

Welcome Week 2019: Family & Friends Orientation

(For parents, guardians and other family or friend support persons of first-time freshmen and transfers with 29 or fewer credit hours)

SCHEDULE

Tuesday, August 13

Registration — Kinlaw Library

*Assigned staggering of registration times:

- 8 a.m. — for those who live more than 6 hours away
- 8:45 a.m. — for those who live 3 – 6 hours away
- 9:30 a.m. — for those who live 1 – 3 hours away
- 10:15 a.m. — for those who live within an hour of campus
- 11 a.m. — Early arrival fall athletes and Archways

* Note: These time assignments are to alleviate congestion during the registration process. If your schedule poses a conflict with your assigned time, you are welcome to arrive at your convenience.

Residence Hall Check-In

Upon completing registration, resident students unload and check in at assigned residence halls, set up room and shop as needed. Student leaders and campus community will assist with moving in.

11:45 a.m. **Cafeteria Open for Lunch** — Johnson Cafeteria

to 1:30 p.m. Please follow the staggered meal times below.

- 11:45 a.m. – Last names A – F
- 12:15 p.m. – Last names G – N
- 12:45 p.m. – Last names O – Z

Families may purchase meal tickets during registration in the library.

Meal Prices: Adults (12 & up): \$7.75; children (6–11): \$4.00;

Students & children 5 & under: FREE

1:30 p.m. **Athletics Meeting** — Hughes Auditorium

New student-athletes and their families attend an informational meeting with their coach and the VP for Intercollegiate Athletics.

Move-In Continued

4 p.m. **Student Development Informational Meeting** — Miller Center Black Box Theatre

Families of both residential and commuter students will hear from Sarah Baldwin, VP for Student Development, and Student Devel. team while students attend separate meetings.

5 – 6:30 p.m. **Welcome Dinner** — Johnson Cafeteria

New students and their families are invited to dinner as guests of the University.

Please follow the staggered meal times below.

- 5 p.m. – Last names A – F
- 5:30 p.m. – Last names G – N
- 6 p.m. – Last names O – Z

7 p.m. **President's Welcome** — Hughes Auditorium

New students and families join with faculty for President's address

8:15 p.m. **Faculty Reception** — Kinlaw Library
Families enjoy refreshments and meet faculty from their student's academic department while students participate in a separate activity to meet their T.A.G. leaders and T.A.G. group.

Wednesday, August 14

8 – 9 a.m. **Cafeteria Open for Breakfast** — Johnson Cafeteria
Meal Prices: Adults (12 & up): \$6.50; children (6–11): \$3.25;
Students & children 5 & under: FREE

Offices & Eagle Outlet Open

9 a.m. **College Connection** — College Connection for middle & high school–age siblings will meet on the Student Center Deck and will return there at 11:45 a.m. to meet family for lunch.

9:15 a.m. **Welcome & Community Life** — Miller Center Black Box Theatre

Academic Affairs

Break for Refreshments

Business Affairs

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12:15 p.m. – Last names G – N

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12 p.m. **U.S. Ethnic Minority Student and Family Lunch Program** — Kinlaw Library Board Room
Esther Jadhav, Assistant VP for Intercultural Affairs
African-American, Asian-American/Pacific-Islander, American-Indian/Alaskan-Native, and Latina/o- American students and their families are invited to this complimentary lunch program.

1:15 p.m. **College Connection** — College Connection for middle & high school–age siblings will meet on the Student Center Deck and return there at 3:15 p.m. to meet family.

1:30 p.m. **Elective Session #1**— Miller Center

See folder insert for a description of each session. Each elective will be offered twice.

- Office of Spiritual Life: Discipleship & Outreach Opportunities — Room 307
- Center for Career & Calling: “Prepare to Launch, not Panic” — Room 308
- Center for Wholeness & Wellness: Your Student’s Emotional & Physical Wellness — Room 309
- Global Engagement Office: “What is the Cross-Cultural Engagement Requirement?” — Room 310 (Screening Room)
- Center for Academic Excellence & Academic Accessibility Resources: Supporting Your Student’s Success — Room 318

2:25 p.m. **Elective Session #2**
See above for workshop selections

- 3:15 p.m. **College Connection** siblings meet their families at the Student Center Deck.
- 3:30 p.m. **Class Photo / Student & Family Dedication Service** — Hughes Auditorium
New students pose for a class photo on the steps of Hughes Auditorium, followed by a closing dedication service with family members.
- 5 p.m. Family & Friends Orientation concludes. Students join their T.A.G. group for dinner at 5:30 p.m.

IMPORTANT DEADLINE

Student Accounts Office — Hager Administration Building Room 104
If your student's online financial registration was not completed over the summer, it must be finished by 5 p.m. on Monday, August 19. A late fee may be assessed if financial registration is completed after the deadline.