2023 Discover Days

Discover Days is your fun-filled, make-lots-of-new-friends-and-learn-a-lot orientation!

Wednesday, Jan. 11

9 a.m. Residence Hall Move-In

Upon arrival, please check in to receive your ID, access to your residence hall and important information. You will receive instructions for move-in via email prior to your arrival on campus.

4 p.m. New Student Check-In and Welcome

Tinkham Veale University Center, Ballroom B (D4)

Join us to kick off your Discover Days experience. Learn more about what to expect, meet the orientation leaders and get to know other new students.

4 p.m. Parent and Family Welcome

Tinkham Veale University Center, Ballroom A (D4)

Hear from Case Western Reserve University leadership to learn more about your relationship with the university, sources of support and what to expect from Parent and Family Orientation.

5 p.m. Dinner

Review the dining options packet you received at check-in and bring your meal swipe card. If your family is with you, feel free to join them for dinner. The orientation leader team is also present to show you around and have a meal with you.

Thursday, Jan. 12

8:30 a.m. Breakfast and Mingle

Tinkham Veale University Center, Ballroom (D4)

A light continental breakfast and coffee will be available.

9:15 a.m. University Welcome

Tinkham Veale University Center, Ballroom (D4)

Join all new students and their families for our official university welcome from President Eric W. Kaler.



Thursday, Jan. 12 (continued)

10:30 a.m. First-Year Student Meetings with Navigators

Various Locations

You've engaged with your navigator prior to your arrival, and this is an opportunity to learn more about how your navigator can assist you during your time at CWRU. See the information sheet in your welcome packet for your assigned location.

10:30 a.m. Transfer Student Meeting with Undergraduate Studies

Nord Hall, Room 400 (D5)

New transfer students will meet with Dean Steven Scherger from the Office of Undergraduate Studies to discuss advising, academic program information and resources.

10:30 a.m. Exchange Student Welcome

Nord 410 (D5)

This is a session for incoming international exchange students, specially designed to help with adjustment to campus life.

11:15 a.m. Transfer Student Meeting with Navigators

Nord 400 (D5)

You've engaged with your navigator prior to your arrival, and this is an opportunity to learn more about how your navigator can assist you during your time at CWRU.

12 p.m. Lunch

Tomlinson Cafe (D5), Tinkham Veale University Center (D4) or explore Uptown (E3)

Join the orientation leaders for lunch in the Tomlinson Cafe. Be sure to bring your meal swipe card. If you have parents and family attending Discover Days with you, feel free to meet up with them for lunch.

1:30 p.m. SAGES First Seminar Meetings

Various Locations

Meet with your SAGES Instructor/First-Year Advisor and classmates as you review both seminar and advising expectations. See your assignment email for your meeting location. See the information sheet in your welcome packet for your assigned location.

3 p.m. Small Group Meeting

Various Locations

Meet with your orientation leaders to discuss campus resources and other important information related to your start at CWRU. See the information sheet in your welcome packet for your assigned location.

Thursday, Jan. 12 (continued)

4 p.m. Information Fair

Tinkham Veale University Center, Ballroom (D4)

The Information Fair is your opportunity to connect with campus resources, ask questions and learn how CWRU students utilize programs and services. Staff from multiple campus offices will be available to answer your questions and provide resources.

5 p.m. International Student Visa Overview: Staying-in-Status (required for F-1 or J-1 visa-holding students)

Guilford Hall, Room 323 (D4)

This is a mandatory session for all students holding F-1 or J-1 visas. International Student Services will share essential immigration information about properly maintaining your F-1 or J-1 student visa status in the United States.

Dinner

Review the dining options packet you received at check-in, and bring your meal swipe card. The orientation leader team is also present to show you around and have a meal with you.

7 p.m. Trip to Mitchell's Ice Cream

Have a craving for ice cream? Meet up with your orientation leaders for a trip to one of our favorite spots in Cleveland.

Friday, Jan. 13

Breakfast

Various Locations

Review the dining options packet you received at check-in, and bring your meal swipe card. The orientation leader team is also present to show you around and have a meal with you.

9 a.m. Meet with Orientation Leaders

Various Locations

Your orientation leaders will provide you with the meeting location.

9:15 a.m. Diversity 360

Various Locations

Diversity 360 is a campus-wide diversity education program for students, faculty and staff developed in collaboration between the Office of Multicultural Affairs and the Office for Inclusion, Diversity, and Equal Opportunity. As part of this program, you will engage with other students in discussions around diversity-related topics and ways to engage in the community as a change agent. See the information sheet in your welcome packet for your assigned location.

