Rooms 1600, 1700, 1800, 2055 E. Evans Ave.

From the Office of Student Engagement to the Writing Center to the Health and Counseling Center, visit with over fifteen campus partners showcasing campus life and support services to students and families.

Academic College Open Houses

Various Locations (See Family Weekend App for Locations)

Mingle with various faculty and staff during open houses held in academic buildings to introduce families to the academic community to which their student belongs. More details at Check In or in the app.

Educational Sessions

Davis Auditorium - Sturm Hall Room 248, 2020-2040 S. Race St.

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Family Weekend Kickoff Event

Campus Green Tent

Come celebrate the start of Family Weekend with music, activities, food and fun! In collaboration with DU’s Multicultural Greek Council (MGC), everyone is welcome to watch amazing performances from orgs and learn about stepping and strolling at the MGC Yard Show.

DU Men’s Lacrosse Games

Peter Barton Stadium, 2240 Buchtel Blvd S.

Come cheer for DU Men’s Lacrosse while they celebrate senior night. Tickets sold separately.

Opera

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Spring opera performance of Midsummer Night’s Dream. Tickets sold separately.

SATURDAY, APRIL 27th

Check In

Community Commons Gallery, 2055 E. Evans Ave.

Student and pro-staff volunteers checking families in and giving luggage tags with event passes permitting entrance into events and food tickets to exchange at events.

Rebel Groove Workout Class

Community Commons Room 1700, 2055 E. Evans Ave.

This high-energy class incorporates traditional HIIT movements with powerful music and choreography to deliver a dance style bootcamp class. All levels welcome!

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- Supporting Students in Their Career Journey: 10:00-10:50 am
- Study Abroad: 11:00 am-11:50 am
**FAMILY WEEKEND EVENT SCHEDULE Continued**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 27th**

**Faculty Flash Talks**
- **10:00 am-12:00 pm**
- Sturm Hall 254, 2020-2040 S Race St.

University of Denver faculty from various backgrounds will present on topics related to their research, areas of expertise, and campus academic success strategies. Sessions include:
- CompassionLab: Cultivating Skills for Connection... 10:00-10:30 am
- The Complexities of National Cyber Security Policy... 10:30 am-11:00 am
- From Empty(ing) the Nest to Families Flocking Together: Holding Space for Loss During the Transition to College... 11:00 am-12:00 pm

**Sturm Hall on Campus Green**
- **12:00-3:00 pm**

A come and go vendor’s market with outside and student vendors selling items or highlighting their businesses and services. Live music from Battle of the Band student performances and food trucks.

**Women’s Lacrosse Game**
- **11:30 am**
- Peter Barton Stadium, 2240 Buchtel Blvd S.

Come cheer for DU Women’s Lacrosse while they celebrate senior night. *Tickets sold separately.*

**Student Panel**
- **3:00-4:00 pm**
- Community Commons Room 1700, 2055 E. Evans Ave.

Students from each class year will talk about their experiences and answer questions from parents, including study abroad options, on/off-campus living, and the engagements that have enhanced their growth toward earning a DU degree.

**Sunset Happy Hour**
- **4:00-6:00 pm**
- Community Commons 4th Floor Overlook, 2055 E. Evans Ave.

Join us for light appetizers, a cash bar, and a great view! Mix and mingle with other DU families and enjoy the complimentary food sponsored by Sodexo. Visit with members of the DU dining team. Listen to the DU First Edition (DUFE) Acapella Performance!

**Family Game Night**
- **5:00-7:00 pm**
- Community Commons Room 1700, 2055 E. Evans Ave.

Join us for Family Game Night! New Student & Family Programs will host a variety of family friendly games like BINGO, yard games, and more!

**Family Movie Night**
- **7:30-9:00 pm**
- Campus Green Tent

Join the Office of Student Engagement and DUPB for a showing of The Parent Trap under the tent on Campus Green. Popcorn and fun included! Plus enjoy s’more with the Kennedy Mountain Campus!

**SUNDAY, APRIL 28th**

**Opera**
- **7:30 pm**
- Newman Center for the Performing Arts, 2344 E Iliff Ave.


**Yoga**
- **8:30 -9:30 am**
- Community Commons Room 1700, 2055 E. Evans Ave.

Vinyasa flow yoga emphasizes sequential movement between postures, guided by deliberate breaths. Mats are provided, bringing your own is encouraged. All levels welcome!

**Religious & Spiritual Services**
- More details at Check In or in the app

**Chancellor’s Gold Brunch**
- **9:30 am -12:30 pm**
- Campus Green

End Family Weekend with brunch and a visit with DU’s Chancellor. Grab & Go and seated options will be provided.

**Opera**
- **2:30 pm**
- Newman Center for the Performing Arts, 2344 E Iliff Ave.


**DOWNLOAD**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER FAMILY WEEKEND 2024 APP FOR ALL THE DETAILS ABOUT FAMILY WEEKEND.**

1. Download the "DU CrimsonConnect" app.
2. Select "Family Weekend" in the top left menu.
3. Follow the instructions to enter the app.

![Download App](https://example.com)