

Hello, Class of 2024!

I would like to formally welcome you to UVA! I know that this would not be what you thought of when you originally applied to college, but I know that your creativity will empower you to create everlasting memories during the next four years. As a fellow Hoo, we are excited for you to join the world of UVA!

Something that I remember when I first came onto grounds was the endless possibilities to meet new people. I was so excited about going into the career fair thinking of only joining one club, and then signing up for 50+ more. My UVA email exploded with endless messages of warm welcome. I was so excited and joined a couple. While I have not remained active in some of them, I still have the same friends from UVA that will be there for me whenever I need. I just was happy to build strong lasting friendships, as I know that you will too! It has been such a good couple of years making friends with other Hoos.

I encourage you to push yourself to find new things during your time at college. Try new clubs and reach out virtually to new people. I'm confident that you will find something at UVA, and you will find your home at UVA. I wish you the very best during this year and I hope you stay safe!

Go Hoos!

Sincerely,

A friend from the Class of 2021