

Spring 2024 Family Orientation



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Friday, January 19

8:00 am -

Offices Available

5:00 pm

Student Health Center, McLeod-Tyler Wellness Center*

(then closed

Financial Aid, Blow Hall, Room 124

until Monday,

University Registrar, Blow Hall, Room 240

January 22)

Student Accessibility Services, Sadler Center, Room 181

**Student Health Center closes at 4 pm until Monday, January 22.*

9:00 am -

Residential New Student Orientation Check-In

12:00 pm

Sadler Center, Atrium

Residential new students should plan to arrive at the Sadler Center at your designated residence hall appointment time. You will begin with the orientation check-in process and receive your Tribe (Student ID) Card* before moving on to Residence Life. Once you have successfully checked in with Residence Life, students will be able to begin moving their belongings into their residence hall space.

**Students should bring a valid picture ID with them to receive their Tribe (Student ID) Card and pick-up their residence hall room key.*

11:30 am -

***OPTIONAL* Lunch**

2:00 pm

Commons Dining Hall

Meals during orientation are provided for all new spring semester students. Move-in helpers are welcome to join their new students through the line, as well, for this meal using the wristband provided to them during their student's orientation check-in.

1:30 pm-

***OPTIONAL* Campus Tours with More!**

3:00 pm

Meet in Sadler Center, Atrium

Use this time to get to know campus along with other students who are new to W&M.

2:30 pm-

***OPTIONAL* Campus Tours with More!**

4:00 pm

Meet in Sadler Center, Atrium

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5:30 pm -

***OPTIONAL* Dinner**

7:00 pm

Commons Dining Hall

Meals during orientation are provided for all new spring students. Families are welcome to join their student through the line, as well, for this meal using the wristband provided to them during their student's orientation check-in.

7:00 pm -

***OPTIONAL* W&M Women's Basketball v. Delaware**

10:00 pm

Kaplan Arena

Parents, Families & Supporters are welcome to join their students and cheer on the W&M Women's Basketball Team to victory over the Delaware Blue Hens!

Schedule as of Thursday, January 18, 2024. Subject to change as needed.



Saturday, January 20

8:00 am **Off-Campus/Commuter New Student Orientation Check-In**

9:00 am *Sadler Center, Atrium Main Entrance*

Off-campus and commuter new students should plan to arrive at the Sadler Center Atrium anytime during this timeframe to check-in for orientation and receive your Tribe Card before the program begins.

**Students should bring a valid picture ID with them to receive their Tribe (Student ID) Card.*

8:00 am – **Coffee & Light Pastries Available**

10:00 am *Sadler Center, Atrium*

8:00 am - **New Student & Family Connections Fair**

10:00 am *Sadler Center, Atrium*

W&M has numerous resources to help students be successful throughout their university experience. Various campus representatives will be available in one convenient area so you can pursue the information you want to ensure a positive start to your W&M experience.

9:00 am – **Welcome to the Family! Success at William & Mary**

9:30 am *Sadler Center, Commonwealth Auditorium*

A thoughtful and interactive program about your student's experience, W&M expectations, and parental support during the college transition.

9:35 am – **The Liberal Arts Vision: A Look into Academic Success**

10:15 am *Sadler Center, Commonwealth Auditorium*

We will highlight what makes our liberal arts education distinctive and describe the course planning and enrollment process.

10:20 am – **A Commitment to Wellness & Flourishing**

11:00 am *Sadler Center, Commonwealth Auditorium*

W&M focuses on promoting health and wellness for all students. Join us to discuss how we strive to accomplish this mission.

11:05 am – **A Chat with the Dean of Students**

11:45 am *Sadler Center, Commonwealth Auditorium*

Chat with W&M's Dean of Students about how the college journey can be an exciting and challenging time for students and families. Find out more about the support and opportunities available.

12:00 pm **Celebrating Your William & Mary**

12:30 pm *Sadler Center, Commonwealth Auditorium*

Together new students, parents, families, and student supporters will officially be welcomed to the Tribe family!

12:15 pm ***OPTIONAL* Lunch**

1:30 pm *Commons Dining Hall*

Meals during orientation are provided for all new spring semester students. Supporters are welcome to join their new students through the line, as well, for this meal using the wristband provided to them during their student's orientation check-in.

This concludes the Spring 2024 Family Orientation program. Please travel safely.