



Kentucky Wesleyan College
New Student Orientation 2017

Saturday, August 19

10:00am-12:00pm Residential Student Check-in

Students living on campus move into their residence halls during this time period after completing all necessary clearances in the Winchester Center. Student leaders, faculty, and staff will be on hand to welcome students and families and assist them with moving belongings into your new home.

2:00pm Commuter Student Check-in

Commuter students check-in at Rogers Hall in the Winchester Center.

2:00pm Residence hall meeting

All students living in residence halls must attend the meeting in their building.

3:00pm First Orientation Group Meeting (wear your new Orientation T-shirt and your group bracelet)

Student Orientation Staff (SOSers) will meet with their orientation groups for the first time in the Quad and then move to break-out locations.

5:00pm Welcome Dinner

Join President Bart Darrell, faculty, and staff at the annual Welcome Dinner on the Front Lawn.

Participate in a campus tradition that marks the official beginning of your college career. New Students are ceremonially passed from the Admission Staff to the Student Services and Academic Affairs staff. Vice President of Academic Affairs, Dr. Paula Dehn, will provide a charge to the class.

7:00pm Orientation groups meet at break-out areas

9:00pm 80s Dance Party! Rogers Hall

Get out your parachute pants and neon muscle shirts! It is time for an 80s Dance Party featuring classic 80s hits. Join the SOSers for this fun kick-off to Orientation.

Sunday, August 20

10:00am Welcome Worship Service

Join us to celebrate the beginning of the school year with a special worship service in Tapscott Chapel.

11:00am-1:00pm Brunch in the Cafeteria

1:00pm -5:00pm Block sessions I

Learn about the following during small group sessions:

- KWC History
- Academic Support Services
- College 101
- Take a special campus tour.

5:30 pm Dinner available in the Cafeteria

9:00pm PLAYFAIR! Jones Gym

“PLAYFAIR” is the most popular campus attraction in history for New Student Orientation Programs. PLAYFAIR is totally unlike anything else you have ever experienced. It's entertainment! It's fun! It's the perfect way to make new campus friendships!

(www.playfair.com)

Monday, August 21

9:00am-11:00am Block Sessions II

10:00am-12:00pm Groups explore Downtown Owensboro

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Learn about the following during small group sessions:

- Technology on campus,
- Library,
- Career Services, and
- Student Conduct/The Wesleyan Way

5:30pm Dinner available in the Cafeteria

8:00pm Orientation groups meet in break-out areas

9:00pm Hypnotist in Rogers Hall

Hypnotist Daniel James has appeared on America's Got Talent, The Tonight Show, The Ellen Show and at Caesars Palace in Las Vegas. Join us for his lightning-fast, high energy, interactive show.

Tuesday, August 22

9:30am-Noon Community Volunteer Projects

Five Orientation Groups will participate in a service project at a local service agency.

9:00am-Noon Block Sessions III

Learn about the following during small group sessions:

- Wellness
- Alcohol
- Sexual Assault

11:30am-1:30pm Lunch available in the Cafeteria

12:00pm-2:30pm Community Volunteer Projects

Five Orientation Groups will participate in a service project at a local service agency.

1:00pm-4:00pm Block Sessions IV

Learn about the following during small group sessions:

- Wellness
- Alcohol
- Sexual Assault

5:30pm Dinner available in the Cafeteria

7:00pm Orientation groups meet in break-out areas

8:00pm Student Involvement Fair and Ice Cream Social

Join us in Rogers Hall for the Student Involvement Fair, sponsored by your Student Government Association (SGA). Student organizations will host tables where you can learn about available activities and benefits of membership. Ice cream will be provided and each organization will provide yummy toppings.

9:00pm Presidential address

A special annual tradition when President Darrell give a charge to the freshman class.

Wednesday, August 23 First day of classes