

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION DAY ONE

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| 7:15 a.m. | Check-in and Registration Bender Arena, Lobby Check in with orientation staff and receive your name badge, program schedule, and reusable water bottle for use throughout the next two days. |
| 9:15 a.m. | University Welcome Amphitheatre |
| 9:45 a.m. | Orientation Leader Group Introductions |
| 10:45 a.m. | Academic Transitions |
| 11:45 a.m. | Math Placement Exam All students are required to take the Math Placement Exam. Calculators are not allowed. |
| 12:45 p.m. | Lunch Terrace Dining Room (TDR) |
| 1:45 p.m. | Preparing the Soil for a Great NSO Experience |
| 2:15 p.m. | Where Your Roots are Planted: Living and Learning in the Residence Halls |
| 3:00 p.m. | Full Sun and Ample Water...Your Health and Wellness |
| 3:30 p.m. | Break Quad (Rain Location, MGC First Floor) Take a break with free Honest Tea and snacks on the Quad! This is a great chance to meet up with your family members or meet other new students. |
| 4:00 p.m. | Sowing the Seeds...The Involvement Journey |
| 4:30 p.m. | From Roots to Leaves...Working with AU Offices and Staff Members |
| 5:10 p.m. | OL Meetings Various locations |
| 5:30 p.m. | From Seeds to Seedlings...College Transition Issues |
| 6:30 p.m. | Dinner and OL Meetings (I.D.E.A.S.) Terrace Dining Room (TDR) and Amphitheatre |
| 7:45 p.m. | Seeds of Diversity...A Dialogue About Our AU Community |
| 8:15 p.m. | OL Meetings Various locations |
| 9:00 p.m. | Previews with Mission Improvable |
| 9:30 p.m. | Live at AU...it's NSO!!!! |
| 10:15 p.m. | Evening Activities- Leonard Hall |
| 11:30 p.m. | Lights out! |

DAY TWO

By 9:00 a.m.

Check out of your residence hall room

Leonard Hall, Front Desk

Please check out of your residence hall room at the Leonard Front Desk by 9:00 a.m. You are welcome to leave your bags in Leonard Hall for pick up later in the afternoon.

8:00 a.m.

Breakfast

Terrace Dining Room (TDR)

9:00 a.m.

OL Meetings

On the Quad

9:45 a.m.

Academic Meetings

All students are **required** to attend their Academic Meeting. During this time, you will have the chance to meet with your advisor and have the opportunity to meet other students with similar academic interests. In addition, students will learn about programs and resources available to enrich the academic experience and review or make changes to their class schedule.

College of Arts and Sciences
Kogod School of Business
School of Communication
School of International Service
School of Public Affairs

After you finish your Academic Meetings join us between 12:15-1:45 p.m. for lunch at the Terrace Dining Room (TDR) and the Club and Resource Fair on the first floor of the Mary Graydon Center. The Club and Resource Fair is your opportunity to meet representatives from various university offices, student groups, and campus vendors. A complete list of participants will be available at the Mary Graydon Center Information Desk.

1:45 p.m.

Slideshow and Evaluations

Recycle your name badge for a chance to win great prizes from AU Athletics, the Container Store, and New Student Programs.

2:30 p.m.

Concurrent Sessions – If you would like to attend more than one session and are unable to do so, please see your orientation leader for contact information.

Information for Varsity Student-Athletes

Learning Communities and University College (Students accepted for fall '09)

Honors Program (Students accepted for fall '09)

Transition to College for Students with Disabilities (Available only on June 19, July 7, & July 10)

Financial Aid Loan Counseling (This session is for students who are interested in applying for a Direct Loan or who have been awarded a Direct Loan as part of their financial aid award).