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Invest in Your Future at Brooklyn College

Welcome to today’s open house!

A full day of activities has been planned to help you discover everything Brooklyn College can offer you. Review the tips below to help you get the most out of today’s events, then check out the program starting on page 3 for details.

If you need assistance at any time during the day, just stop by the Registration Table and ask a staff member wearing a Brooklyn College T-shirt.

• To learn about academic programs, be sure to attend one or more of our Exploring Academic Disciplines: The Classroom and Beyond events, hosted by our faculty, for both undergraduate and graduate students.

• Take a guided tour. Go on a walking tour of the campus or the library. Check out the Aquatic Research Environmental Assessment Center or the Speech and Hearing Center. Visit the Zooarchaeology and Archaeology Laboratories and take a look at the dinosaur track!

• Attend an information session to gain insights on financial aid, scholarships, honors programs, choosing a major, and career development and internships. There are workshops for both undergraduate and graduate students as well as for parents.

• Make sure you attend an information session on the application process, hosted by the Office of Admissions. Sessions are offered for freshman, transfer, and graduate students.

Where to Eat

Need to refuel? The on-campus Metropolitan Café on the lower level of Boylan Hall is open for your convenience from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Map

The map on the inside back cover of this booklet will help show you the way to all the events on campus today.
Tours

All tours start at the Registration Table.

Campus Walking Tour
Join a Brooklyn College student for a guided tour of the campus. Our guides will give you an inside look at a typical day at the College. Find out where students go to study, do research, and meet and socialize. Discover what the College has to offer from those who know best!

Zooarchaeology and Archaeology Laboratories—Bodies, Bones, and Stones Tour
The zooarchaeology lab is used to analyze the bones from animals and humans that lived in the past. It specializes in Viking-period sites in Iceland, Greenland, and Norway as well as urban sites in New York City. The archaeology lab specializes in the analysis of artifacts—glass, ceramic, stone—in order to find out more about the life of early New Yorkers. Morning tours will stop at the dinosaur track.

Aquatic Research Environmental Assessment Center (AREAC) Tour
Check out this fifteen-thousand-square-foot research center dedicated to basic and applied studies of aquatic organisms and the environments they inhabit. From sending fish into space to studying aquatic life in Jamaica Bay, AREAC will introduce you to crustaceans, fish, mollusks, and all sorts of life beneath the sea.

Speech and Hearing Center Tour
You’ll have something to talk about after visiting this complex of sound-treated rooms. The center allows students the opportunity to observe diagnosis and treatment of clients with communication disorders in observation rooms with one-way-vision windows, recording and videotape equipment, and soundproof, double-audiometric booths containing state-of-the-art audiological instruments.

Library Tour
Renovated and expanded in 2002, the library is now technologically the most advanced in the City University of New York. This tour will introduce you to the library’s facilities, including the many computer stations and the comfortable seating and study areas.
Program

9:15 a.m.
Registration

10 a.m.
Information Sessions

How to Begin Your Investment Plan: The Admission Process
For first-time investors: Freshmen
Jefferson Williams Lounge, 4th Floor, Student Center
How do I apply? When will I be notified of an admission decision? What programs are offered?
Attend this presentation by an admissions counselor and have your important questions answered.

For individuals transferring their investment
Alumni Lounge, 4th Floor, Student Center
Ready to transfer to Brooklyn College to complete your bachelor's degree? This presentation will provide the answers you need to understand the application process and admissions requirements.

For advanced investors: Graduates
Maroney-Leddy Lounge, 4th Floor, Student Center
Interested in applying to graduate school? Attend this session to learn about degree and nondegree study options and the application process.

For men and women starting their investment process later in life: Adults
Women's Center, 227 Ingersoll Hall Extension
If you are a returning or new student and have questions about college, attend this workshop that will address your concerns.

Making Your Initial Investment: For Accepted Undergraduate Students
Penthouse, 7th Floor, Student Center
When do I take my placement test? How and when do I register for classes? Will my transfer credits be accepted? Who can answer my questions about financial aid? What is "conditionally accepted"? This workshop will guide you through the enrollment process after you have been accepted.

