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Create your Academic Pass

1. Connect to Lehigh’s VPN. Go to NYTimes.com/GroupPass. Click “Create Account” on the welcome page.

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