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Villanova University and New Student Orientation will continue to send VU101 emails throughout the summer to keep you updated on important information and help prepare for your arrival. To view past emails, please visit the [New Student Orientation website](#).

New Student Orientation App: Villanova University Guides

For up-to-date information about Orientation, including schedules, severe weather locations, maps and more, [we highly recommend using our free app!](#) Once downloaded, you will have the details of Orientation right in the palm of your hand. Additionally, we encourage you to accept push notifications as this will create a pop-up alert on your phone if we need to make a last-minute change due to weather.

To download the app:

- Go to the App Store
- Search “Villanova University Guides”
- Download and enable push notifications

Move-In and Orientation Guide and Move-In Day Hangtag

Villanova's Move-In and Orientation Guide has been sent in the mail and will be arriving at your permanent address shortly. This publication includes a hangtag you will need to access your residence hall item drop-off area on Move-In Day; please bring this hangtag with you when you come to campus on Friday, Aug. 18. *Please note: If you do not receive your hangtag prior to leaving for campus, use our [Move-In Map](#) to proceed to the designated arrival location for your residence hall on Move-In Day, and a hangtag will be provided to you by Public Safety at that location.*

Name Pronunciation Software

Members of the Villanova community can visit [MyMediasite](#) to record the correct pronunciation of their names and share links with faculty, staff and peers. Many students will add this helpful link to the signature line of their emails.

The Refectory: Villanova's On-Campus Restaurant

Located in The Commons, The Refectory is Villanova's only on-campus restaurant and is open seven days a week for lunch, happy hour, dinner and weekend brunch. Award-winning Chef Biff Gottehrer serves up classic American fare with a refined twist: homemade pasta, raw bar, and one of the best burgers on the Main Line. Check out the full menu and make reservations at www.refectorynova.com.

Villanova University and New Student Orientation are looking forward to welcoming you to campus. If you have additional questions regarding Orientation, please contact us at orientation@villanova.edu, and follow us on Instagram at [@NovaOrientation](https://www.instagram.com/NovaOrientation).

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