

2009 Tulane University Orientation for New Students

STUDENT Schedule for Day One June 1, 4, 8, 11, 22, 25, 29

****Please note that most events will occur in the Lavin-Bernick Center ("LBC")****

- 9:00 a.m. **Our Food Court and Bookstore will be open for your convenience**
2nd floor, LBC
- 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Check In for Orientation**
Stibbs Room, 2nd Floor LBC **Check In for required student residence hall accommodations**
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. **Optional Campus Tours (Students and Parents) guided by Green Wave Ambassadors....**meet your guide at the Information Desk, 2nd floor LBC
- 1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Welcome to Tulane University!**
Kendall Cram Room, 213 LBC 2009 Orientation Planning Team
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. **The Academic Experience**
Kendall Cram Room, 213 LBC James MacLaren, Dean of Newcomb-Tulane College
- Students will go to separate sessions and activities for the rest of the afternoon. Parents will remain in the LBC.--*
- 2:15 p.m. -2:45 p.m. **Meet with Orientation Team Leaders by Group**
Schedule review, guidelines and instructions
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. **Introduction to Course Registration**
Location TBA Andrew Martinez, Associate Dean of Newcomb-Tulane College
Colette Raphel, Assistant Vice President of Enrollment Management/Operations
- 3:45 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **Campus Resources Scavenger Hunt**
All students, divided into teams.
- 6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. **Optional Self-guided Tours of Residence Halls**Residence hall staff will meet you at the front desks of these first year halls available for viewing: Josephine Louise, Sharp and Wall. You'll be able to see the common areas and an example room. Unfortunately we cannot offer tours of Monroe and Paterson as there are renovations and repairs underway in those buildings this summer.
- 6:30 p.m. – 7:25 p.m. **Dinner (wear your Orientation nametag)**
2nd floor, Bruff Commons (Parents & Students together)
- 7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. **Only at Tulane, Only in New Orleans**
Kendall Cram Room, 213 LBC Presentations on the **Center for Public Service, Study Abroad, TIDES First Year Seminar program** and the **Reading Project**
- 8:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m. **Rock 'n Bowl (Students only)**
Load busses and go to Mid-City Lanes Rock 'n Bowl for bowling, dancing and music at this famous New Orleans venue. (Soft drinks will be provided. Bring some cash for snacks if you'd like.)
- 11:30 p.m. – 12:30 a.m. **Optional Late Night Activities**
Butler Residence Hall **Registration Resource Room will be open for drop-in Q & A**

STUDENT Schedule for Day Two June 2, 5, 9, 12, 23, 26, 30

7:30 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.

Breakfast (wear your Orientation nametag)
2nd floor, Bruff Commons

8:15 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.

Small Group Rotations through Orientation Stations

NOTE: Your OTL will lead you from session to session. Each group will rotate to the different sessions in a different order, half the stations before lunch, the remaining half after lunch. Follow your OTL!

Orientation Stations include:

Class registration (85 min)

Academic Advising Center, Stanley Thomas Hall

Academic Advisors will review your course choices and be available for questions while you register online in the computer lab.

Tulane 101 (40 minutes)

Student Organizations Center, Garden Level, LBC

Led by your Orientation Team Leader

Living On Campus (40 minutes)

Race Room, 201 LBC

The Out of Class Experience (40 minutes)

Reiss Room, Garden level, LBC

Safety & Security in the Big Easy (40 minutes)

Rechler Room, 202 LBC

Card Services/Meal Plans (40 minutes)

Bruff Commons

Wellness (40 minutes)

Location TBA

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Food Court, 2nd floor LBC

Lunch (use your \$8 voucher)

12:35 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Small Group Rotation through remaining Orientation Stations
Follow your OTL!

3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Check- out of your residence hall room in Butler Hall

Don't forget to return your key to avoid being charged a replacement fee.

Please be sure to fill out the evaluation form. Your feedback is very important to us.