

Discovery...

Saturday, August 17

8:00 – 10:00 a.m. – Residence Halls Open

10:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – New Student Luncheon

Use your student ID for your first meal in the Dining Hall! Family and friends can eat for a small fee.

1:00-2:30 p.m. – Meet Your Mentor Group

Gather on the Quad in front of Curry Hall to get together with your Mentor group. iPad required.

2:30-3:30 p.m. – New Student Meeting

Follow your Mentor inside Gano Chapel. You will learn the Honor Code and the Alma Mater so you are prepared for the Matriculation Ceremony. iPad required.

3:30-4:30 p.m. – The Tradition Begins!

Following the class photo, your Mentor will provide direction as you line up for the first traditional Walk Around the Quad. (You will also do this again at Commencement.) iPad required.

Community...

Sunday, August 18

8:30-8:45 a.m. – Morning MOSAIC (optional)

Come to Grand River Chapel if you are interested in a time of worship, music and a devotional. Christian Student Ministries

9:00-11:45 a.m. – Diversity & Inclusion; Title IX & Anti-Harassment

Meet in Gano Chapel with your Mentor. You will rotate in two different sessions led by fellow students on topics critical to creating a healthy community on the Hill. iPad required.

2:00 p.m. – Liberty Square Tour (optional)

Find out what restaurants, coffee shops, etc. are available within walking distance of your new community.

Engagement...

Monday, August 19

Noon-2:00 p.m. – Explore On-Campus Organizations!

Yates-Gill College Union. This is a great opportunity for you to see what student organizations we have and to sign up to get involved! Lots of free stuff!

Additional Events/Activities

1:30-3:00 p.m. – Sickle Cell Trait Testing

(new athletes only) All Sports except Fall
If you are playing a sport at Jewell and it is not a fall sport, head to the Training Room in the Mabee Center.

2:15-3:45 p.m. – Music Auditions and Placement:

Band – Any student interested in playing in the Jewell Symphonic Band, go to Pillsbury Music Center Room 100 and talk to Dr. Langston Hemenway, Director of Bands.

Choir – All students wishing to sing in a choir must perform a brief voice placement audition. Even if you have been awarded a voice scholarship, or have previously been enrolled in a choral ensemble, you must still audition. There is a spot for every singer. Sign-ups for audition time-slots will be available in the Pillsbury lobby a few days beforehand.

8:00-10:00 p.m. – Craig Karges, the “Extraordinist”

Join us in Gano Chapel as College Union Activities (CUA) hosts Craig Karges!

Knowledge...

Tuesday, August 20

8:00-9:00 a.m. – Academic Achievement Center/Advising
Stop by the Quad level (top floor) of Pryor Learning Commons if you need to make schedule changes.

9:30-11:45 a.m. – Moodle Training & Presence/Locate Your Classrooms!

Join us in Yates-Gill College Union 221/222. You need to have an understanding of Moodle, our active learning platform, so you are prepared for classes tomorrow. You will also become familiar with Presence, our co-curricular programming app. We also want to make sure you know where to find your classes! iPad required.

11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – Departmental Picnic

Pick up your lunch in the Dining Hall. After you swipe your student ID, head to Phelps Dining Room (east side). Mentors will provide the department locations.

1:15-2:15 p.m. – Aiming for Academic Success – Even When It's Hard!

Dr. Brendon Benz, Dr. Beth Sperry and upper-class students will give you tips on how to be successful in the classroom. Meet in Yates-Gill 221/222. iPad required.

	Saturday 8/17	Sunday 8/18	Monday 8/19	Tuesday 8/20	
Special Hours During Orientation	iPad Distribution	9-12	-----	-----	
	Bookstore	8:30-4:30	-----	8:30-4:30	
	Business Office	9-3	-----	9-4	
	Counseling Services	9-12	-----	Email for appt.	
	Dining Hall	10:45-1 5-6	12-1:30 5-6	7-10 11-12 5-6:30	7-8:30 11:45-1 5-6:30
	Disability Services	-----	-----	9-4	9-4
	Financial Aid	9-3	-----	9-4	9-4
	Nurse Practitioner	9-12	-----	8-1	8-1
	Registrar	9-3	-----	9-4	9-4

Wednesday, August 21

First Day of Classes!

IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday, August 28, 10:15 a.m. – Advising Meeting – Mandatory!

If you are a transfer student, and you probably are if you are reading the Orientation schedule, you need to go and meet your Academic Advisor! Plan to meet them in their office unless they give you another location.

Wednesday, August 28, 8:00-9:00 p.m. – Getting Involved – Service Opportunities

Meet Dr. Lori Wetmore in Mathes Hall to hear about different ways to serve.