Life

Welcome to Charleston! We hope that you are as excited about the city as you are about the College. Charleston is brimming with history, culture, sports, and just about any activity you can imagine. We are sensitive to the fact that you need to settle into your new life as you transition into your new position. To help you get to know Charleston and the surrounding areas, we have compiled information to introduce you to our incredible community.

Communities

- City of Charleston (includes West Ashley)
- James Island
- John’s Island
- Folly Beach
- Summerville
- Hanahan
- Goose Creek
- North Charleston
- Mount Pleasant
- Sullivan’s Island
- Isle of Palms
- Daniel Island
- Kiawah Island
- Seabrook Island
- Edisto Island

Housing Websites (we offer these sites as information only and do not endorse any specific website, realtor or company)

- [http://www.charlestonhomelistings.com/relocation_to_charleston.htm](http://www.charlestonhomelistings.com/relocation_to_charleston.htm) maps, communities, school links, attractions, weather, and more
- [http://www.trulia.com/](http://www.trulia.com/)

Rental Websites (we offer these sites as information only and do not endorse any specific website, realtor or company)

**Schools**

- Charleston County
- Berkeley County
- Dorchester County
- Private and Parochial Schools

**General Community Information**

Newspapers

- [http://www.skirt.com](http://www.skirt.com) weekly newspaper “all about women”

About Charleston


Sports Teams

- [http://charlestonbattery.com/](http://charlestonbattery.com/) Charleston Battery soccer
- [http://www.familycircuitenniscenter.com/](http://www.familycircuitenniscenter.com/) Family Circle Tennis Center, home to [Volvo Car Open](http://www.cofcsports.com/)

**College of Charleston/State of South Carolina Benefits**

- [http://hr.cofc.edu/benefits/index.php](http://hr.cofc.edu/benefits/index.php)