



CAPITAL ONE – UNIVERSITY of NEW ORLEANS  
CHARTER SCHOOL NETWORK

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**Wednesday, August 13<sup>th</sup>: First Day of Class for UNO Charter Network Schools**  
*Volunteers will greet students upon their arrival on Wednesday morning.*

Wednesday, August 13 will be the first day of class for the Capital One-UNO Charter School Network students enrolled in grades 1 - 11 at Pierre Capdau-UNO Charter School, Gentilly Terrace Elementary, Medard Nelson-UNO Charter School and Pierre Capdau-UNO Early College High School.

Kindergarten students enrolled at Capdau, Nelson and Gentilly Terrace will begin class on August 18. Instruction for Pre-Kindergarten students at Gentilly Terrace and Nelson schools will begin on August 21.

“The start of the new school year is always a special time for the community,” said Dr. Vera Triplett, Chief Operating Officer of the Capital One-University of New Orleans Charter School Network. “It offers a special opportunity for all of our partners to celebrate and encourage these important efforts. There will be a number of volunteers from The University of New Orleans, Capital One, as well as neighborhood organizations who will serve as greeters for our arriving families and to commemorate the first day of school.”

Schools	Configuration (2008-09)	First Day of School
Pierre A. Capdau-UNO Charter School	K to 8	August 13 (1-8) August 18 (K)
Medard H. Nelson-UNO Charter School	Pre-K to 8	August 13 (1-8) August 18 (K) August 21 (Pre-K)
Pierre A. Capdau-UNO Early College High School	9-11, (9 – 12 in 2009-10)	August 13
Gentilly Terrace Elementary #	Pre-K to 8	August 13 (1-8) August 18 (K) August 21 (Pre-K)

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