

Orientation



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UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND

Orientation Schedule Key

Richmond College  

Westhampton College  

Blue shaded programs are required for **ALL New Students**

Green shaded programs are for **Families of New Students**

New and Transfer Student Orientation is an informative, thought-provoking experience designed to introduce you to your college, University, and classmates. Your Orientation Advisors have worked diligently to make your Orientation experience a beneficial and positive one. We look forward to learning more about you, as you are now an important part of the University of Richmond. You are about to embark on an intellectual journey that will challenge you to broaden your mind and be open to change. Orientation will launch you on that journey by calling on you to grow in all aspects of your being. It's an exciting voyage, and we're glad to be making it with you.

Welcome, and best wishes for a very good year!

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Orientation Advisors are volunteers from the University of Richmond student body.

Orientation Schedule

Information Services personnel will be available at the Help Desk and in Telecom on the ground floor of Jepson Hall (room G-19) during the following times:

Wednesday, August 238:30 a.m.–7 p.m.
Thursday, August 248:30 a.m.–6:30 p.m.
Friday, August 258:30 a.m.–5 p.m.
Saturday, August 26 10 a.m.–4 p.m.
Sunday, August 27 Noon–4 p.m.
August 28-September 18:30 a.m.–7:30 p.m.
Telecom is open until 5 p.m.

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Wellness Program

Alcohol Education & Prevention – WELL 085 Wellness Graduation Requirement

The University of Richmond requires all first-year and transfer students to complete a comprehensive alcohol education and prevention program during their first semester on campus. Successful completion of the requirement is mandatory for graduation from the University. In order to successfully complete the WELL 085 requirement, you will need to complete the following steps:

Step 1: Complete Alcohol Edu and Haven. You must earn a grade of 70% or higher to pass and receive credit. **The deadline for completing Part 1 is August 23, 2017. Failure to complete Part 1 will result in a registration hold being placed on your account (this will prevent you from making changes to your class schedule).**

Step 2: Register and attend a section of WELL 085 – Alcohol Education & Prevention Workshop. You must have successfully completed Part 1 of Alcohol Edu and Haven before you can attend the alcohol education and prevention workshop. If you have any questions on the WELL 085 Graduation Requirement, please feel free to contact Sarah Sheppard, Manager Health Education & Wellness, at ssheppa2@richmond.edu.

Please note all events are subject to change.

Tuesday, August 22

7–8:30 p.m.

Hillel Pre-Orientation Dessert Reception, Westin Hotel – Desserts, coffee, and tea for new students and family. Gather with Jewish students, the Jewish Life Advisor, and the Hillel leadership for a dessert reception. Learn about Jewish Life on campus and the University of Richmond Hillel. RSVP to madeline.miller@richmond.edu is required.

Wednesday, August 23

8:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

ID Express Pickup/Obtain Student ID: Tyler Haynes Commons, Alice Haynes Room

- New students who submitted a photo online or sent in a picture to the One-Card Services Office during the summer to have their student ID cards pre-printed may pick them up.
- New students who did not participate in ID Express will have their photo taken for their student ID cards. Cards will be used for meals, residence hall access, Spidercard accounts, and library privileges.

9 a.m.–2 p.m.

New Richmond and Westhampton College Campus Residents Arrive

- All residents in Dennis, Lora Robins, Moore, Marsh, and Wood Halls must check-in in the Alice Haynes Room in the Tyler Haynes Commons (building 4 on the campus map).
 - Residence Life and Undergraduate Student Housing, One Card Services, and representatives from various on-campus, non-academic resources will be available to answer questions for students and families. Please note that very limited parking is located near Tyler Haynes Commons so it is strongly recommended you follow the following parking locations and walk to check-in.

For unloading and parking: It is recommended that residents of Dennis, Marsh, and Moore use parking lot B6. There is limited parking and unloading area in lot R19 for residents of Dennis and Wood Halls. Residents of Lora Robins Court should use parking lot W40. Please refer to the map here: <http://www.richmond.edu/visit/maps/index.html>.

9 a.m.–5 p.m.

