

Parent & Family Orientation

APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

August 17, 2017 Schedule



8:30 a.m. -
9:15 a.m.

Parent and Family Check-in:

Schaefer Center

*Families and students should review their schedules together. Plan a designated place to meet at the end of the day (the Student Union is recommended). Students will not be finished with their sessions until 4:15 p.m. or later.

Take a Quick Campus Tour or Visit the Information Exchange:

Schaefer Center

After Orientation check-in, families and students will have the opportunity to take a quick campus tour and/or visit representatives from the areas below to ask individual questions and pick up information.

Appalachian Food Services	Information Technology Services	University Housing
Career Development/ Career Exploration/ Student Employment	Marching Mountaineers	University Police
Counseling Center	Multicultural Student Development	& Env Health, Safety, & Emergency Management
Financial Aid	Parking & Traffic	Wellness & Prevention
Health Services	Student Accounts	Wells Fargo
	Transfer Student Mentors	
	University Bookstore	

9:30 a.m.

Opening Session with Students and Families:

Schaefer Center

Students will be excused at 10:15 a.m. for the remainder of their Orientation sessions. The Parent & Family Orientation morning session will include information on: *Academic Advising, Learning Assistance Programs, Office of Disability Services, Health Services and Parent & Family Services.*

10:45 a.m.

BREAK

(Parent/Family sessions for the remainder of the day will be in the Student Union.)

Be part of our Orientation service project by dropping off a donation for our on-campus Food Pantry and Free Store. These pantries provide free food, school supplies, clothing and more for community members in need. Look for the symbol and drop off boxes (Schaefer Center, and Student Union).



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11:15 a.m. Academic Affairs: Grandfather Mtn. Ballroom, Student Union
 Dr. Mike Mayfield, Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education will discuss ways in which you may assist your students with their academic progress. Parents and families will then break into small groups to meet with the appropriate Dean of their student's intended college.
All parents and families will begin this session in Grandfather Mtn. Ballroom and then split into the following meeting spaces:

College of Arts & Sciences	Grandfather Mtn Ballroom	College of Health Sciences	Price Lake
College of Business	Linville Falls	Hayes School of Music	Three Top
College of Education	Roan Mountain	Undecided Majors	Multicultural Center
College of Fine & Applied Arts	Table Rock		

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Lunch and Resource Fair:
 As your Dean's meetings end, families should use their meal cards on campus to enjoy lunch (Roess Dining Hall or Cascades Cafe). Then visit our Resource Fair in the Student Union to get information from campus offices and learn more about what Appalachian has to offer.

ACT	International Education & Development	Plemmons Student Union & Legends
Appalachian Spiritual Life Assoc.	Leadership Development	Red Flag
AsUR	Mast General Store	Student Conduct
Athletics/ Student Yosef Club & Yosef Club	Military Science & Leadership (ROTC)	Student Media
Campus Activities	Off-Campus Student Services & Student Legal Clinic	Summer Sessions
APPS, Clubs, Fraternity & Sorority Life	Parent and Family Association	Sustain Appalachian
Child Development Center		University Recreation (UREC)
Equity, Diversity & Compliance		University Writing Center
		Writing Across the Curriculum

1:30 p.m. Business Affairs Information and Panel: Grandfather Mtn. Ballroom, Student Union
 The Office of Business Affairs is an administrative division within Appalachian State University. These units strive to provide exemplary services that maintain the support necessary for the infrastructure, safety and physical operation of the campus. Offices represented at this session include: *ASU Police, Food Services & the AppCard ID Center, University Parking & Traffic, Campus Computing Services and the University Bookstore.*

2:15 p.m. Student Development: Grandfather Mtn. Ballroom, Student Union
 A representative from the Division of Student Development will discuss how students grow and develop in college, along with programs and services provided at Appalachian to assist students in this process.

3:00 p.m. BREAK

3:15 p.m. Parent Panel: Grandfather Mtn. Ballroom, Student Union
 Members of the Appalachian community (including students and a current parent) will lead a question and answer session offering their perspectives on a variety of topics.

4:00 p.m. Paying for College: Grandfather Mtn. Ballroom, Student Union
 This session focuses on the types of financial aid available, the process of applying for federal education loans, the student's cost of attendance and critical billing information.

Have a safe trip home!