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Dear Future Families of the National War College Class of 2026:

Whether you're brand new to Northern Virginia or already have a connection here, we're so excited for the journey ahead.

As President and Advisor of National War College Spouse and Partner's Club, we want to personally invite you to jump in, get connected, and make the most of all the wonderful opportunities here. Trust us — your experience will be richer for it!

## Get Involved!

We have so many ways for families to plug in — from volunteering for **NWC Spouse and Partner's Club** to help out with Oktoberfest. You can also join groups like **SpICE** to meet culturally minded folks that deepens international camaraderie through unique experiences and international potlucks!

## Want to Learn More?

## **Tips for a Great Start**

- Request a Name Tag Today! It makes it so much easier to connect with other families (and we *love* putting names to faces!).
- Attend Orientation! Mark your calendar (and receive your nametag) at Orientation it's one of the best ways to hit the ground running and meet your new friends.
- Your student will be busy... Take it upon yourself to stay informed! Make sure you're on our email list by contacting <a href="https://www.nwcspclub@gmail.com">wwcspclub@gmail.com</a>. (Subject: Email me please, Body: My attending student's name is [Student First and Last Name.])

This is a time of new beginnings, and we hope you'll dive in with both feet. The more you engage, the more rewarding your experience will be — and remember, you are now a part of a warm and welcoming community that's here to support one another.

We can't wait to meet you!

With excitement,

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