Welcome to Rutgers Day
Rutgers University–Newark delivers the academic heft you’d expect from a powerhouse public research university like Rutgers – all right here in North Jersey. And we focus that energy—in teaching, research, and civic engagement! Whether you’re a first-time guest or a frequent visitor, we invite you to get to know our great university and have some fun along the way!

Check out our mobile-friendly website: rutgersday.rutgers.edu/content/newark

General Information & Map Key

Information Tents
Your destination for questions, directions, campus maps, first aid requests, and other assistance.

Parking
Rutgers lots designated on the map are open and free.

First Aid and Emergency Services
Assistance is available at the information tents as well as from Rutgers Day staff and public safety personnel. Emergency phones are located throughout our campus. Call the Rutgers Police at 973-353-5111 or dial 911.

Lost Persons and Items
Immediately report a lost person to the nearest information tent or to any Rutgers Day staff member in a neon green or neon orange T-shirt. You can also call the Rutgers Police at 973-353-5111. Report or bring lost items to the nearest information tent.

Restrooms
Restrooms are available in all buildings open for Rutgers Day. (Open buildings indicated in blue on map.)

Dining
Food vendors are stationed throughout the campus.

Performance Stage
R Stage features premier entertainment all day long!

Alumni Weekend Programs
RUAA Scarlet Headquarters for alumni offers the opportunity to catch up with old friends, enjoy refreshments and activities, and get information about Alumni Weekend events. You can also pick up your class year button here and learn about alumni charter groups and ways you can become active in the alumni community.

Accessibility
Most Rutgers buildings (except historic buildings) are wheelchair accessible.

Photography and Videography
Photographs and videos taken at Rutgers Day may appear in our publications and website. By attending Rutgers Day, you grant Rutgers all rights to use these photos and videos in any medium and for all purposes that support the mission of the university. Please let our photographer or videographer know if you do not want your image taken.

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Algal Nutrient Uptake Competition
Attendees can compete in taking up as many nutrients as they can to demonstrate competition between different algal species and why studying their uptake strategies is important for the food web, our ocean, and the air we breathe. Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

Astrobiology: Planets on Earth
Visit us and try extracting DNA. Watch how instruments evaluate habitability of Icy Moon environments. Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

Become a Bird Watcher
Create a bird feeder from natural materials. Take it home to watch and identify the birds as they come to feed. Newark Environmental Sustainability Institute (NESI) and the Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

Brick City Bhangra Dance Team
Bhangra is a type of Indian folk dance that originated in Punjab, located in northern India. Check out Rutgers–Newark’s very own Bhangra dance team! Brick City Bhangra

Calling Gamers!
Join us for the best video game experience! A fully equipped gaming trailer with multiple screens! Office of Student Life and Leadership

Child Research Labs at Newark
Become a junior scientist through hands-on activities and fun games! Child Research Labs, Psychology Department

Color Me Calm
A mindful, relaxing activity—coloring. Explore family-friendly ways to relax and enjoy the moment! Rutgers University–Newark Counseling Center

Come Out and Play with Me!
Interactive fun for kids of all ages brought to you by CCLC (child care center). Institutional Planning and Operations, Economic Development Group

Eat Up!
Help stop food waste. For each empty plate, we will click a selfie and give out a brochure on the importance of food. School of Public Health

Fun and Games or Is It Learning?
We can’t tell! Challenge yourself in a variety of different games and walk away a winner! Prizes include candy, balloons, face painting, and popcorn. Academic Foundations Center

Fun-Filled Physics for Family and Friends!
Fun physics demonstrations and hands-on activities for kids of all ages to learn about the world around them and get excited about physics! NCAS Physics Department, Physics Club

Geologic Hazards: Earthquakes and Tsunami
Create mini earthquakes and generate tsunami waves to learn about the forces unleashed by these geologic phenomena. Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

Geophysics: Seeing the Unseen
Uncover Earth’s mysteries, learning about technologies that allow scientists to “see” under the ground. Rutgers Geophysical Society

Give Back with Summer Session!
Let’s gear up for Summer Session by giving back! We have teamed up with The Pantry RUN to host a food drive to fight hunger on campus. Donate nonperishable food and receive a giveaway. Office of Summer and Winter Sessions

Going Green for Sustainable Development
Learn how to take local action to tackle this global issue. Promote the United Nation’s Sustainable Development goal of climate change. Rutgers University Association of International Relations

Health Is Wealth!
Be sure you are caring for your riches by getting FREE assessments and screenings. A team will be on call to answer any questions about our program. Community and Clinical Affairs, Rutgers Community Health Center–New Jersey Children’s Health Project

Is This Real?
Our virtual reality headsets use the latest technology to deliver a total immersion virtual reality experience. Strap on the headphones and be immediately transported to an alternate world! Office of Information Technology, Newark Computing Services

It’s a Bird! It’s a Plane! No! It’s Your Rutgers Super Heroes in Safety Patrol
Come meet and take a selfie with our very own Super Heroes in Safety Patrol. Participate in interactive activities, learn safety information, and receive a prize. Rutgers University Police Department

It’s a Family Affair
Blaze a scarlet trail to the alumni tent with your future Rutgers grad! Show your little ones that they too can be scarlet forever as they pose for fun photos in a Rutgers graduation cap and gown that’s just their size! Alumni Relations