Pick-up Westhampton College Class of 2021 T-Shirt, Westhampton Center, Deanery Living Room – *First-Year Westhampton College students pick-up a Class of 2021 T-shirt.*

10 a.m.–1 p.m.

Language Placement Tests: Placement tests for Chinese, French, German, Russian, and Spanish (*International Center, Global Studio, 226*). If unsure if you should take this test, please read the information at <http://globalstudio.richmond.edu/>

services/placement/need-placement-test.html. Usually requires 20-30 minutes, but may take longer. For placement in Ancient Greek, contact Walter Stevenson (wstevens@richmond.edu).

For placement in Latin, a placement exam will be given on Thursday, August 24, from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in Ryland Hall, Room 205. The test begins promptly at 6:30 and may take an hour. It is for students with three or more years of Latin who might place higher than Latin 201 and might demonstrate proficiency.

For placement in Arabic, Italian, Japanese, or Portuguese, see <http://newspiders.richmond.edu/academic/planning-schedule/language/index.html>, and be in contact with Prof. Marcin (Italian), Prof. Sulzer-Reichel (Arabic), Prof. Suzuki (Japanese), or Prof. Abreu (Portuguese).

2–5 p.m.

ID Pickup/Obtain Student ID: One Card Services Office, Heilman Dining Center.

- Students who arrive to campus after 2 p.m. may pick up their student ID.

3–4 p.m.

Office of the Chaplaincy Open House, Wilton Center – For new students, family, and friends. Meet the Chaplaincy staff who serve at the University of Richmond. Learn more about the wide variety of programs and worship opportunities offered by the Office of the Chaplaincy. Refreshments will be served.

Events listed below are for Legacy or First Generation families only. Families of students who are not Legacy or First Generation are welcome to use this free time to explore campus.

Legacy Families & Students

2–3:30 p.m.

Legacy Reception, Jepson Alumni Center – *The University of Richmond Alumni Association is honored to welcome legacy families to campus. Families with generational connections to the University of Richmond will receive a separate reception invitation.*

First Generation Families & Students

3–4:30 p.m.

First Generation* Reception, Jepson Hall, Room 118 – *The University of Richmond is honored to welcome first generation families to campus. Families of first generation college students are invited to attend this session to learn more about the resources for first generation college students at the University of Richmond.*

**A first-generation college student is defined as a student whose parent(s)/ legal guardian(s) have not completed a bachelor's degree. This means that your student will be the first in your family (excluding siblings) to attend a four-year college/university to attain a bachelor's degree.*

3–6 p.m.

Military Science Department (ROTC), Millhiser Gymnasium, Ground Floor – *We will be available to answer questions about our U.S. Army Officer Training Program (ROTC) and the availability of full-tuition scholarships. Drop in or contact Tony Chau, 804-287-6066.*

4–7 p.m.

Dinner, Heilman Dining Center.

7:30–8:30 p.m.

President's Welcome, Robins Center Arena – *For new students and their families.*

8:30 p.m.

Orientation Advisor Meetings for New and Transfer Students – *New students will be escorted to meetings by their Orientation Advisors.*

Thursday, August 24

All Day

Sign-up to Audition for a Faculty-Led Music Ensemble, Modlin Center for the Arts, Booth Lobby – *Auditions occur during Orientation weekend and the first week of classes for: University Band, UR Symphony Orchestra, Jazz Ensemble, Schola Cantorum (chamber choir), Women's Chorale.*

7:30–9 a.m.

Breakfast, Heilman Dining Center.

8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

New Students Meet Individually with Academic Advisors during their prescheduled time.

Families of New Students

9–10:30 a.m.

"A Richmond Education: A Key to Learning and Life,"

Tyler Haynes Commons, Alice Haynes Room – *Remarks will be made by Dr. Jeff Legro, Provost, and Dr. Scott Johnson, Associate Provost for Student Academic Initiatives.*

9 a.m.–2 p.m.

Tours of the Westhampton Center for Westhampton College Students, Westhampton Center – *See your Orientation Advisor for details.*

9 a.m.–2 p.m.

Tours of Richmond College for Richmond College Students, Whitehurst Living Room, Richmond College – *See your Orientation Advisor for details.*

9 a.m.–5 p.m.

