NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION ~ SPRING 2018

Thursday, January 25, 2018

1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  Move into the Residence Halls for New Students
Welcome to PSU! Please pick up your room key at the HUB welcome desk located on the first floor of the HUB.

1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  Processing of Student ID Cards ~ HUB 037
Be sure to get your Student ID, you will need it to access your residence hall room after move-in.

4:45 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.  Welcome Dinner ~ Prospect Dining Hall
Come enjoy a hot meal, meal ticket provided.

5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  Men’s Hockey Game ~ Welcome Center and Ice Arena
Join our current students and cheer on your fellow Panthers!

Friday, January 26, 2018

7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.  Breakfast ~ Prospect Dining Hall
($8/person at the door, or counts as one meal swipe for students on a meal plan)

Anytime between CHECK-IN ~ Hartman Union Building, Courtroom
Pick up orientation materials, as well as your username and password in order to register for classes. Transfer students will receive current information about their transfer credits, which they will need for the 10:15am and 1pm meetings.

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OPEN & ID Card Processing (see page 4)

9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  Language Placement Exam ~ Hyde 221
If you are in any of the following programs (Anthropology/Sociology, Art, Art History, Biology B.A. option, Communication Studies, Criminal Justice, English, French, History, Music, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology B.A. option, Spanish, Theatre Arts, Tourism Management and Policy, and Undeclared), you should take the language placement exam. The exam only takes 20-30 minutes and will be helpful in selecting the appropriate courses to fulfill your language requirement.

9:15 a.m. - 9:35 a.m.  The Exchange is up to You! ~HUB 109
The ball is in your field to make the most out of your Plymouth State Experience. This session will help you determine how to make the right plays at PSU to get you to the end zone.
Presented by: Hannah Andritsakis
10:15 a.m.-10:25 a.m.  **Transfer Students Meeting ~ Boyd Science Center, Room 144**
All transfer students need to bring the transfer materials they received at check-in to this meeting and to registration at 1pm. Presented by: Melissa Ulery, Transfer and Articulation Specialist

10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  **Opening Session ~ Boyd Science Center, Room 144**
**Welcome Address**  Presented by Jason Moran
**Growth Mindset:**
What you believe about yourself can strengthen (or weaken) your performance as a college student. This session will help you build a winning mental strategy to support your success at PSU. Presented by Kayla Gaudette

**Get Involved! Finding Your Passions at PSU**
College is all about trying new things and finding your purpose. Are you wondering: What is there to do on campus? What do I get out of being involved? How can I get involved and stay plugged into what’s happening on campus? In this session you’ll learn how you can: get connected with and grow within your community at PSU, learn new skills to develop your strengths, engage in new experiences to discover your passions, and get involved! Presented by Brian Dye

**Library Cards Against Humanity:**
This is your library’s version of this popular game. The game is simple. We’ll need three volunteers. Each round, your host will ask a question. Volunteers will answer with their funniest card. Presented by Anne Jung-Matthews, Michael Davidson

12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.  **Lunch ~ Prospect Dining Hall**
Lunch will be provided for all students attending orientation.

1:00 p.m.  **Welcome to Your Major & Registration**
This is your opportunity to meet with faculty in your major! Learn about your program, opportunities for involvement in faculty-led research, and share a laugh with your professors.

*Bring your schedule of classes with you... and make sure you know your PSU username and password*

**Parents are not allowed to attend registration of classes**

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Adventure Education - ALLWell 115
Art – D&M 302  History, Philosophy, & Social Studies Ed. – Memorial 10
Atmospheric Science and Chemistry – Boyd 236  Interdisciplinary – Lamson 003
Biological Sciences – Boyd 001  Languages and Linguistics – Hyde 221A
Business – Hyde 120  Mathematics – Hyde 349
Communication & Media Studies – Hyde 314  Music, Theatre & Dance – D&M 314
Computer Science & Technology – Memorial 312  Nursing – Memorial 103
Criminal Justice – Hyde 215  Psychology – Hyde 318
Early Childhood Education – Rounds 103  Social Science – Rounds 203
Elementary Education and Youth Development – Rounds 118  Social Work – Hyde 214
English – Ellen Reed Lounge  Undeclared (Deciding) – Boyd 144
Environmental Science & Policy – Boyd 229
Health & Human Performance – D&M 406
Registration Advising Locations

Following the Welcome to Your Major Session is a registration session to make any necessary schedule adjustments with the help of an advisor.

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**IT representatives’ will be located in Memorial 213, Hyde 113, and Boyd 306 during 1-3pm

** Registrars representatives’ will be located in Boyd 306, Hyde 113 and the Registrar’s Office during 1-3pm

3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  Late Check-In for Residential Students
(for those who have not picked up their keys)

Please pick up your room key at the HUB welcome desk located on the first floor of the HUB.

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.  Dinner for Students on a Meal Plan ~ Prospect Dining Hall
$14/person, not on a meal plan.
Test your knowledge with a game of Trivia during your meal!

8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.  Cabin Fever Lawn Games** Hartman Union Building
Ward off cabin fever by playing some summer favorites like Corn Hole, Ladder Ball, Kan Jam, and more indoors!

Saturday, January 27, 2018

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Waterville Valley Ski/ Snowboard Trip
Sign up online (check your email) or check availability during check in

8:00 p.m. -10:00 p.m.  Craft Night™ HUB Fireplace Lounge
DIY residence room crafts to spruce up your living space
Additional Weekend Activities:

**Educational Theatre Collaborative: Hairspray** ~ Silver Center for the Arts, Hanaway Theatre
- January 26th & 27th at 7 p.m.
- January 27th & 28th at 2 p.m.

**Call (603) 535-ARTS (2787) or outside the local area: 800-779-3869**
*Tickets are available online. Convenience fees will apply.*

Athletic Events *(Free with Student ID)*
- Saturday, January 28, 2017
  - Women’s Basketball vs Eastern Connecticut @ 1 p.m. in the PE Center
  - Men’s Basketball vs Eastern Connecticut @ 3 p.m. in the PE Center

Monday, January 29, 2018

- 8:00 a.m. **First full day of classes**

Shuttle Service
- *The PSU Shuttle will not be available on Saturday, January 27th*
- *Operations will commence on Sunday, January 28th from 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.*

Processing of Student I.D. Cards ~Hartman Union Building / ID Center

**HOURS:**
- Thursday-1:00 – 4:30 p.m.
- Friday- 8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
  - **10:30am – Noon CLOSED**
- Noon – 4:30 p.m.

**Note:** *After January 26th, IDs will be made*

*Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m*

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