



This e-newsletter is sent to the families of current Elon students by the Office of Parent Engagement.

Residence Life Move-out Information

Residence halls will close Wednesday, May 18, at 10 a.m. and on-campus apartments will close Tuesday, May 31, at 10 a.m. Students should pack and be ready to move all of their belongings by those dates.

To arrange a late checkout, outside of these dates, students can request an extension for urgent matters through their self-service account.

All students will receive information from their Residence Life about returning keys, cleaning their room and other check out procedures. To avoid damage charges, it is important for students to review the [End of Year Closing Information](#) page and understand damage billing policies.

Commencement 2022

The 132nd Commencement Exercises is Friday, May 20, 2022.

Two ceremonies for the Undergraduate Class of 2022 will take place in Schar Center.

- **9 a.m.** — Diploma ceremony for the Martha and Spencer Love School of Business and the School of Communications
- **2 p.m.**— Diploma ceremony for the Dr. Jo Watts Williams School of Education and Elon College, The College of Arts and Sciences



All guests attending ceremonies inside Schar Center on May 20 will require an admission ticket. A link to request tickets will be emailed to candidates on Tuesday, April 19. The period for participating candidates to request tickets is Wednesday, April 20 at 9 a.m. to Monday, April 25 at 11:59 p.m. If any tickets remain after the initial request period, participating candidates may request one (1) additional guest ticket to their designated ceremony. [More information is available here.](#)

Families can pre-order ceremony photographs or flowers for their graduates [here](#). Other commemorative merchandise, including class rings, yearbooks and graduation announcements [are also available](#).

Mail Services

Students who will be graduating or leaving campus for the summer will need to update their address directly with any company or subscription they may have. University addresses are not eligible for auto-forwarding through the USPS. If a student will be staying at Elon over the summer, they will need to complete the Mail Services Summer Address Notification Form in OnTrack to let us know they will be here to pick up their mail and packages.

The form will be available starting in April, and we recommend it be completed by May 31 for continuity of service.

Please note the following:

- It is important that addresses be changed with banks, credit cards, cell phone providers, magazines and other important places of business to ensure mail and packages are received after the semester ends.
- Students are strongly encouraged to begin this process as soon as possible, as some companies can take 4-6 weeks to process an address change.
- Graduating seniors have through the end of May to update their address. Items received after May 31 will be returned to the sender.

- If a current student does not complete the form, any mail or packages received after May 31 will be returned to the sender.

Questions? Visit the [website](#), call 336-278-5433 or email mailservices@elon.edu.

Between The Oaks - Episode 4



The fourth episode of [Between the Oaks](#), the new video series from the Office of Parent Engagement, is now available for viewing. [Episode 4](#) features Eric Hall, Professor of Exercise Science, Faculty Athletics Representative and future Director of Undergraduate Research.

Episode 5 will debut soon and features Melanie Bullock Harris from the Center for Leadership. Stay tuned to our [Facebook page](#) for an announcement of the release date for Episode 5.

Storage Scholars

Storage Scholars is an approved moving, storage & shipping partner of Elon University. They hire and train fellow Elon students to do all the moving on-campus! See their ["How it Works" video](#) and [check out their website](#) to learn more!

Barnes & Noble at Elon University



[Barnes & Noble at Elon University](#) is your on-campus source to buy textbooks, school supplies, spirit wear or the perfect gift for any occasion.

Summer Textbooks: Orders can be placed a month prior to the start of classes. If your student is enrolled in a class that directs them to “Go to Class First,” the materials are included as part of the First Day program with the charge placed on your student financial account and materials are provided through Moodle on the first day of class. Read [here](#) for more information on this program.

Click [here](#) for information on our price matching program.

Please visit the [website](#) for additional information, hours of operation and online ordering.

Phoenix Card Services

The Phoenix Card is an all-in-one card that allows students, staff and faculty to purchase meals at dining halls, gain access to campus buildings, check out books at the Belk Library and so much more!

Graduating Seniors: If your student has a balance over \$25 in Phoenix Cash and/or Food Dollars following Commencement they will receive a refund via check to the address on file by the middle of June. Phoenix Cards will be deactivated the week following Commencement.

Please visit the [website](#) for more information on hours, local partners, check deposits and more.

If you have questions, please contact Phoenix Card Services at 336-278-5436 or phoenixcard@elon.edu.

SPDC Update

[The Student Professional Development Center](#) continues to serve as an essential resource for students and alumni as they set and achieve their career goals. Throughout the summer, our career advising staff is available for in-person and virtual appointments with students and alumni. Please encourage your student to schedule an appointment through the [Elon Job Network](#).

If your student is seeking a summer internship, there are over 300 internship on the Elon Job Network. If your student is graduating next month, there are over 400 jobs on the Elon Job Network for your student to consider. All students have access to this resource, which is available 24/7.

SPDC tips on how your student can continue their professional development this summer:

- Conduct informational interviews with alumni
- Create and/or update their LinkedIn profile
- Review SPDC online resources and update resume with summer job/internship information (if applicable)
- Make an appointment with an advisor in the SPDC to discuss career goals

If you or your organization is seeking interns or entry-level applicants, please contact careerservices@elon.edu. We look forward to sharing your opportunities with our students.

Please [contact the SPDC](#) if you have any questions.

The Inn at Elon

For your next stay at The Inn at Elon, book the Bed & Breakfast Package to start your morning right! This package includes 10% off accommodations and breakfast for two at The Mark at Elon. To learn more or make a reservation, visit [The Inn at Elon](#).



For those who want to make breakfast the highlight of the day, Weekend Brunch is coming to The Mark at Elon! Starting May 1, 2022, enjoy a fresh and filling start to your weekend at The Mark with hearty brunch classics and delicious libations. Brunch will be served from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. To learn more or make a reservation, visit [The Mark at Elon](#).

Elon Dining

Keep up with all things Elon Dining on our digital channels! News about ordering upcoming Commencement picnic baskets, along with great digital cooking content from our talented chefs will soon be featured on our website and social media channels. For this content and more, you can follow us on social media here: [Instagram](#) | [Facebook](#) | [Twitter](#), and check out [our website](#) and our [family email list!](#)

Airport Shuttle Service

Does your student need a ride to the airport to head home for summer? Shuttles are available from the Moseley Center on May 13, 16, 17 and 18. The deadline to sign up is May 3.

You can reserve a seat now using [this link](#).

Important Upcoming Dates

See the [2021-22 academic calendar](#) and the [university's cultural calendar](#) for upcoming event dates. You can also see a [full listing of on-](#)

[campus events](#) on the [Today at Elon website](#).

Below, we've highlighted dates that may be of interest to you and your student:

April 26: SURF Day - No Classes

May 11: Reading Day

May 12-17: Examinations

May 20: Commencement



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