



Residence Hall Check-in

Helpful Hints

1. **Arrival** – Arrive during your **appointed, color-coded** move-in time
2. **Unloading Zone** –8th Avenue (Newbury Hall), the Fairfield Hall parking lot, and the Centennial Hall driveway is restricted to 15 minutes - unloading only. Drivers have to stay with their car. Cars then need to be moved to a parking garage or commuter lot where parking is unlimited.
3. **Check-In** – Check into your residence hall for housing and orientation information (don't miss this step)
4. **Blue Bins** - Request a blue bin (big cart) at the residence hall front desk. Return the bin as soon as possible!
5. **Move-in Crew** – Students in team jerseys or orientation t-shirts will help you to move in. Ask someone if you need help.
6. **BCSSE Survey** - As soon as you're moved in check your schedule and go to the first available session to take the Beginning College Survey of Student Engagement (BCSSE). This is an important part of the orientation program and is required for all new students.
7. **Parent Check-In** - Parents should pick up their schedule at the Midtown Student Center
8. **Brunch** - Complimentary brunch is available from 10:30am-12:30pm at the Midtown Marketplace (Student Center) for all students and their families
9. **T-shirts** - Students need to pick up their Orientation T-shirt in the Midtown Student Center so they can wear it for the **Entering the Gates Ceremony (1pm)**.
10. **Entering the Gates and Opening Ceremony** - Students line up on the sidewalk in front of Old Main no later than 1:00 p.m. for the **Entering the Gates** ceremony and **Opening Ceremony**. Parents line up alongside the paths to the quad or find a seat. In case of rain an announcement will be made to go to Ives Concert Hall in White Hall.
11. **Unpacking** – Don't worry if you didn't get unpacked yet. Students will have time to unpack more fully and move into their rooms later that day and night.

Students and Parents: Please read through your schedules as soon as possible so you're aware of all the activities and events available to you