

First-Year Summer Orientation

Student Schedule

On Campus - June 25, 26, 27 July 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, & 16

Check-in

8:00-8:30 a.m. | Student Success Center

After you park in the Mason Street Parking Deck, come grab your materials for the day and enjoy light refreshments to get started! Check-in is required.

University Welcome

8:45-9:25 a.m. | Wilson Hall Auditorium

Campus administrators will officially welcome you to the JMU community and help to prepare you for the JMU learning experience.

Your College Home

9:40-10:25 a.m. | Various Locations

We expect you to make informed decisions about your academic career. Based on your major, college leadership will share information about how to progress and be successful academically.

Meet Your Orientation Group

10:30-11:00 a.m. | The Quad

Your OPA will be instrumental in helping you with your transition. They have tips and information about what life will be like as a JMU student, and give you the scoop on how to succeed academically and socially.

Lunch

11:00-11:55 a.m. | D-Hall

Use your meal voucher for a delicious lunch in one of our all-you-care-to-eat dining facilities!

Becoming a Duke

12:10-1:10 p.m. | Various Locations

Learn about the expectations of being a part of the JMU community while learning about resources that can aid you in your transition.

Academic Advising

1:40-2:55 p.m. | Various Locations

Meet with your academic advisor. You will discuss responsibilities as an advisee, your goals for college, differences between high school and college-level coursework, credible academic resources, and how an academic advisor can help you. There will also be an opportunity to discuss your fall schedule.

What's Next?

3:10-3:55 p.m. | The Quad

Your OPA will provide you with the details you need to prepare yourself for move-in and Weeks of Welcome. You will also complete a survey and then receive your JACard.

Resource Fair & Wrap Up the Day

4:00-5:00 p.m. | Student Success Center

Connect with campus departments that will help you navigate JMU. Your guests will meet you on the first floor of Student Success Center.

- Browse the JMU Bookstore
- Visit Financial Aid or the University Business Office
- Check out UREC