Wesleyan University
January 2018 New Student Orientation

Schedule of Events

Tuesday, January 23 2018

9:00am-12:00pm – Arrival Check-In Site
Dean’s Office Reception Area, North College, 2nd Floor
Check in at the Arrival Site to pick up your orientation packet, wescard, residential assignment information and room key. Your Class Dean and Academic Peer Advisors will be available to answer any questions you may have.

10:30am – Optional Campus Tour
North College, 1st Floor

12:00pm-12:30pm – Meet and Greet, students only. Families can head to lunch.
During this time you’ll have the opportunity to meet fellow transfer students and your Resident Assistant.
Boger Hall, Room 114

12:00pm-1:15pm – Lunch
Usdan University Center, Daniel Family Commons, 3rd Floor
Join residential life staff, your class dean, and other administrators for lunch and a welcome to the Wesleyan community from Vice President of Student Affairs, Michael Whaley. You will also have an opportunity to have any outstanding questions answered by university administrators representing such areas as: Health Services, Counseling and Psychological Services, Financial Aid, Public Safety, Residential Life, Career Services, Religious and Spiritual Life and more.

1:15pm-1:30m – Say goodbye to Families!

1:30pm-2:45pm – Nuts & Bolts: Course Pre-Registration and Other Essential Academic Information
Boger Hall, Room 114
Senior Associate Registrar Paul Turenne will provide an overview of the WesPortal and course pre-registration process. Dean David Phillips, Dean Louise Brown and the Academic Peer Advisors will also lead a discussion about academic programs, course selection and the Honor Code.

3:00pm-5:00pm – Individual Advising Appointments with your Class Dean or Faculty Advisor
North College 215—Dean Phillips, North College 202—Dean Brown, Faculty Advisor’s office

5:30pm-7:00pm – Dinner with Academic Peer Advisors and Student Leaders
Meet at the Usdan Information Desk.
Bring your wescard in order to swipe into the marketplace for your meal.

7:00pm – Off campus trip to Meriden Westfield Mall
Meet at the Usdan Information Desk.
Wednesday, January 24, 2018

8:00am-10:00am - Online Pre-Registration Adjustment through WesPortal
Students will be able to enroll in eligible courses with seats available and submit ranked Drop/Add enrollment requests for other courses.

10:30am-11:00am - Community Standards & Campus Safety
Usdan University Center, Room 108
With Dean of Students Rick Culliton, Associate Dean Kevin Butler and Public Safety Director Scott Rohde.

11:00am-11:45am - Campus Resource Fair
Usdan University Center, Room 108
Director of Residential Life/Associate Dean of Students, Fran Koerting
Director of Religious and Spiritual Life, Rabbi David Leipziger Teva
Director of Davison Health Center, Joyce Walter
Center for Community Partnerships, Diana Martinez
Associate Dean for Student Academic Resources, Laura Patey
Director, Resource Center, Demetrius Colvin
Associate Director of Student Activities and Leadership Development, Shelissa Newball

12:00pm-2:00pm – Lunch – Usdan Marketplace -2nd Floor
Bring your wescard in order to swipe into the marketplace for your meal.

1:00pm-4:00pm - Individual Appointments with Class Dean or Faculty Advisor
North College, 2nd floor (or advisor’s office)

Drop-In Hours for Campus Services
Various campus resources will hold drop-in hours to answer new transfer students’ personal questions. Stop by the offices that are of interest to you.
12:00pm-4:00pm Dining Meal Plans, Usdan Administrative Offices - Room 134
12:00pm-3:00pm Opportunities in the Office of Admission, 70 Wyllys Avenue
12:30pm-4:30pm Career Center, 41 Wyllys Avenue –x2180 to make an appointment and mention Transfer Orientation
1:00pm-3:00pm Office of Study Abroad, Fisk 105
1:00pm-3:00pm Health Profession Advising, 41 Wyllys Avenue
1:00pm-3:00pm Academic Resources / Disability Services, North College Room 021
1:00pm-3:00pm Optional Library Tour – Olin Library

5:00pm-6:00pm – Transfer Connection Dinner
Usdan University Center, Daniel Family Commons, 3rd Floor
Speak with other transfer students about their experience and transition to Wesleyan.

6:00pm-7:00pm – Candid Campus and Dessert
Usdan University Center, Daniel Family Commons, 3rd Floor
Meet with student leaders to learn more about campus life and ask any question you want!
Thursday, January 25, 2018

First Day of Spring 2018 Classes
8:30am - Online Drop/Add Period begins through WesPortal
Academic Peer Advisor meetings – by appointment

Friday, January 26, 2018 - Saturday, January 27, 2018 - Friday, February 2, 2018

Attend the first events of the semester!
Friday, January 26th – “Usdan Friday Night Trivia” Series begins tonight! Usdan 1st floor Café, 8pm.
Saturday, January 27th – Usdan Center Activities Board (UCAB) event – “Laser tag” Beckham Hall, 8pm.
Learn more by visiting the Student Activities and Leadership Development Website: www.wesleyan.edu/sald

Friday, February 2nd - “Wesleyan Student Assembly Community Fair” – learn how to get involved in many of Wes’s Student clubs and organizations. Beckham Hall, 12pm – 3pm.

Important Phone Numbers, dial 860-685 + extension

Louise Brown, Dean for the Class of 2021 & Academic Advancement x2758
Renee Johnson-Thornton, Dean for the Class of 2018 x2765
David Phillips, Dean for the Class of 2020, TCEX & Community Scholar Advisor x2757
Jennifer Wood, Dean for the Class of 2019 x2774
Laura Patey, Associate Dean for Student Academic Resources x5581
Emergency, Public Safety x3333
Registrar’s Office x2810
Health Services x2470
Counseling and Psychological Services x2910
Residential Life x3550
Religious and Spiritual Life x2278
Physical Plant x3400
Financial Aid x2800
Student Accounts x2890