

OUR PARTNERS IN SUCCESS

Dear Colleague,

Nearly 34,000 students from around the world call NC State home. We offer an engaging campus with immense resources, competitive athletics, and hundreds of opportunities for student engagement, as well as small learning environments that encourage collaboration and research. Likewise, the city of Raleigh is consistently ranked as one of the best places in the nation to live and work and was recently named the Best Big City in the Southeast.

As you'll see in our First Year Facts, we enroll students committed to academic excellence, leadership, and service. The entering class of 2017 saw 206 Valedictorians and Salutatorians. An overwhelming majority of the 4,725 students representing the first-year class were ranked in the top 20% of their high school class. NC State continues to attract and enroll the best and brightest students and we know that counselors play an instrumental role in fostering and supporting this kind of distinction in your students.

At NC State, we are very appreciative of the hard work and dedication you bring to our profession. Our goal is to ensure that you have the resources you need as you help your students navigate the admissions process. From scheduling a tour to choosing the right-fit college, we know that you are with your students every step of the way. We've recently redesigned our website and hope that you take advantage of the details we've provided about our application and review process. Check everything out at <https://admissions.ncsu.edu/high-school-counselors/>.

We all look forward to working with you and your students this year. If you ever have questions, feel free to reach out to me directly at sarah_overman@ncsu.edu.

Best wishes!



Sarah Overman

Assistant Director, High School Counselor Liaison

COUNSELOR CONNECTION 2017-2018

wolfPAW - STUDENTS' ONE-STOP APPLICATION PORTAL

Once a student has applied to NC State, a wolfPAW account will be created for them - this is the place for your students to see any missing items and view their decision. Make sure your students are checking their email accounts frequently; our office will communicate with them throughout the admissions process via the email listed on their application.

<https://wolfpaw.ncsu.edu>

GROUP VISITS

The best way for you and your students to get a feel for NC State is to visit campus – students, families, and counselors can sign up for a campus visit on our website. We also welcome you to schedule a group visit if you would like to bring your high school students to campus. Submit the group visit request form at <https://admissions.ncsu.edu/visit/schedule-your-visit/> at least 2 months prior to your preferred visit date.

COUNSELOR RESOURCES

Our goal is to ensure that you have the resources you need to connect with us and help guide your students as they research colleges, submit their application, and ultimately set foot on campus. Find information about our application process, our first-year class, and counselor events on our high school counselor website: <https://admissions.ncsu.edu/high-school-counselors/>.

We also offer a bi-monthly email to keep you informed throughout the school year. Ensure you're getting the most up-to-date information and resources by submitting the contact form online at <https://admissions.ncsu.edu/connect-with-us>.

Pack on the Prowl

Is your high school hosting a college fair? Let us know by emailing packontheprowl@ncsu.edu. Even if one of our admissions counselors is unable to attend an event, a member of our Pack Partners alumni volunteer group may be able to assist.

You can keep up with where we'll be this fall by checking out our Pack on the Prowl events page:

<https://go.ncsu.edu/packontheprowl>

We look forward to connecting with you and your students while we're out on the road!