FIRST FRIENDS
Be a resource for incoming international students and help build community!

ENRICH INTERNATIONAL STUDENT LIFE

CREATE MEMORIES THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME!

BROADEN YOUR HORIZONS WITH FRIENDS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD

GAIN CULTURAL INSIGHT AND MAKE NEW FRIENDS WITH PEOPLE FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD!

ECU GLOBAL AFFAIRS
MAKE A DIFFERENCE

BECOME A FIRST FRIEND

The First Friends program groups international students with current ECU students to help facilitate their adjustment to ECU and life in the U.S.

GOALS

- Introduce new international students to current ECU students to create a mutual exchange of culture and friendship.
- Assist international students to adjust to life at ECU and the U.S. as quickly and smoothly as possible.
- Enhance international students' satisfaction with their academic and social experience.
- Provide a unique opportunity for students to enhance their educational experience, gain cultural insight and make new friends with people from all over the world.

WHEN YOU MEET YOUR FIRST FRIENDS...

- Attend Global Gatherings hosted by the Office of Global Affairs throughout the year!
- Offer them support as they navigate their transition.
- Take part in ECU events and activities!
- Explore Greenville with your First Friend.

Apply here!