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10–11 a.m. or 1–2 p.m.

Transfer Student Library Overview and Tour, Boatwright Library, Seminar Room 1, 1st Floor.

10–11:30 a.m.

Speech Center Open House, Weinstein Hall, Room 407.

10 a.m.–2 p.m.

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Families of New Westhampton College Students

10:45–11:45 a.m.

Meeting for Families of New Westhampton College Students, Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre – *The Dean and other University staff will provide information and insight for parents of new students.*

Families of New Richmond College Students

10:45–11:45 a.m.

Meeting for Families of New Richmond College Students, Tyler Haynes Commons, Alice Haynes Room – *Dean's Office staff and other University staff will provide information and insight for parents of new students.*

Families & Students

11:45 a.m.–1 p.m.

Lunch, Heilman Dining Center – *Students will be available to join their families. Please Note: Guests pay at the door. The dining center line is long at noon so some families may choose to eat off campus.*

1–2:30 p.m.

Tours of Boatwright Library – At 1 p.m., 1:30 p.m., 2 p.m., and 2:30 p.m. Tour Boatwright Library and the collaborative learning spaces on the first floor, including group study rooms. Find out where the silent and quiet study sections are located. Meet the librarians who will assist you with your research and help you find research information and resources.

1–3 p.m.

Visit Career Services, Tyler Haynes Commons, Suite 306.

Families of New Students

1:30–2:15 p.m.

Families of New Students meet with Orientation

Leadership, Tyler Haynes Commons, Alice Haynes Room.

3:30–4:30 p.m.

Residence Life Meetings

Residents of Marsh Hall meet in Robins School of Business Queally Hall, Ukrop Auditorium; residents of Dennis and Wood Halls meet in Tyler Haynes Commons, Alice Haynes Room. Residents of Lora Robins meet in the Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre; residents of Moore Hall meet in the Admissions Queally Center, Assembly Rooms B and C.

4:45–6 p.m.

Dinner with Your RA Following Residence Life Meetings,

Heilman Dining Center.

5:30–6:30 p.m.

Transfer Student Dinner, Heilman Dining Center, Richmond Room – Dinner for all transfer students hosted by Dr. Steve Bisese, Vice President for Student Development.

6:30–7:30 p.m.

Language Placement Tests: Placement tests for Chinese, French, German, Russian, and Spanish (*International Center, Global Studio, 226*). Latin placement testing begins promptly at 6:30 p.m. in Ryland Hall 205.

If unsure if you should take a modern languages test, please read the information at <http://globalstudio.richmond.edu/services/placement/need-placement-test.html>.

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7:30–8:45 p.m.

Meet with Orientation Advisors, Assigned locations.

9 p.m.

“Playfair,” Weinstein Center for Recreation and Wellness, Weinstein Center Gymnasium – How will you meet your fellow classmates? Find out during “Playfair,” an interactive program that involves an evening of games and icebreakers. Sponsored by SpiderBoard and the Westhampton College and Richmond College Deans’ Offices.

Friday, August 25

All Day

Sign-up to Audition for a Faculty-Led Music Ensemble,

Modlin Center for the Arts, Booth Lobby – Auditions occur during Orientation weekend and the first week of classes for: University Band, UR Symphony Orchestra, Jazz Ensemble, Schola Cantorum (chamber choir), Women’s Chorale.

7–8:15 a.m.

Breakfast, Heilman Dining Center.

8:30–11 a.m.

“A Richmond Education: A Key to Learning and Life,”

Robins Center Arena, Robins Center.

- 9:45–10:15 a.m. First interest session
- 10:30–11 a.m. Second interest session

8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

Academic Chairpersons may be available in department offices to answer academic questions.

9 a.m.–5 p.m.

Pick-up Westhampton College Class of 2021 T-Shirt,

Westhampton Center, Deanery Living Room – First-Year Westhampton College students pick-up a Class of 2021 T-shirt

11:15 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Westhampton College Welcome to New Students,

Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

11:15 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Richmond College Welcome to New Students,

Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre.

12:30–1:45 p.m.