Friday, Jan. 13 (continued)

9 a.m. ENGR 131 Computer Science Proficiency Exam (optional)

Olin 803 (D5)

If you are interested in taking the proficiency exam for the ENGR 131 course (MATLAB), plan to attend this exam session. If you did not pre-register and/or have questions, please email Matthew Williams (matthew.williams@case.edu) Please bring a laptop.

12 p.m. Lunch

Various Locations

Review the dining options packet you received at check-in, and bring your meal swipe card. The orientation leader team is also present to show you around and have a meal with you.

1 p.m. Math Proficiency Exam (optional)

Strosacker Auditorium (D5)

If you are interested in taking the Math Proficiency Exam, plan to attend this exam session. If you did not pre-register or have questions, <u>follow the instructions on the Math website</u>.

1:30 p.m. Safety and Security Overview

Rockefeller 301 (D5)

Sergeant Jeffrey Daberko from Campus Safety will discuss the best ways to navigate the CWRU and surrounding community safely. He will discuss a variety of tips and share helpful information.

1:45 p.m. Univeristy Technology

Rockefeller 301 (D5)

Staff from [U]Tech will share information with you on various technology options, software, systems and more.

2:15 p.m. Student Success at CWRU

Rockefeller 301 (D5)

Part of being a successful student is practicing integrity in and out of the classroom. Your orientation leaders will lead you through a discussion and activity around success in the classroom, as well as provide you with information about the academic resources available to you as a new student.

3:15 p.m. CWRU Resource Tour with Orientation Leaders

Rockefeller 301 (D5)

Meet with your orientation leaders and Discover Days small group for a guided tour of campus resources.

Friday, Jan. 13 (continued)

5 p.m. Dinner

Various Locations

Review the dining options packet you received at check-in, and bring your meal swipe card. The orientation leader team is also present to show you around and have a meal with you.

8 p.m. Residence Life Social Event

Various Locations

Join your resident assistants and your peers for fun activities in your residential communities. Meet at a location based on your residence hall assignment:

Cedar/Magnolia, Stephanie Tubbs Jones and The Village: Cutler 1st Floor Lounge (E2)

Juniper and Hazel: Taft 1st Floor Lounge (E2)

Mistletoe and 1719 Building: Raymond 1st Floor Lounge (E2)

Clarke Tower: Main lobby of Clarke Tower (E2)

South Side residence halls: Fribley Multipurpose Room (F6)

Saturday, Jan. 14

Breakfast

Various Locations

Review the dining options packet you received at check-in, and bring your meal swipe card. The orientation leader team is also present to show you around and have a meal with you.

9 a.m. Physics Proficiency Exam (optional)

Rockefeller 301 (D5)

If you are interested in taking the Physics Proficiency Exam, plan to attend this exam session. If you did not preregister or have questions, <u>follow the instructions on the Physics website</u>.

10 a.m. Informed-U

Thwing Center, Ballroom (D4)

Meet the CWRU advocates from University Health and Counseling Services, the Flora Stone Mather Center for Women and the LGBT Center as you engage with your small group participating in activities to deepen your understanding of Bystander Intervention and related resources.

11:45 a.m. Next Steps

Thwing Center, Ballroom (D4)

This is the end of formal Discover Days programming. We'll discuss what's next for you on your CWRU journey.

Saturday, Jan. 14 (continued)

Lunch

Various Locations

Review the dining options packet you received at check-in, and bring your meal swipe card. The orientation leader team is also present to show you around and have a meal with you.

2 p.m. Discover Cleveland

Tinkham Veale University Center, Smith Commons (D4)

If you registered for a Discover Cleveland trip, meet in Tinkham Veale University Center at 2 p.m. to join orientation leaders on a trip into the surrounding Cleveland community. They will show you how to use the public transportation systems as well as visit the historic West Side Market and other Cleveland sites. Please note that this experience will be weather permitting and you will be contacted via email should the trip be canceled. Bring money along if you want to eat, shop, etc.

2 p.m. Chemistry Proficiency Exam (optional)

Clapp 201 (D5)

If you are interested in taking the Chemistry Proficiency Exam, plan to attend this exam session. If you did not preregister or have questions, email Drew Meyer (<u>dam135@case.edu</u>).

8 p.m. Bingo and Games

Thwing Center, Ballroom (D4)

Join the orientation leaders and your peers for Bingo and games. Snacks available as well as a chance to win some prizes!

Sunday, Jan. 15

Breakfast

Various Locations

Review the dining options packet you received at check-in, and bring your meal swipe card. The orientation leader team is also present to show you around and have a meal with you.

1 p.m. CSDS 132 Computer Science Proficiency Exam

Olin 313 (D5)

If you are interested in taking the proficiency exam for the CSDS 132 course (Java), plan to attend this exam session. If you did not pre-register or have questions, email Harold Connamacher (hsc21@case.edu).

