

Hello, Class of 2024!

Welcome to UVA! While it's definitely not an ideal semester, your first semester will definitely be memorable! Whether you're on Grounds or at home, I hope you're adjusting well to your classes and making the most of your time as a UVA student however you can. Once things get back to normal, you'll have the best time fully experiencing UVA.

One of my favorite things about UVA is how willing everyone is to help. From asking upperclassmen about Pre-Comm courses and professors, to trying to figure out if I wanted to do Madison House Daycare or Adopt-a-Grandparent, I've always found that someone is willing to share their experiences and offer advice. This has really made an impact on me these last 4 years - I've definitely asked for lots of advice! I encourage you to do the same if you ever have a question or need guidance on anything, whether it's how to prepare for an interview or how to study for a test.

Try to push yourself to get involved in orgs you're interested in this semester! It's a great way to meet people (virtually) since we're all cooped up in dorms, houses, or apartments, and get some of that UVA experience from the comfort of your own place. I'm sure you'll find your place at UVA, picnic on The Lawn, and get to "enjoy" dining hall food soon! Good luck with the rest of your first semester - I am definitely very jealous you get 4 more years here!

Best,
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