Lunch with your Orientation Advisor, Heilman Dining Center.

1 p.m.

Muslim Prayer, Wilton Center, Interreligious Prayer Room – Come join the Muslim Students’ Association for Jummah prayer.

Saturday, August 26

2–3 p.m.

Westhampton College: Thinking About Gender Matters (part 1), Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

2–3 p.m.

Richmond College: Thinking About Gender Matters (part 1), Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre.

3:15–4:15 p.m.

Richmond College: Thinking About Gender Matters (part 2), Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

3:15–4:15 p.m.

Westhampton College: Thinking About Gender Matters (part 2), Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre.

4:15–5:15 p.m.

Campus Tour with your OA

5:15–6:15 p.m.

Dinner, Heilman Dining Center.

6:30–7:45 p.m.

OA Groups 20-37 Navigating the First Year, Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

6:30–7:45 p.m.

OA Groups 1-19 “Cultural Collisions: Commentary for a Changing America,” Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre.

8–9:15 p.m.

OA Groups 20-37 “Cultural Collisions: Commentary for a Changing America,” Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre.

8–9:15 p.m.

OA Groups 1-19 Discussion about “Cultural Collisions” and Campus Life, Assigned Locations - *Please meet your OA for the discussion.*

9:30–10:45 p.m.

OA Groups 20-37 Discussion about “Cultural Collisions” and Campus Life, Assigned Locations - *Please meet your OA for the discussion.*

9:30–10:45 p.m.

OA Groups 1-19 Navigating the First Year, Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

All Day

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8–9:45 a.m.

Continental Breakfast, Heilman Dining Center.

9–10:30 a.m.

OA Groups 1-19: Meet with the Honor Council, See your Orientation Advisor for specified location.

10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.

OA Groups 20-37: Meet with the Honor Council, See your Orientation Advisor for specified location.

11:30 a.m.–1:15 p.m.

Lunch, Heilman Dining Center.

11:30 a.m.–1:15 p.m.

Transfer Student Introduction to Campus Services, Tyler Haynes Commons, Room 305 – *Join other transfer students for an overview of various student services available at the University of Richmond.*

1:30–2:45 p.m.

OA Groups 1-19: “Know yoUR 9: Title IX Policy & Awareness,” Modlin Center, Jepson Theatre.

1:30–2:45 p.m.

OA Groups 20-37: “Spiders CARE,” Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

3–4:15 p.m.

OA Groups 20-37: “Know yoUR 9: Title IX Policy & Awareness,” Modlin Center, Jepson Theatre.

3–4:15 p.m.

OA Groups 1-19: “Spiders CARE,” Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

4:30–5:30 p.m.

Group Discussion, Assigned Locations – *Please meet your OA for the discussion.*

5:30–6:45 p.m.

Dinner, Heilman Dining Center.

Sunday, August 27

7–8:15 p.m.

OA Groups 1-19: It's on Us!, Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre.

7–8:15 p.m.

Groups 20-37: "Molecules that Monkey with Your Mind," Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

8:30–9:45 p.m.

OA Groups 20-37: It's on Us!, Modlin Center for the Arts, Jepson Theatre.

8:30–9:45 p.m.

Groups 1-19: "Molecules that Monkey with Your Mind," Booker Hall, Camp Concert Hall.

10:15 p.m.–12:15 a.m.

Spider Nights, Multiple Locations. *See your OA for more details.*

All Day

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Noon–1:15 p.m.

Lunch with your Orientation Group, Heilman Dining Center.

5–6 p.m.

OA Groups 1-19: Dinner with your Orientation Group, Heilman Dining Center.

5:30–6:30 p.m.

OA Groups 20-37: Dinner with your Orientation Group, Heilman Dining Center

6–7:15 p.m.

Arts for Everyone: Open House & President's Desserts, Modlin Center for the Arts – *Meet faculty, staff, and students from the five arts departments listed below to learn about classes, auditions, productions, private music lessons, exhibitions, performances, music ensembles, internships, and employment. Take tours of performance spaces, art studios, museums, workshops, and classrooms while enjoying dessert and conversation with University of Richmond President (and classical musician), Dr. Ronald Crutcher and Dr. Betty Neal Crutcher.*

Department of Art and Art History
Department of Music
Department of Theatre and Dance
Modlin Center for the Arts
University Museums

Access your NSO Survey and complete it by September 9.

