ORIENTATION 2015
New/Transfer Student Guide
WELCOME

New Student Orientation for both first-time entering freshmen and transfer students is planned, coordinated, and implemented by the Department of Basic Academic Services (BAS). The activities will familiarize you with the University environment and services as a first step to creating successful transition from high school to college life. Orientation activities include placement exams for math, reading and English, academic advisement by a BAS professional advisor and registration for classes.

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ATTENDING ORIENTATION

BEFORE YOU ARRIVE

WHAT DO I BRING?
- Comfortable clothing (Arkansas is warm during this time of year)
- A parent or guardian
- Important documents (transcript, immunization records, etc.). If you’ve received a letter concerning the event, then all requirements have been satisfied. You can, however, go through the checklist to be sure.

ONCE YOU ARRIVE

WHERE DO I GO?
Orientation begins at the Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. Health, Physical Education and Recreation Complex (Building 9 on the map below). You can check in at that location.

WHERE CAN I PARK?
You can park on any of the lots shaded in blue on the map below.

WHERE DO WE STAY DURING ORIENTATION?
You can stay with your parent or guardian in area hotels up until the date dormitories open (August 19). If you have any questions about housing, call Residential Life at (870) 575-7256.
MONDAY • AUGUST 17

8:00 a.m.  Residence Halls Open  
Harrold Complex, Delta Housing, Douglas, Hunt and Lewis Halls

1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  Residual ACT Testing | Caldwell Hall, Room 207  
(Student must bring receipt of prepaid fee from the Cashier’s Office and government issued photo ID)

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Orientation Check-In  
Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. Health, Physical Education and Recreation (HPER) Complex

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Departmental/Student Organization/Information Fair  
Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. HPER Complex | Clemmons Arena

TUESDAY • AUGUST 18

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.  Orientation Check-In & Continental Breakfast  
Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. HPER Complex | Clemmons Arena

8:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.  Welcome/General Session  
Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. HPER Complex | Clemmons Arena

8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.  Student and Parents Orientation  
Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. HPER Complex | Clemmons Arena

9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.  PANEL: Maintaining Eligibility for Financial Aid  
Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. HPER Complex | Clemmons Arena

9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.  Roadmap to Success: From Students’ Perspectives  
Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. HPER Complex | Clemmons Arena

10:15 a.m. –10:30 a.m.  Registration Logistics  
Kenneth L. Johnson, Sr. HPER Complex | Clemmons Arena

BREAK

12:00 p.m. –1:00 p.m.  Lunch: Picnic on the Yard  
W.E. O’Bryant Bell Tower (Sponsored by Basic Academic Services)

1:00 pm. –5:00 p.m.  Academic Advising and Registration (By color code, see page 6 for advisor assignments by major) Corbin Hall | See room key below

136  Dr. Mary Brentley  
Mrs. Alia Reeves  
Office of Admissions (Submit official transcripts, immunizations, etc.)

137  Mrs. Annette Fields

138  Ms. Florence Caine

143  Mr. Cedric Jackson

144  Ms. Bobbie Bradley
ORIENTATION 2015  SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

TUESDAY • AUGUST 18 (continued)

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Taking Care of Business**

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8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  ? a_bck ga? btgjq e_l b Pcegrp rgnix (By color code)
                       Corbin Hall, Rooms 136, 137, 138, 143, 144

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  R_i g eA_pcnm@sqj cfj

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                       Corbin Hall, Rooms 136, 137, 138, 143, 144

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  R_i g eA_pcnm@sqj cfj

FRIDAY • AUGUST 21

68. _m. – 1:00 p.m.  AMK N. QQRCqjd ezAnp g F jj*Pmnk / . 7
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8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  ? a_bck ga? btgjq e_l b Pcegrp rgnix (By color code)
                       Corbin Hall, Rooms 136, 137, 138, 143, 144

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  R_i g eA_pcnm@sqj cfj

MONDAY • AUGUST 24

68. _m. – 9:00 p.m.  First Day of Class

REGISTRATION CONTINUED

8:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon  Academic Advising and Registration (by Color Code)
1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Academic Advising and Registration (by Color Code)

**During the times when you are not scheduled for academic advising and registration, you should use these times to take care of school-related business matters by visiting the following campus services:
• Student Financial Services - Caldwell Hall, Room 102
• Residential Services - 1901 Fluker Street

• Admissions - Caldwell Hall, Room 205
• Student Accounts - Caldwell Hall, Room 102
• Cashier’s Office - Administration Building, Lobby
• Bookstore - L. A. Davis, Sr. Student Union
• Office of Disability Services/Veteran Affairs - Caldwell Hall, Room 106
THURSDAY • AUGUST 27
11:00 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.  Meeting with Academic Deans & Departmental Mixer

School of Agriculture, Fisheries, & Human Sciences
Woodard Hall Auditorium

School of Arts & Sciences
Hathaway-Howard Fine Arts Building | J.M. Ross Auditorium

School of Business & Management
Henderson-Young Hall | Sylvester Early Auditorium

School of Education
Dawson-Hicks Hall | Room 106

MAJORS  ADVISOR  LOCATION

Art, English (Non-Teaching), Music (Non-Teaching, Sound Recording Technology), Mass Communication (Journalism and Theater Arts)  Dr. Mary Brentley (BAS Director)  Corbin Hall, Room 136

Business: Accounting, Economics, Finance, Management, and Marketing, Biology: last name N-Z  Ms. Florence Caine  Corbin Hall, Room 138

Pre-Engineering, Industrial Technology, Computer Science, Mathematics (non-teaching), Chemistry, Physics, Nursing  Mrs. Alia Reeves  Corbin Hall, Room 136

Education: Early Childhood, Middle School Math & Science (4-8), Middle School Language Arts & Social Studies (4-8), Special Edu, Health, Physical Edu & Recreation, Rehabilitation Edu, and Secondary Edu (Art, Biology, Business Edu, Chemistry, English, Mathematics, Music, Social Studies)  Mr. Cedric Jackson  Corbin Hall, Room 143

Criminal Justice, Political Science, Psychology, Social Work, Sociology, Gerontology, History  Mrs. Annette D. Fields  Corbin Hall, Room 137

Agriculture; Regulatory Science Aquaculture & Fisheries Biology, Human Development & Family Studies Merchandising & Design; Nutrition & Dietetics Food Service/Restaurant Management Biology: last name A-M  Ms. Bobbie Bradley  Corbin Hall, Room 144

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