



## Top 10 Freebies

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No need to break the bank

From complimentary brews to gratis grazing, these freebies will keep your social calendar full even when your bank account is empty.

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### The Top 10

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#### [Nasher Museum of Art at Duke University](#)

2001 Campus Dr, Durham, NC

Duke students can justify the cost of their annual tuition with free and unlimited visits to the Nasher.

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#### [North Carolina Botanical Garden](#)

130 Old Mason Farm Rd, Chapel Hill, NC

It may cost UNC students \$34,000 to spent the day next to this arboretum, but you can visit anytime--for free.

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#### [Jordan Lake State Recreation Area](#)

280 State Park Rd, Apex, NC

Score free parking and admission from Labor Day until Memorial Day plus unlimited use of the gratis on-site mulch toilets.

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#### [Farrington Village Inn](#)

2000 Farrington Village Ctr, Farrington Vlg, NC

Marvel at the Oreo cows, stroll through the enchanted gardens and attend the annual festivals for the amazingly low price of free.

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#### [Pullen Park](#)

520 Ashe Ave, Raleigh, NC

With all that money you save on the park's free admittance, you can roll it over to the carousel's ticket fees.

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#### [State Farmers' Market](#)

1201 Agriculture St, Raleigh, NC

You could feasibly eat your weight in free samples if you were to spend the day visiting all 500-plus food vendors.

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#### [Duke University Chapel](#)

Chapel Dr, Durham, NC

Unless you tithe when the collection plate comes around, you can experience Duke's world-renowned pipe organ recital for nothing on Sundays.

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[Nordstrom](#)

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[Fayetteville](#)

6910 Fayetteville Rd, Durham, NC

You can't do it every weekend because they'll catch on, but you can totally scam free makeovers at Nordstrom's cosmetic counters.

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[Fowler's Gourmet](#)

112 S Duke St, Durham, NC

Granted the Triangle has the most affluent population in the southeastern U.S., but free Wi-Fi at Fowler's is still free Wi-Fi.

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[North Carolina Museum of Natural Sciences](#)

11 W Jones St, Raleigh, NC

This museum has no intentions of making money as they've completely waived all admission fees to everyone these days.

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[Zely & Ritz Tapas Restaurant & Bar](#) | [Website](#)

301 Glenwood Ave, Raleigh, NC

An ideal spot for grabbing dinner before a night on the town, this Raleigh restaurant taps into the tapas trend.

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[The Borough](#) | [Website](#)

317 West Morgan St Ste 117, Raleigh, NC

Hip downtown eatery on the lower level of a happening condo building exudes subtly seductive ambience and liveliness, simultaneously.

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