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# Be unique. Be *Guilford.*

On 349 wooded acres in Greensboro, we teach twelve students at a time — and we have for 189 years. Come find your people, your purpose, and your path.

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## Where do you fit at Guilford?

Four ways in — pick the one that's you.

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Apply, visit, majors, aid & the Commitment.
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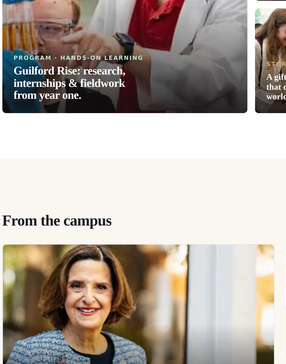
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## A 189-year experiment in teaching twelve students at a time.

Small classes, big questions, and hands-on learning that starts in year one. Guilford graduates leave for Fulbrights, NASA Langley, the Peace Corps, and graduate schools across the country — carrying a Quaker sense of purpose with them.

Discover Guilford

## Explore Guilford

Programs & stories →

PROGRAM · HANDS-ON LEARNING
**Guilford Rise: research, internships & fieldwork from year one.**

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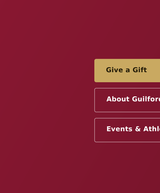
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**40+ majors & 50+ minors — find your program.**

## From the campus

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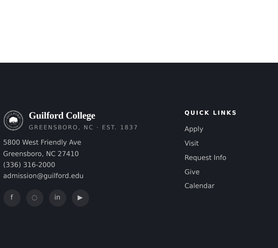
NEWS · JUNE 2026
**Leading and listening: President Bordewich on Guilford's renewal.**
The June magazine's cover story — a year of listening, hard choices, and a Quaker college finding its footing again, told through the president's own words.

STUDENT RESEARCH
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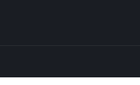
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STUDENT FEATURES
**Made Their Mark 2026: where the Eleven are headed.**

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Your gift — of any size — supports financial aid, faculty research, and the 189-year experiment of teaching twelve students at a time. Alumni and friends power it all, and there's a place for you in the community you help sustain.

**$1.286M**
raised in 36 hours during Guilford Madness

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**What's happening, week by week.** →

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**See the 349 wooded acres for yourself.** →



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ADMISSION & AID

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Start Your Application · Estimate Your Aid · Visit

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Tour campus, sit in on a class, and meet your counselor. Can't travel? Take the virtual tour.
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Estimate Your Aid · How to Apply for Aid

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**$20K+** average merit scholarship

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## Common questions

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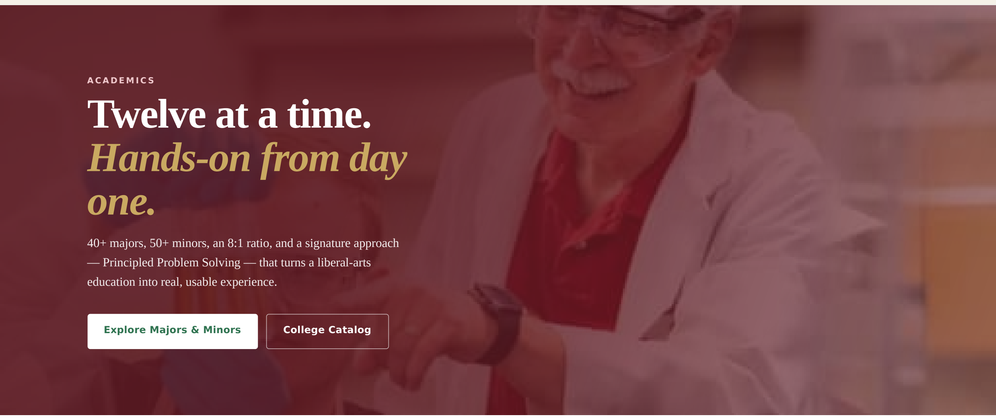

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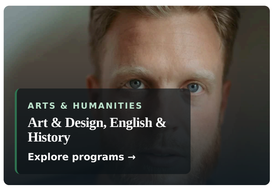

