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Campus Philly's CollegeFest to Welcome 20,000+ College Students to Philadelphia with Free Museums, Free SEPTA Rides, and a Block Party on September 10 and 11

PHILADELPHIA, PA (September 7, 2022) – [Campus Philly](https://www.campusphilly.org), the economic development organization that fuels inclusive economic growth by empowering diverse college students and recent graduates to explore, live and work in Greater Philadelphia, is set to break records with more than 20,000 college students expected to kick off the fall semester at [CollegeFest](https://www.collegefest.org), co-presented by SEPTA and Dunkin', on Saturday, September 10 and Sunday, September 11, 2022. More than 25 museums (full list below) will offer free admission throughout the weekend, exclusively for college students who sign up for CollegeFest at [campusphilly.org/CollegeFest](https://www.campusphilly.org/CollegeFest) and present their confirmation email. For the second year, CollegeFest registrants can also enjoy free transportation on SEPTA Regional Rail, subway, trolley, bus, and Philly PHLASH® from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, making CollegeFest more accessible than ever.

The all-new Campus Philly Block Party, presented by Moore College of Art and Design and the Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University, will feature local brands and vendors on Race Street between 19th and 20th Streets, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, September 10 and Sunday, September 11. Co-presenting sponsor Dunkin' will distribute free Pumpkin Iced Coffee samples and gift cards to Block Party attendees, who will also connect with co-presenting sponsor SEPTA, and other brands like Insomnia Cookies, Citizens, Common, Student Universe, French Toast Bites, and more, and enjoy live music from student performers in the Philly Creators community throughout the day.

"Campus Philly's CollegeFest is a Philadelphia tradition, and we are thrilled to welcome new and returning college students to Philadelphia once again by collaborating with our city's most iconic organizations to offer free experiences all weekend long," said Jennifer Kebea, President of Campus Philly. "At CollegeFest, attendees can choose their own adventure as they explore their city, connect with friends, and officially commence what will be an exciting year for college students in the region."

CollegeFest attendees can kick off the weekend on Saturday, September 10 beginning at 9 a.m. at the Citizens locations in Center City as well as Old City, and will have the opportunity to meet the Phillie Phanatic, enter giveaways, and enjoy free breakfast. In partnership with B. PHL Innovation Festival and Amplify Philly, CollegeFest attendees will also have free access to the B. PHL courtyard featuring local vendors and artists, food trucks, and live music.

The full list of museums offering free admission to CollegeFest attendees is below:

- Philadelphia Museum of Art
- Museum of Illusions
- Barnes Foundation
- Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University
- Museum of the American Revolution
- Rodin Museum
- Weitzman National Museum of American Jewish History
- African American Museum of Philadelphia
- Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts (PAFA)
- Shofuso Japanese House and Garden
- Laurel Hill Mansion
- Historic Strawberry Mansion
- Woodford Mansion

- Independence Hall
- Liberty Bell
- National Constitution Center
- American Philosophical Society
- National Liberty Museum
- Fabric Workshop and Museum
- Christ Church
- American Chinese Museum
- Eastern State Penitentiary (Sunday only)
- Penn Museum (Saturday only)
- Betsy Ross House (Saturday only)
- Science History Institute (Saturday only)
- Wagner Free Institute of Science (Saturday only)
- Masonic Temple in Philadelphia (Saturday only)
- B. PHL Innovation Fest Courtyard
- Citizens – Flagship Market Street location
- Citizens – Old City location

CollegeFest is free for *any* college student, and interested attendees must register in advance at CampusPhilly.org/collegefest.

CollegeFest co-presenting sponsors include SEPTA and Dunkin', with additional support from Citizens, the Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University, Moore College of Art and Design, Insomnia Cookies, and Amplify Philly.

Campus Philly, a nonprofit organization founded in 2004, fuels inclusive economic growth by empowering diverse college students and recent graduates to explore, live and work in Greater Philadelphia. Visit our [website](#) to learn more, or connect with us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [LinkedIn](#), and [Instagram](#).

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