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Dear Carleton Parents,

It is with eager anticipation that we prepare to welcome your student to Carleton in the fall. This is an exciting time for you and your student and we are prepared to assist with the success of your Carleton experience. This mailing includes information that will benefit parents and provide more information about the College as a whole. This is the last coordinated paper mailing you and your student will receive from Carleton over the summer - this is Mailing #2, “Information for Parents”.

Mailing #2 includes the following insertions which should be reviewed and acted upon as needed.

- Information about the online Family Guide from the Parents Advisory Council
- Student and Parent Guide to Student Accounts and Tuition Information
- Convenient and “Green” Travel Options

In the first mailing, your son/daughter received a Mailing Checklist, which lists everything that will be included in the three mailings, along with many valuable links. This checklist can also be found on the New Student Website, at www.carleton.edu/student/new.

We’d like to alert you to an important way for you to connect with the Carleton College community. Please complete the Parent Resource Questionnaire, located at https://apps.carleton.edu/parents/resource_questionnaire/.

Responding to this survey is an important way you can indicate to us and the Carleton staff how you can participate in the community. As Jeff Jackson and Sally Warren, chairs of our Parents Advisory Council, wrote, “Through volunteer roles we’ve come from having little background with the Carleton experience to feeling that we’ve contributed to the growth of the institution, gotten to know a fascinating group of Carleton faculty and staff and supported our daughter’s own experience at the College. Engaged students need the support of engaged parents. Please check the boxes where you think you can most effectively work with the Carleton community.”

Your student will receive weekly emails from the Dean of Students office on Mondays during the summer with important and time-sensitive information. If the college has your email address on record, you will automatically receive a courtesy copy of these emails sent to your student. To provide current contact information, please visit https://apps.carleton.edu/parents/address_form/.

We are looking forward to another exciting year at Carleton. See you in the fall!

Sincerely,

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