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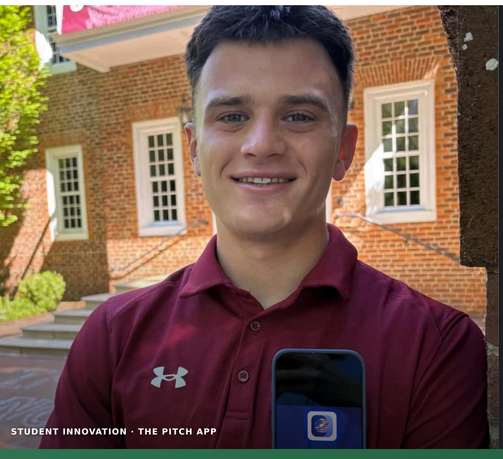

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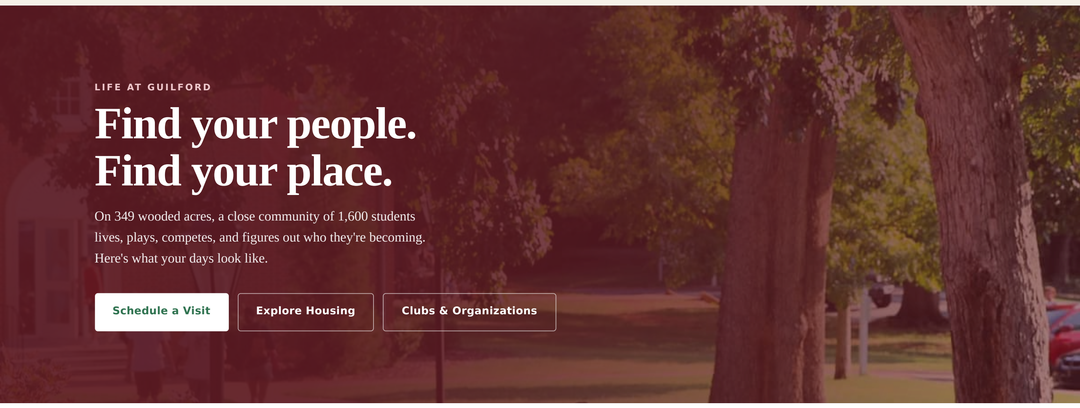

LIFE AT GUILFORD

# Find your people. Find your place.

On 349 wooded acres, a close community of 1,600 students lives, plays, competes, and figures out who they're becoming. Here's what your days look like.

Schedule a Visit | Explore Housing | Clubs & Organizations

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YOUR EVERYDAY

## What life here looks like

All of student life →

LIVE HERE

### Housing & Residence Life

Residence halls, themed communities & first-year living.

Explore housing →

BELONG HERE

### 90+ clubs & organizations

From Model UN to a cappella — or start your own.

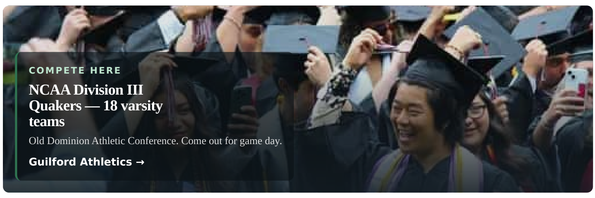
Find your club →

EAT HERE

### Dining & the Grill

Fresh, local & flexible meal plans.

See dining →

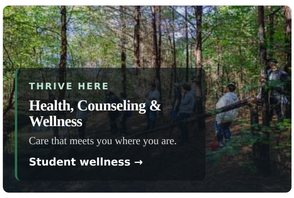


COMPETE HERE

### NCAA Division III Quakers — 18 varsity teams

Old Dominion Athletic Conference. Come out for game day.

