WMU Orientation



Day One

9 to 10 a.m. • Check-in - Garneau/Harvey Residence Halls

ALL STUDENTS and PARENTS/FAMILIES MUST CHECK IN HERE,

regardless of overnight plans. Visit the Demo Room if not spending the night. Pick up your folder and meal ticket(s).

9 to 10:15 a.m. Browsing Tables - Student Center SECOND FLOOR

9:30 to 10 a.m. • Pre-Orientation Workshops - Student Center SECOND FLOOR

• Alpha Program - 2209/2211

• Kalamazoo Promise - 2207

• Lee Honors College - 2213

10:15 to 10:55 a.m. • Family Welcome - Student Center BALLROOM

• Division of Student Affairs

Orientation Leader Introductions

• Office of Diversity and Inclusion

• WMU and YOU: A Safe Space to Be

10:55 to 11:05 a.m. • Student Rights and Responsibilities

11:05 to 11:15 a.m. Break

11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. 🟅 Family Strategies for Supporting Student Success - Student Center BALLROOM

12:15 to 12:30 p.m. • What's Next: Afternoon Schedule

12:30 to 1:30 p.m. • Lunch - Student Center Dining THIRD FLOOR

1:30 to 2 p.m. 📍 Afternoon Sessions Begin - Student Center BALLROOM

• Bronco Well-being: Prevention and Support Systems That Matter

2:05 to 2:35 p.m. Family Breakout Session #1 - choose one

• WMU Housing and Dining Services BALLROOM

Student Success Services ROOM 2209/2211

• Health Promotion and Education - Empowering Bronco Wellness ROOM 2213

2:40 to 3:10 p.m. Family Breakout Session #2 - choose one

• Financial Aid and Accounts Receivable BALLROOM

 Financial Aid will be available for individual questions following their presentation. Be sure your student has granted you proxy access. ROOM 2213

Career and Student Employment Services ROOM 2209/2211

3:10 to 3:25 p.m. Break

3:25 to 3:50 p.m. • Family Breakout Session #3 - choose one

Academic Advising at WMU BALLROOM

• Global Engagement/Study Abroad ROOM 2209/2211

3:55 to 4:30 p.m. 📍 Student Panel and Afternoon Wrap-Up BALLROOM

4:30 p.m. 🕴 Optional Campus Tour Depart from Student Center Ballroom

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Day Two

8:15 to 9 a.m.

Coffee and Chat - Gilmore Theatre Complex SECOND FLOOR

9 to 10 a.m.

The Bronco Way - Shaw Theatre, Gilmore Theatre Complex

10 to 10:30 a.m.

Division of Student Affairs Panel - Shaw Theatre SECOND FLOOR

Reconnecting with your students:

By noon, most students will have finalized their class schedules and you can anticipate hearing from them via phone call or text. Please note designated meeting spots below.

Students in the College of Engineering and Applied Sciences should check out of their room before leaving for advising. You will meet your student at Floyd Hall on the Parkview Campus. From Stadium Dr., travel south on Drake Rd. Continue through the traffic light onto Campus Dr., then turn right on College Circle to reach the destination.

GPS Address:

Western Michigan University
College of Engineering and Applied Sciences
4601 Campus Drive
Kalamazoo MI 49008-5314 USA

All other academic colleges should meet at Garneau/Harvey residence hall for room check-out.

NOTE: A \$75 fee will be charged for any residence hall keys that are not returned.