



INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION – SUMMER 2009

Please note that the Orientation Program is mandatory for all new international students unless listed as optional on the schedule. Failure to attend orientation will prevent you from registering for classes. The International Student Orientation schedule is subject to change.

For any questions or concerns contact:

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FRIDAY, MAY 15th

Reminder: Bring your Immigration Documents, Passport and Health Forms

7:30- 8 a.m.	Pick up <i>A staff member from the International Center will pick you up from hotel. It is important that you notify International Admissions of where you will be staying</i>	Various Locations
8:00 a.m.	Placement Tests <i>Not all students will need to take placement tests. Students will be notified if they need to take tests from International Admissions</i>	International Center- FLITE (University's Library) Room 404
9:30 a.m.	Check-In Submission of Documents Computer Sign-On Info Housing Ferris ID Business Office- Pay the \$5,000 tuition deposit	International Center- FLITE (University's Library) Room 404
	Lunch- <i>Students will go to a local restaurant to eat. Transportation will be provided.</i>	Leave from FLITE 404
1:00 p.m.	Presentation <i>Topics such as Immigration, Working on Campus, Health Center, buying Books, etc. will be explored</i>	Meet in FLITE 404

3:00 p.m.	Campus Tour	Leave from FLITE 404
SATURDAY, MAY 16th (Optional)		
10:00 a.m. - around 6 p.m.	Trip to Grand Rapids	Leave from FLITE Circle Parking Lot
SUNDAY, MAY 17th (Optional)		
10 a.m.	Move in to Residential Halls <i>At this time it will be possible for you to move into to your Residence Hall. Pick up will be provided.</i>	Various Locations
2 p.m.	Shopping at local stores	Leave from FLITE Circle Parking Lot
Around 4 p.m.	Movies	Leave from FLITE Circle Parking Lot
MONDAY, MAY 18th		
11:30 a.m.	Meet in International Center	FLITE 404
Noon	WELCOME PRESENTATION – ALL Undergraduate students <i>Students will go to the welcome presentation for their college. Presentations will take place in different buildings on campus, depending on each college's location.</i>	IRC
1 – 2 p.m.	COLLEGE MEETINGS – ALL Undergraduate students <i>Students will meet with college and register for classes</i>	To Be Announced
3:30 p.m.	Academics in the U.S.	FLITE 404
4:00 p.m.	Banking <i>Students who would like to open a checking or savings account will have the opportunity to do so during this time. Transportation will be provided.</i>	Leave from FLITE 404