Guilford Athletics →



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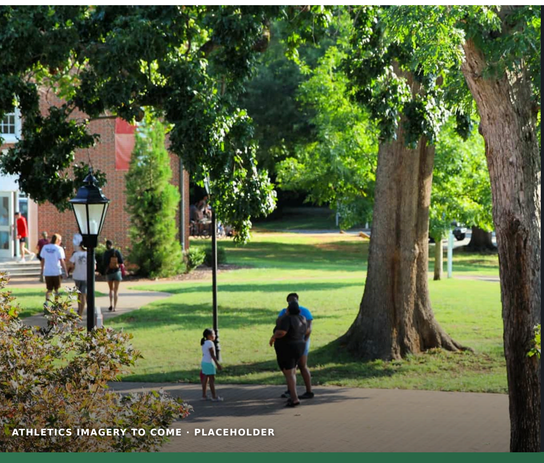
### Health, Counseling & Wellness

Care that meets you where you are.

Student wellness →




QUAKER PRIDE

## Small college. Serious spirit.

Eighteen NCAA Division III teams, a historic rivalry, and a student body that shows up. Whether you're on the field or in the stands, game day is a Guilford tradition.

- 18 varsity teams in the ODAC
- Club & intramural sports for everyone
- The Ragan-Brown Field House & wooded trails
- Guilford Madness — the spirit weekend

Guilford Athletics ↗

**90+** Clubs & organizations

**18** NCAA DIII varsity teams

**1,600** Students, one community

**349** Acres to call home

## The best way to feel it is to be here.

Tour campus, stay overnight, catch a game, and meet the people who'll become your people. Visits run year-round.

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At Guilford, you'll find your people. Connections, not crowds. Small classes, not lecture halls. Professors who know your name — and see how to lift your talents to the next level. Here, you're free to be yourself, and you're free to find yourself.

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Guilford Team Research, Internships & Fieldwork, from your senior year



Academics, College, grads who date Quaker alum, and the works.



A gift of gratitude that lives inside the change you've chosen on the world.

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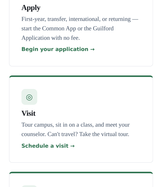
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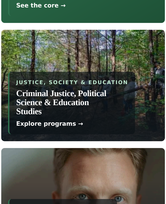

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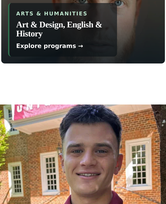

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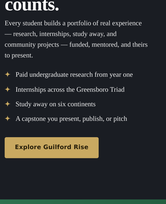

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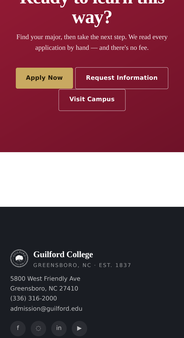

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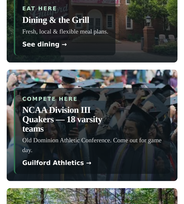

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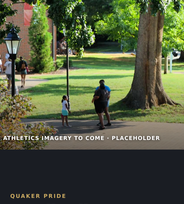

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Fresh, local & flexible meal plans.
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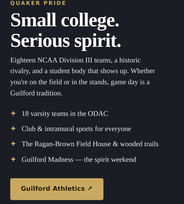

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**NCAA Division III Quakers — 18 varsity teams**
Old Dominion Athletic Conference. Come out for game day.
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Care that meets you where you are.
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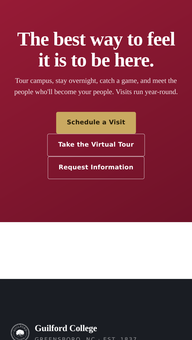

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QUAKER PRIDE

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Eighteen NCAA Division III teams, a historic rivalry, and a student body that shows up. Whether you're on the field or in the stands, game day is a Guilford tradition.

- 18 varsity teams in the ODAC
- Club & intramural sports for everyone
- The Ragan-Brown Field House & wooded trails
- Guilford Madness — the spirit weekend

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**90+**
Clubs & organizations

**18**
NCAA DIII varsity teams

**1,600**
Students, one community

**349**
Acres to call home

## The best way to feel it is to be here.

Tour campus, stay overnight, catch a game, and meet the people who'll become your people. Visits run year-round.

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