How to Maximize Your Investment: The Challenge of Work—Preparing for Career Success
Magner Center for Career Development and Internships, 1303 James Hall
This workshop will explore the relationship between academic and career decisions as life choices for all students. Get an inside look into the future employment market and the importance of internships and academic preparation to career success. Learn how our full-service career center can benefit you!
Your Investment Budget: Financial Aid and Scholarships
*Bedford Lounge, 2nd Floor, Student Center*

Wondering how you are going to pay for college? How you can apply for scholarships? This workshop will provide you with basic information about the financial assistance available to you.

Additional Options for High Investors: Honors Academy, Coordinated Engineering, and CUNY Honors College *(undergraduate students only)*
*Honors Academy, 2231 Boylan Hall*

This session will introduce you to the many honors programs that Brooklyn College offers for high-achieving students.

Profitable Returns When Investing in the Medical Field: The B.A.-M.D. Program and Pre-Med *(undergraduate students only)*
*Honors Academy, 2231 Boylan Hall*

Part of the Brooklyn College Honors Academy, the B.A.-M.D. Program is designed to produce physicians who are well educated not only in science but in the humanities and social sciences as well. This session will give you the details of the program and its requirements as well as its benefits.

Today’s Investment for Tomorrow’s Lawyers *(undergraduate students only)*
*1411 Boylan Hall*

Planning to go to law school? This session describes the support and preparation the pre-law program offers.

Invest in Science…Just in CASE
*Amersfort Room, 2nd Floor, Student Center*

Stipends, tutoring, academic advising, individualized attention, community workspace, and dedicated, well-informed staff are just some of the payoffs you get when you join one of the many science programs at Brooklyn College’s Center for Achievement in Science Education (CASE). Join us for an exciting session on the many careers and scholarship opportunities available to students interested in the sciences.

Investing in Foreign Studies: Study Abroad Programs
*State Lounge, 5th Floor, Student Center*

With a choice of numerous programs in China, France, India, Spain, and other nations around the world, Brooklyn College students become internationally savvy while earning college credit. Get the details on how to become a citizen of the world in this session.

Exploring Academic Disciplines: The Classroom and Beyond
See insert for information sessions.

**Tours**

Campus Walking Tour
Library Tour
Zooarchaeology and Archaeology Laboratories Tour and Dinosaur Track

*For details on tours, see page 2.*
10:30 a.m.
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10:50 a.m.
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Parent Investment Workshops (parents of freshmen only)
Occidental Lounge, 5th Floor, Student Center
Parents play an important role in their children’s college education. This session will provide the necessary tools to assist you in the college planning process.

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Successful Investors Speak about Their Returns from a Brooklyn College Education

Gold and Maroon Rooms, Student Center

Don’t miss this opportunity to learn how successful alumni profited from attending Brooklyn College. **Marge Magner,** ’69, former chairman and CEO of Global Consumer Group, Citigroup, and chairman, Brooklyn College Foundation; **Myron Kandel,** ’52, founding financial editor, CNN; president, New Hampshire Initiative for Corporate Responsibility and Investor Protection; and trustee, Brooklyn College Foundation; **Ella Weiss,** ’62, president, Brooklyn Arts Council, and board member, Flatbush Development Corporation, Brooklyn Information and Culture, Brooklyn Center for the Performing Arts at Brooklyn College, and Brooklyn College Alumni Association; **Lisette Nieves,** ’92, 1990 Truman Scholar; 1992 Rhodes Scholar; executive director, Year Up NYC; and former chief of staff to the commissioner for the Department of Youth and Community Development, City of New York; and **Brandon Bain,** ’04, journalist, New York Newsday; 2004 winner of the first Vanguard Alumni Scholarship; chairman, Millennium Alumni Affiliate; and board member, Brooklyn College Alumni Association, will share their insights and experiences. Discover how they got there from right here!

1:25 p.m.
Lunch/Information Tables

Boylan Hall Cafeteria

Enjoy some lunch and visit our information tables, where departmental representatives are waiting to answer your questions.

- Admissions
  - Freshman
  - Transfer
  - Graduate
- Financial Aid and Scholarships (Bedford Lounge, 2nd Floor, Student Center)
- Career Services and Internships
- Honors Academy
- Center for Achievement in Science Education
- Personal Counseling and Housing Referral
- Athletics
- Student Life
- Alumni
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2:15 p.m.

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