Learn how the library is adopting user-centered services to better serve 21st-century Rutgers students, faculty and staff, and patrons from the community. Get tips on identifying fake news, test your knowledge of current events, or learn how to get involved in public affairs. John Cotton Dana Library, Rutgers University Libraries

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Jumpstart Your Mind and Body
Learn about our community initiatives that promote health, wellness, literacy, and early childhood learning. Jumpstart and learn about methods to promote healthy bodies and healthy minds. Office of University-Community Partnerships

Legos Rutgers—Newark
Recreate the campus with Lego building blocks while learning all about Rutgers—Newark! Office of Communications

Let’s Get Technical!
Explore the technical side of supply chain management. Business Association of Supply Expertise (BASE)

Meet Me in Bollywood
Get your henna designs on your hand and pose for a photo wearing authentic Indian clothing and jewelry. Indian Students Association

Meet Rutgers—Newark Dining Services
Nutrition demonstration and resources on how to eat healthy on campus and off. A Dining Services dietitian will be available for questions regarding nutrition as well as food allergies/special dietary concerns. Dining Services

Newark City Learning Collaborative (NCLC)
Learn about a citywide collaborative that seeks to expand Newark residents’ opportunities to complete college and obtain other high-quality credentials. Cornwall Center of Metropolitan Studies

Operation: Map It Out!
Your foot bone is connected to your leg bone! Learn about the human body by mapping out its parts. Minority Association of Pre-Health Students (MAPS)

Paint and Pin
Create your own pin-back buttons, have your face or hand painted, and find out more about the Paul Robeson Galleries’ exhibitions and programs. Paul Robeson Galleries

Particles in the Air
There are small particles, called aerosols, in the air around us at Newark as well as in far places such as Antarctica. These tiny particles affect our lives and affect the climate on the planet. We will show how these air particles look and how they work. Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

Playhouse: Fit for All Ages
Join the Health Promotion Division of Health Services (HPD) in exploring different dimensions of fitness. Some activities include: obstacle course, musical fun, arts and crafts, free prizes, and so much more! Health Services

R U a Dreamer?
Spin the prize wheel and learn more about the undocumented community. RU Dreamers

Records at Play: The Institute of Jazz@50
Did you know Rutgers–Newark is home to the largest archive of jazz memorabilia in the entire world? Come see Miles Davis’s trumpet along with many other treasures. Open 12 to 5 p.m., Paul Robeson Main Gallery, Hahne & Co., 54 Halsey Street. Institute of Jazz Studies, John Cotton Dana Library, Rutgers University Libraries

Rock the Vote
Become an engaged citizen and register to vote! Union of Rutgers Administrators-American Federation of Teachers

RGSNA Health Project
RGSNA will conduct free health screenings for common diseases affecting the Newark community. School of Nursing, Rutgers Graduate Student Nurses Association

Sustainable Geochemistry
See a demo of a reactor to make fertilizer from animal waste; learn how to make your own fertilizer from urine; learn about soil quality and how to test your garden soil. Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

Teeth Are Always in Style
Project Dental ALL members will provide dental facts through the means of colored eggs. Make your smile using sliced apples, marshmallows, and peanut butter. Project Dental ALL, Pre-Health

Social Justice and Validity
The School of Criminal Justice will provide a series of interactive activities across the criminal justice continuum around social justice, the credibility of eyewitness testimony, and criminal justice terminology. School of Criminal Justice

Social Networking
Fun-filled event to include music, games, poetry, pictures, food, and much more! Network with fellow alumni, current students, and faculty and learn about new and exciting things going on at the Graduate School—Newark and beyond! Graduate School—Newark

Start Your Own Business and Market Your Brand at Rutgers Business School
Make your own art projects: glitter tattoos, sand art designs in bottles, and animal shape balloons with face painter and personalized fun tattoos. Lots of giveaways. Office of Undergraduate Academic Services

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**We R International!**
Fun activities that will shine a spotlight on the diverse cultures represented by the large population of international students. Office of International Student and Scholar Services

**What Do Philosophers Do?**
Participants will be introduced to the major areas of philosophical research, as well as some of the key tools used by philosophers such as logic (with fun logic riddles and puzzles). Rutgers—Newark Philosophy Club

**What Does Public Service Mean to You?**
**Make Your Mark on Public Service**
Express how important public service is to you through illustrations and word art. School of Public Affairs and Administration

**What’s New in Technology?**
Come and experience the technology world through our lens. Apple/Dell virtual reality demo. kite+key, The Rutgers Tech Store

**When I Grow Up, I Want to Be...**
Draw or color your dream profession, then learn which Rutgers majors can make your dreams come true. Office of Academic Services, Faculty of Arts and Sciences—Newark

**You Be the Judge!**
You are out of order! Bang that gavel and get a glimpse of life as a judge! Learn more about Rutgers Law School. Pose for a picture in a judge’s robe and stick around to add to our sidewalk chalk mural. Rutgers Law School—Newark

**Your Baby’s Brain!**
Calling all baby scientists! Bring your little ones to build sand castles, play with bubbles, and make balloon animals while you learn about your baby’s development! Infancy Studies Laboratory—Center for Molecular and Behavioral Neuroscience

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Thank you for being a part of Rutgers Day!
We would like to express our appreciation to our guests, exhibitors, faculty, staff, students, alumni, and all who helped make this day a success.