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## **Prepare For Move In and Fall Welcome Week**

This video is all about your upcoming Move-In day and Fall Welcome Week. For more information on what to bring, please refer to our "How to Pack for College" video.

It is easy to become overwhelmed by the excitement of Move-In day. To make sure it goes as smoothly as possible, here are a few reminders: Pay close attention to all of the information you will receive from your affiliated college. This includes the date and time of your Move-In, as well as any upcoming deadlines.

Although we recognize Move-In as a special day for students and families, try not to make it into a "family day." Not only is this your first day to explore the independence of being a UCSC student, but it will also be packed full of fun activities specific to you and your college-mates. Spend time with your family the day before your move-in day, since you will not have time to spend with them on the day of.



And when you arrive to your Move-In day, follow all directions and instructions that are given to you. A well-trained group of college staff and student volunteers will be there to assist you throughout the process and answer any questions you may have.

Move-In day is just the beginning of a week-long series of events, presentations, and info sessions for new students that we call "Fall Welcome Week". Many of these programs will be MANDATORY and can affect your enrollment for Winter quarter if you do not attend.

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The Residential Assistants (RAs) or Neighborhood Assistants (NAs) at your college will be there to guide you to these events, as well as host separate events that will encourage you to get to know your fellow slugs. If you are unable to attend your scheduled Move-In day or any part of Fall Welcome Week, make sure to contact your college's Housing Coordinator in advance.



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