Dear Emory Families:

Safety is an issue that took on a special meaning once you became a parent. No longer did you only have to look out for yourself, but you now had your precious child to care for and protect. As your students become adults, we hope they continue to practice safe habits and remember all the advice they received from their families and loved ones.

At Emory the safety of our community members is a priority. Through the Center for Emergency Preparedness and Response (CEPAR), collaborations occur with law enforcement (both local and on campus), medical professionals, and student affairs staff to plan for emergency and crisis situations. We work together to consider all aspects of safety in our Emory community. If you would like more information, including information about emergency notifications, please go to: http://emergency.emory.edu/just-in-time/emergency-notification/index.html

If you have any questions, suggestions, or inquiries regarding family programs or Emory, please email: family@emory.edu

Hail the Gold & Blue!

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NEWS UPDATES
As semester starts, Campus Life Center construction advances on schedule

The Campus Life Center is becoming a reality. Visitors to campus will notice a large construction site in the center of campus. In May 2019 it will be filled with an amazing facility to fit the needs of the Emory community.

Go here to view the video of the new Campus Life Center. For more information, contact Jessi Arnidis at jessi.arnidis@emory.edu.

Commencement Plans

Have you and your family begun making housing reservations for commencement? Look no further; the most convenient and affordable option is right here on campus. No need to worry about traffic, parking, and other commencement related delays; reservations begin Wednesday November 1, 2017.

Goizueta program helps small businesses get off the ground

Discover how Goizueta Business School continues to impact the community.

Emory receives record $628 million in external research funding for FY 2017

Scientific research continues to be a priority at Emory University. Read about the recent record-setting year for research.
SPORTS AND HEALTH PROMOTION

Emory sports teams continue to excel. To keep abreast of the latest news on Emory athletic teams, sign up for the Emory Athletics Newsletter at: http://www.emoryathletics.com/General/General_Releases/NewsletterSignup17

To follow your favorite teams and see features on individual team athletes on our website: http://www.emoryathletics.com/landing/index

Group fitness classes are available for all members of the Emory community: http://play.emory.edu/fitness_emory/group_classes2/index.html

The Office of Health Promotion offers resources for students to learn about and practice healthy behaviors. To read more: http://studenthealth.emory.edu/get_involved/request_materials.html

Student Health 101 magazine is another valuable resource: http://readsh101.com/go2emory-pp.html

CAREER CENTER CORNER

Underclassmen wanting to consider various careers can participate in a new shadowing program sponsored by the Career Center. The mandatory student orientation days are coming up soon. For more information: http://career.emory.edu/students/career_discovery_days/index.html

For more information about the Career Center check their website: http://www.career.emory.edu/
The current program guide is at:  
http://www.career.emory.edu/documents/events_workshops/cc_program_guide.pdf

In addition to the university Career Center, the Goizueta Business School and the Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing also have career services to serve Emory students.

BBA Career Management Center can be found at:  
http://goizueta.emory.edu/degree/undergraduate/career_management/

Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing Career Services can be found at:  
http://www.nursing.emory.edu/admission/career-services/index.html

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

One of the advantages of being in Atlanta is that your students participate in programs in the greater metropolitan community. Pianos for Peace was welcomed on campus this semester -  
http://pianosforpeace.org/.

Emory Cares Day is an opportunity to serve your community with Emory alums and students throughout the world. We invite family members to participate and be a part of this endeavor. Go here for more information.

The Office of International Student Life offers valuable resources and programs. Their newsletter is a great resource and can be viewed at:  
http://www.oisl.emory.edu/about/newsletter.html.

Information about other Campus Life departments that offer outstanding resources can be found at:  
QUESTIONS/ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

FAMILY WEEKEND

Mark your calendars: Family Weekend in conjunction with Emory Homecoming will be held October 20-22, 2017. Please register by clicking here. We hope to see you there!

IMPORTANT DATES

Dates for the close of residence halls: Fall 2017: Residence halls close December 14, 2017.

Dates for Spring 2018:

Jan 14 Residence Halls Reopen for Spring at 10 AM
Jan 15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - No Classes
Jan 17 First Day of Spring Semester Classes
Mar 12 - 16 Spring Recess - No Classes; Residence Halls Open
Apr 30 Classes End
May 1 - 9 Final Exam Period*
May 10 Non-Graduating Students Must Vacate Residence Halls by Noon*
May 14 Commencement
May 15 Residence Halls Close at 2 PM*

WEBSITE/CONTACT

Our website is http://www.family.emory.edu/. You can also contact us at Emory University, Emory Campus Life, Parent & Family Programs at family@emory.edu or 404-727-7190.

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