Transitions:
Your Guide to the
First Year
Parent & Family Programs works to provide you the resources needed to help you and your student succeed throughout the first year and beyond.

- Communication
- Events & Programming
- Partnership
Communication

With our website http://parents.uark.edu.
We have incorporated key components that aid in the transition process for both you and your student.
• First Year Parents
  • After Orientation Checklist
  • Orientation Presentations
• Parent Resources
  • General FAQ’s
  • Academic Calendar
• Budget Sheet
• Visit U of A
Communication

E-newsletters are an essential way to stay informed about what’s happening on campus and learn more about your student’s experience at the University of Arkansas.

To sign up to receive our Razorback Parent e-Newsletters, visit http://parents.uark.edu.
Events & Programming

Throughout the year we offer a variety of events to keep you involved and connected to your student.

Family Weekend 2016
September 15 – 18

Spring Family Reunion
April 2017

Visit http://parents.uark.edu for event details.
Registration opens July 25 (PPAC) & 27 (GP)
Regional Parents Clubs provide an opportunity for parents to connect with other parents to build a support system through social, school, and service based events hosted in close proximity to their homes.

- Dallas/Ft. Worth, Texas
- Houston, Texas
- Kansas City, Missouri
- Little Rock, Arkansas
- Memphis, Tennessee
- Northwest Arkansas
- St. Louis, Missouri
- Tulsa, Oklahoma
Partnership

The Parent Partnership Association is an organization dedicated to helping parents/guardians support their student’s success at the U of A.

General Membership:
• Monthly Razorback Parent e-Newsletters
• Parent Hotline/e-mail
• Access to events including
• Family Weekend, Spring Family Reunion, and Regional Parents Clubs
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Cardinal Membership ($55 per family):
- PPA Book Scholarship opportunity for your student
- 10% Discount on Family Weekend Packages
- Early Registration for Family Weekend
- 10% discount at the University Bookstore (excludes textbooks)
- Proud Razorback Parent Car Decal
- PPA Tote Bag
- Customized Parent ID Card
- Parent Discount Card (national hotel and care rental companies)
- $2.00 off lunch or dinner at Campus Dining Halls

To register, visit http://parents.uark.edu
Letters From Home is a program that gives you the opportunity to send your student words of encouragement at the beginning of the semester.

Visit [http://parents.uark.edu](http://parents.uark.edu) and write your student a letter! *Letters will be sent out the first 2 weeks of class.*

Include the following information:
- Full Name (first, middle, last)
- Residence Hall Address (PMB 0000)
- Student ID # (000000000)
Staying Connected…

The **New Beginnings Calendar** is produced by our office to keep you informed about important campus dates and resources that can assist you and your student at the university.

Calendars are $15. Also available online at [http://parents.uark.edu](http://parents.uark.edu) for $17 (includes shipping).