Freshman Orientation
2004

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21

9 am – 11:30 am  All Freshmen report to Lobby of The Allen Athletics and Recreation Center to check in and pick up orientation materials and housing assignment.

9 am – 11:15 am  Welcome reception for families and guests hosted by the Wabash Parents’ Council  
*Caleb Mills House on the Mall*

9 am – 4 pm  Lilly Library Open

10 am and 11 am  (Choose one to attend) Introduction to the Wabash College Fraternity System Sponsored by the Interfraternity Council  
*Baxter Hall, Room 101*  
(Recommended for men interested in joining a fraternity. Parents and guests are encouraged to attend.)

10 am – Noon  Malcolm X Institute of Black Studies Open House  
*Malcolm X Institute*

10 am – 1 pm  Computer Information and Demonstration  
*Sparks Center, Lower Level, Little Giant Room*

10 am – Noon  Academic Support Services Open House  
*Armory, Main Level, Quantitative Skills Center and Writing Center*

9 am – Noon  Business Office Open  
*Center Hall, First Floor*

9 am – Noon  Financial Aid Office Open  
*Trippet Hall, Garden Level*

10 am – 3 pm  Bookstore Open  
*Sparks Center, Lower Level*

10 am – Noon  Health Center Open  
*Allen Athletics Center, Second Floor*

11:15 am-12:45 pm Buffet Luncheon for freshmen and their families  
*Allen Athletics Center, Chadwick Court*
1 pm – 2 pm  “RINGING IN” THE CLASS OF 2008
Andrew Ford H ’03, President
Steven Klein, Dean of Admissions
Jon Pactor ’71, Alumni Representative
Chapel

2:15 pm – 3 pm  WABASH AND THE PROFESSIONS

Introduction to the Career Center
Rosalind Lister
Director of the Schroeder Career Center
Fine Arts Center, Salter Hall,

Pre-Health and Careers in Science
Karen Nelson
Pre-Health Advisor
Fine Arts Center, Ball Theater

Careers in the Law
Jon Pactor ’71
Attorney At Law
Baxter Hall, Room 101

Careers in Education
Michele Pittard
Assistant Professor of Teacher Education
Baxter Hall, Room 114

Careers in International Affairs
David Clapp
Director of Off-Campus Studies and International Students
Detchon Center, Room 209

3:15 pm-4:15 pm  Meet the Deans/Parents’ Panel
Thomas Bambrey ’68, Dean of Students
Mauri Ditzler ’75, Dean of the College
Hear from and talk with The Deans and parents of Wabash students
Fine Arts Center, Ball Theater

3:15 pm-4:15 pm  Freshman Advising Groups Meet with Students Orientation Assistants

4:30 pm-5:15 pm  Students and Parents Meet with Faculty Advisors

5:15 pm-5:45 pm  Parents’/Families’ Program Ends…Hugs and Good-byes

5:50 pm-6:30 pm  New Students Meet with Faculty Advisors
6:45 pm-7:45 pm Picnic for freshmen in the Arboretum
   *North of Martindale Hall*

8 pm – 9 pm Introduction to the Gentleman’s Rule
   Thomas Bambrey ’68, Dean of Students
   Student panel, Discussion and Questions
   *Fine Arts Center, Ball Theater*

9:30 pm Fraternity Rush

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 22**

8 am – 9 am Continental Breakfast for freshmen
   *Fine Arts Center, Lobby of Ball Theater*

9 am – 10:30 am English Writing Test
   *Fine Arts Center, Ball Theater*

Noon – 1:15 pm Lunch for freshmen
   *Sparks Center, Great Hall*

1:30 pm – 4 pm Foreign Language Placement Examinations

5 pm – 8 pm Dinner with Faculty Advisors

8:15 pm – 9 pm Freshman Campus Employment Meeting
   Clint Gasaway ’86, Director, Financial Aid
   Laura Frye, Assistant Director, Financial Aid
   *Fine Arts Center, Salter Hall*

9:30 pm Fraternity Rush

**MONDAY, AUGUST 23**

8 am – 9 am Continental Breakfast for freshmen
   *Fine Arts Center, Lobby of Ball Theater*

9 am – 10:00 am Freshman Surveys
   *Fine Arts Center, Ball Theater*

10:00 am-11:30 am Mathematics Placement Examination
   *Fine Arts Center, Ball Theater*

Noon – 1:15 pm Lunch for freshmen
   *Sparks Center, Great Hall*
1:30 pm– 4:30 pm Community Service Projects in Crawfordsville and Montgomery County

6 pm – 7 pm Picnic for freshmen on the Mall

9:30 pm Fraternity Rush

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

8 am – 9 am Breakfast for freshmen  
Sparks Center, Great Hall

9 am – 11 am Computer Orientation and Library Introduction/ID Cards  
Computer Sessions  
9 am – 11 am Groups A, C, E, G  
Library and ID Sessions  
9 am – 10 am Groups I, J  
10 am – 11 am Groups K, L

9 am – 11 am Individual Appointments with Faculty Advisors, as arranged by advisors

11:15 am – Noon Introduction to Academic Support Services  
Julia Rosenberg, Director  
Fine Arts Center, Salter Hall

Noon – 1 pm Lunch for freshmen  
Sparks Center, Great Hall

1 pm – 5 pm Computer Orientation and Library Introduction/ID Cards

Computer Sessions  
1 pm – 3 pm Groups B, D, F, H  
3 pm – 5 pm Groups P, Q, R, S

Library and ID Sessions  
1 pm – 2 pm Groups M, S  
2 pm – 3 pm Groups N, O  
3 pm – 4 pm Groups A, C  
4 pm – 5 pm Groups B, D

1 pm – 5 pm Individual Appointments with Faculty Advisors, as arranged by advisors
REGULARE MEAL SERVICE FOR INDEPENDENT MEN BEGINS WITH DINNER
ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25

8 am – Noon  Computer Orientation and Library Introduction/ID Cards

Computer Sessions
8 am – 10 am  Groups I, J, K, T
10 am – Noon  Groups L, M, N, O

Library and ID Sessions
8 am – 9 am  Groups E, F
9 am – 10 am  Groups G, H
10 am – 11 am  Groups Q, R
11 am – Noon  Groups P, T

9 am – Noon  Individual Appointments with Faculty Advisors, as arranged by advisors

1 pm – 5:30 pm  FRESHMEN REGISTRATION FOR FALL SEMESTER
Turn in registration form at Registrar’s Office
Center Hall, Room 115

7 pm – 8 pm  Dessert with President and Mrs. Ford
Detchon Center, International Hall

Bookstore Open Tonight until 7 pm

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26

Classes Begin