A three-day weekend retreat alongside 250 other incoming first years is the perfect way to jump start any student’s collegiate career. Recognizing strength through diversity, Dawg Camp Discovery grants participants the opportunity to learn about leadership and campus involvement, as well as UGA history and traditions.

Take a look at what students have to say about Dawg Camp Discovery:

“Dawg Camp Discovery 2014 kick-started my college career. It helped me learn about myself, others and UGA. Dawg Camp is my family and my home, and I don’t know where I would be without it.”

- Janine Kfouri, Dawg Camp Discovery 2014 participant

“For me, Dawg Camp didn’t just change my life. It has continued to grow me and shape me far beyond the camp weekend. If you’re looking for friends and mentors, that will challenge you to be better DC is #tptb.”

- Jordan Calhoun, Dawg Camp Discovery 2015-2016 counselor

“I heard about Dawg Camp in high school and just didn’t believe the hype. When I got to campus though, it seemed like I was the only person that didn’t go. Everyone I knew, knew three times the amount of people than they did before coming in—just because they went to Discovery.”

- Daniella Ramírez, Dawg Camp 2016 Director of Media and Operations
DC Discovery 2016 Tentative Sample Schedule

Friday, July 29, 2016

12:00 p.m. | camper check-in and welcome | athens, ga
1:00 p.m. | small group meeting 1* | athens, ga
2:45 p.m. | travel to FFA Center | covington, ga
6:00 p.m. | dinner, FFA welcome, guest speaker, color group meeting**
10:00 p.m. | bonfire

Saturday, July 30, 2016

7:30 a.m. | breakfast, morning energizer, team building
10:00 a.m. | color group meeting with UGA Namesake
11:00 a.m. | UGA Namesake Q&A
12:00 p.m. | lunch and trivia
2:00 p.m. | Dawg Camp 2016 Olympics
4:00 p.m. | shaving cream fight
6:00 p.m. | dinner
7:30 p.m. | diversity awareness
10:00 p.m. | space jamboree dance

Sunday, July 31, 2016

7:30 a.m. | breakfast and morning energizer
11:30 a.m. | get plugged in panels
1:00 p.m. | lunch and closing ceremonies
3:00 p.m. | travel back to UGA | athens, ga

*Throughout the week, small group meetings and activities take place with frequency but will not be noted past this point.

**Like small group meetings, color group meetings also occur with frequency throughout the weekend but will not be noted past this point. A detailed schedule will be sent to students upon registration for their designated camp.

Program Dates: July 29-31, 2016
Program Cost: $190; includes lodging, meals, activities and transportation

The outlined schedule is not concrete and is subject to change. For any other questions regarding Discovery 2016, please contact dawgcamp@uga.edu.