WELCOME WEEK



Aug. 27–Sept. 7

Community | Involvement | Pride

Kickoff the first two weeks of school with **Welcome Week 2017!** Welcome Week is a series of exciting events that are designed to help you meet new people and get involved in campus life while showing off that Spider Pride!



welcomeweek.richmond.edu

#URwelcomeweek

#tbt: Throwback Time Machine Dance Party

BSA Welcome Week Party ● ColorWars

Dhall Theme Dinner ● ENRICHmond

First Fridays w/UR Downtown

First Generation Meet and Greet

First Year Living-Learning Community Welcome

Picnic ● Football Watch Party

Free Yoga & Picnic ● Kayak Trip on the James

LGBTQ Meet and Great ● Meet Me @ the

Museum: Search for the Sacred

Mountain Bikes and River Tube Rentals

on the James ● Multicultural Unity Picnic

PSMA Info Session ● Recreation and Wellness

P.O.W.E.R.House ● **RSB Welcome Back BBQ**

Senior Toga Social SpiderFest

SpiderNights: Carnival Night

SpiderNights: Movie Night – Get Out

SSIR Welcome Picnic ● Student Government

Breakfast Bar ● **Throwback Thursday**

Spider Bash ● UR Anime Fall Social

UR Pride ● **UR Smash First Smash Friday**

 **urinvolved**

Sunday, September 10

11 a.m.

W Westhampton College: First Year Class Picture, Ryland Hall Green

1 p.m.

W Westhampton College: Proclamation, Cannon Memorial Chapel – *A ceremony bringing new and senior students together to focus on the Honor Code, the signing of the Honor Pledge, and official recognition of new students as members of the community.*

6:30 p.m.

R Richmond College: New Students' Class Picture, Ryland Hall Green – *Coat and Tie encouraged (Rain location: Tyler Haynes Commons, Alice Haynes Room.)*

7:15 p.m.

R Richmond College: Investiture, Cannon Memorial Chapel – *This event introduces new and transfer students to the history and legacy of Richmond College, celebrates the culture of honor and integrity, and welcomes students into the college.*

Questions and Contacts

Fill in the contact information below so you know whom to contact with questions.

HOUSING

See your Resident Assistant, Head Resident, Area Coordinator, or the Director of Undergraduate Housing.

Resident Assistant _____

Head Resident _____

Area Coordinator _____

ACADEMICS

See your Academic Advisor.

Academic Advisor _____

COMPUTERS

Call the Help Desk at ext. 6400.

MISCELLANEOUS

See your Orientation Advisor or a staff member in your Dean's Office.

Orientation Advisor _____



Rethink Waste Know Where It Goes

University of Richmond has launched Rethink Waste, an ambitious campaign to achieve of 80% waste diversion from the landfill. By changing how we think — everything we throw “away” ends up somewhere else — and reducing, recycling, and donating items, we can cut down on the 4.6 pounds of trash each of us produces every day. Learn more at richmond.edu/rethinkwaste.

Conserve Energy

Most of our greenhouse gas emissions come from building energy use. While our 205 kW solar array and our 12 LEED-certified buildings conserve the use of fossil fuels, you can help by unplugging electronics, turning off the lights, and choosing energy-saving settings on computers.

Save Water

Reducing your shower time by 2 minutes can save 6 gallons of water a day. If everyone at University of Richmond decreased their shower time by 2 minutes, we would save nearly 11 million gallons of water each year.

Eat Well

Eating locally and lower on the food chain is one of the best ways to reduce your personal impact on the planet. For example, a vegetarian diet could reduce water consumption by up to 58% per person. Take advantage of the many on-campus vegetarian and vegan options, shop local markets, and eat what's in season.

Join a Sustainability Student Group

GreenUR

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You're invited to attend the Rethink Waste Football Game on October 7, where almost all waste will be composted or recycled.

For more green living tips and ways to get involved, visit sustainability.richmond.edu.



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