



Welcome to the L&C Buzz

Hi, new student!

The Buzz is a weekly email series focused on the important information you need to know as a new student at Lewis & Clark. Every message will include reminders about the tasks you need to complete this summer on the [New Student Checklist](#), information about life at L&C, and advice from a current student.

Before you read any further, enroll in our [Moodle course](#) so you can keep track of your progress on important tasks all summer long!

P.S. Curious why this email is called the Buzz? It's because our [student-led Bee Garden](#) is a signature spot on our campus and a fun part of our school's identity. We can't wait for you to see it in person in August!

First up: New Student Trips!



These trips are a fun and adventurous way to get settled into the community at L&C. There are two types of trips: **outdoor adventures** and **Portland-based experiences**. The Pacific Northwest has a lot to offer, and we love sharing what we are lucky enough to call our backyard!

The **registration lottery** closes **this Wednesday, May 14, at 9 a.m. PDT**. Space on these trips is limited, and some choices are very popular, so assignments are based on a lottery system that takes into account your preferences. After Wednesday, registrations and placements are first-come, first-served, based on remaining availability. Registration (including waitlist registration) closes on Wednesday, July 31.

[NST Registration Lottery](#)

Checklist Reminders

- Enroll in the New Student Summer Checklist Moodle course
- Submit emergency contact information
- Submit final high school transcript to Admissions
- Request AP/IB scores (if applicable)
- Start the residential accommodation process (if applicable)

[New Student Checklist](#)

Advice From a Current Student



“Go on a New Student Trip! They have many different locations and activities to choose from with financial aid available. I went on one, even though I was on the more doubtful side of it, but it turned out to be the best week ever.”

[May Rah BA '28](#)

Sneak Peek

Next week we will touch on living on campus, the housing application, and residential accommodations.

We'll connect again soon!

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