

INTERNATIONAL ORIENTATION

DAY 1 SUNDAY AUGUST 23

ALL DAY

Move-In

Members of MuKappa will help you move into your rooms.

5:00PM -
6:00PM

Furman Dining Commons

Dinner

Sit at tables reserved for International Orientation.

7:00PM -
9:00PM

The Highlands

Games

DAY 2 MONDAY AUGUST 24

ALL DAY

Move-In

Members of MuKappa will help you move into your rooms.

8:00AM -
9:00AM

Furman Dining Commons

Breakfast

Sit at tables reserved for International Orientation.

12:00PM -
1:00PM

Furman Dining Commons

Lunch

Sit at tables reserved for International Orientation.

5:00PM -
5:45PM

Furman Dining Commons

Dinner

Sit at tables reserved for International Orientation.

6:00PM -
8:00PM

The Highlands

Kick-off Activity

DAY 3 TUESDAY AUGUST 25

8:00AM -
8:45AM

Furman Dining Commons

Breakfast

Sit at tables reserved for International Orientation.

9:00AM -
9:45AM

*ED 322, Smith
Administration Building*

Welcome & Worship

Receive a warm welcome from Andrew Gordon, Dean of Students, and start off IO '26 with worship, led by MuKappa members.

9:45AM -
11:15AM

*Leaving from EDU 322,
ending in the Highlands*

Campus Tours

MuKappa members will provide an insider's tour of campus, followed by coffee in The Highlands.

12:00PM -
1:00PM

Furman Dining Commons

Lunch

Sit at assigned tables.

1:00PM -
4:00PM

*Leaving from Lot E,
outside the Highlands*

Banking, IdentoGO

Set up a banking account at TD Bank. Students in the Education program will get fingerprints through IdentoGO. Please bring your letter of residency, passport, cash, and a credit card (IdentoGO)

4:00PM -
5:45PM

*Meet in the Highlands
by 3:50pm*

Dinner at Chick-fil-A

Learn to navigate the SEPTA transportation system by catching the bus to Chick-fil-A.

6:00PM -
9:00PM

Scavenger Hunt

Join members of MuKappa in a photo scavenger hunt around campus.



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DAY 4 WEDNESDAY AUGUST 26

**8:00AM -
8:50AM**

Furman Dining Commons

Breakfast with MuKappa members

Sit at tables reserved for International Orientation.

**9:00AM -
10:00AM**

TBD

Devotions & Worship

Join us for morning devotions and prayer, led by Guy Eshelman, International Student Care Coordinator.

**10:00AM -
11:45AM**

ED 322

Academic Preparation

Please bring your laptop to this session.

**11:45AM -
1:00PM**

Furman Dining Commons

Lunch with Local Pastors

Meet several pastors to learn about a few of the local churches in the area.

**1:15PM -
4:45 PM**

*Meet in the Lobby
of the MAC*

Exploring the Community

Begin to find your way around the community as we use public transportation to visit some local places of interest.

**5:00PM -
6:00PM**

TBD

Dinner with RAs

Meet your Resident Assistants and other members of Community Life.

**6:00PM -
8:30PM**

BL 134

American College Experiences

Join other international and third-culture students in a discussion on a variety of American college experiences.

DAY 5 THURSDAY AUGUST 27

**8:00AM -
11:00AM**

*Leaving from Lot E,
outside the Highlands*

Brunch

Enjoy a time of relaxation at an off-campus location.

**11:30AM -
1:00PM**

Furman Dining Commons

Lunch

Join other incoming students for lunch and the beginning of Welcome Week.

2:00PM

Chatlos Chapel

Community Gathering

First event of Welcome Week (see Student Welcome and Orientation schedule).

**3:30PM -
5:00PM**

*Local Stores - leaving
from Chatlos Circle,
outside Chatlos Chapel*

Afternoon Break - Last Minute Shopping

During this time, you can shop for those last-minute items you need or just relax until dinner.

**Please follow the Welcome Week
schedule from this point on.**