

New International Student Orientation Parent & Guest Agenda

	Tuesday, August 15, 2023	
8:30 a.m 9:00 a.m.	Program Check-In Students and families check in at the Welcome Table	Krannert Center for the Performing Arts (KPCA)
9:00 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Welcome Activities	(КРСА)
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Phone and Banking Fair Students and families can explore options for phone and banking services.	Illini Union – Room 104
1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Parent & Guest Orientation Session One Learn more about campus departments, including the Bursar, University Housing, the Office of the Dean of Students, and the U of I Police Department. This information will help you support your student. Questions are welcome!	Gregory Hall Room 100 (located on the southwest corner of the Quad on Wright Street)
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Parent & Guest Orientation Session Two Hear about the process of learning a new culture and how students may get involved on campus. There are so many wonderful things to do!	Gregory Hall Room 100 (located on the southwest corner of the Quad on Wright Street)
	Wednesday, August 16, 2023	
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Optional Campus Visits to Cultural Houses and Resource Centers See below for more information	
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Parent & Guest Meet and Greet Join us for coffee & pastries and chat with other families and University representatives. A student panel will share about student life and answer questions.	Illini Union, General Lounge (Room 210)
10:30 a.m 11:15 a.m.	Optional Campus Walking Tours Campus tours will depart from the Illini Union General Lounge.	

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Optional Museum Tours Visit one of the outstanding museums on campus for a free tour. See below for more detailed information	Locations vary depending on tour
3:00 p.m 4:00 p.m.	Family Sendoff Activity Ready to say Goodbye? Stop by Anniversary Plaza to have a light snack and say goodbye to your student if you are leaving campus to return home. A brief performance begins at 3:30 p.m.	Illini Union Anniversary Plaza
5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Family Social Meet up at the Alice Campbell Alumni Center and celebrate being a part of the Illinois FAMILLY! International themed food provided.	Alice Campbell Alumni Center, 601 S. Lincoln Avenue (Limited parking available)

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Additional Information for Optional Visits to Campus Cultural Houses and Resource Centers

Centers are open for visitors 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION:

**Drop in anytime during the day at the Office of International Education for a cool drink and visit with the staff. The Office is located at 1210 West Nevada Street.

Cultural Houses and Resource Centers:

Asian American Cultural Center, 1210 W. Nevada St., Urbana

Bruce D. Nesbitt African American Cultural Center, 1212 W. Nevada St., Urbana

Chabad Center for Jewish Life, 209 E. Armory Ave, Champaign

The Gender and Sexuality Resource Center, Room 323 Illini Union

Hillel's Cohen Center for Jewish Life, 503 E John St, Champaign, IL 61820

La Casa Cultural Latina Center, 1203 W Nevada St, Urbana

Native American House, 1212 W. Nevada St, Urbana

Salaam Middle East and North Africa Cultural Center, 700 S. Gregory St., Suite E, Urbana

Women's Resources Center, 616 E Green St, Suite #202

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Additional Information for Optional Campus Museum Tours Feel free to choose one of the following tours to enjoy!

Tours begin at 2:00 p.m. at each individual museum. Families are welcome to choose one tour offered during the afternoon.

Spurlock Museum of World Cultures 600 S. Gregory, Urbana

Enjoy this regional center for cultural and archaeological collections from throughout history and across the globe.

Krannert Performing Arts Center 500 S. Goodwin Avenue, Urbana

Tour the University's world class performing arts center, learn about its offerings, and get a glimpse of what happens backstage!

Krannert Art Museum 500 E. Peabody Drive, Champaign

Take in Krannert Art Museum's outstanding collections of fine art, dating from ancient Egypt to contemporary photography.