

Everything in teal is required, all other events are recommended.

QUICK TIP:
During First Days,
Commuter
Students meals
are paid for!

2022 FIRST DAYS SCHEDULE



SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

DINING HALL HOURS: 10 A.M.-2 P.M. AND 4:30-6:30 P.M.
Meal Swipes start at dinner (4:30-6:30 p.m.)

4 P.M. MEET AND GREET ACTIVITY | KENNEDY CENTER
All students on campus are welcome to visit the Kennedy Center to get to know each other.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

BOOKSTORE HOURS: 11 A.M. - 3 P.M.
BISTRO HOURS: 11 A.M. - 1 P.M.
DINING HALL HOURS: 10:00 A.M. - 2 P.M., AND 4:30 - 6:30 P.M.

12-3 P.M. STUDENT DROP OFF
Family members, please depart by 3 p.m. so that students can partake in First Days activities with the incoming class.

3:15-3:40 P.M. STUDENT CHECK IN | HINSDALE ARCH
Check in will take place under the Hinsdale Arch. Here, students will receive information for the day, along with name tags and a schedule. Please take advantage of some refreshments and socialize with other incoming students and your Orientation Leaders.

4-4:45 P.M. MATRICULATION CONVOCATION | BATES HALL HAYDEN AUDITORIUM
Join in a Hiram College tradition where incoming students will march together to be welcomed to campus and learn about what their First Days on campus will look like! Please join us for a class photo after the ceremony.

5:30-7 P.M. DINNER WITH ORIENTATION LEADERS | KENNEDY CENTER 2ND FLOOR
You'll have dinner on the second floor in the Kennedy Center with your Orientation group. We'll have taco options for dinner tonight. Please let the serving staff know if you have dietary restrictions.

7-8 P.M. RESIDENCE HALL FLOOR MEETINGS AND COMMUTER STUDENT MEETINGS
On- and off-campus students will meet with Residence Life staff to go over resources, tips, campus life, events, and more. Students living on campus should ask their Resident Assistant where to meet. Commuter students will meet in the Kennedy Center Commuter Lounge.

8:30-10 P.M. S'MORES & BONFIRE ON CAMPUS
Join Hiram's Orientation Leaders in front of our Residence Halls at the fire pits after your meeting! There are bonfires in the front of Booth-Centennial and Henry Hall.



MONDAY, AUGUST 22

BOOKSTORE HOURS: 8:30 A.M.-5 P.M.
BISTRO HOURS: 11 A.M.-1 P.M.
DINING HALL HOURS: 7:30-9:30 A.M., 11 A.M.-2 P.M., AND 4:30-7:30 P.M.

Wear tennis shoes or boots today for the activities.

9-9:30 A.M. MORNING RUN | KENNEDY CENTER
Join us in a 3-mile run with Professor Dave Strukel around the village of Hiram.

9-10 A.M. TECH HELP AND IPAD PICK UP | KENNEDY CENTER BALLROOM
Utilize this time to pick up your iPad if you haven't yet. You can also get help with your Hiram account and email at this time.

9:30-10:30 A.M. WALK YOUR CLASS SCHEDULE | MEET AT THE HINSDALE ARCH
Take this time to learn where your classes are around campus. Orientation Leaders will be scattered around pointing you in the right direction. Please ask for help if you can't find your classroom.

10:45-11:30 A.M. PLAY FAIR | COLEMAN CENTER PRICE GYM
Please gather in the Price Gym to mingle with Orientation Leaders and students in a large group setting through some fun games!

11:45 A.M.-1:30 P.M. FIELD STATION PICNIC | JAMES H. BARROW FIELD STATION
Hop on the busses and go to the Field Station for tons of food truck lunch options and a great time.

1:45-3:45 P.M. BREAK TIME
Rest and relax. If you received an Arrival Checklist, please stop by the offices listed.

4-4:45 P.M. MEET AND GREET WITH THE FIRST YEAR PROFESSORS | HINSDALE ARCH
Meet under the Hinsdale Arch to be matched with your 'Urgent Challenges Seminar' professor to be guided on a tour of their classroom and meet your classmates!

5-6 P.M. DINNER WITH FIRST YEAR PROFESSORS | DINING HALL
After the tour with your professor, walk down to the Dining Hall with them for some dinner!

7-9 P.M. FIRST DAYS FESTIVAL | KENNEDY CENTER LAWN AND INTERIOR
Jousting, a mechanical bull, caricature artists, games, snacks, and more! Visit the Kennedy Center to enjoy the festivities with your incoming classmates.



TUESDAY, AUGUST 23

BOOKSTORE HOURS: 8:30 A.M.-5 P.M.
DINING HALL HOURS: 7:30-9:30 A.M., 11 A.M.-2 P.M., 4:30-7:30 P.M.

9-10 A.M. YOGA FOR BEGINNERS | BOOTH-CENTENNIAL LAWN
Meet on Booth-Centennial Lawn for some yoga on the campus green! Bring your new blanket to participate!

8:30-10 A.M. BREAK TIME
Rest and relax. If you received an Arrival Checklist, please stop by the offices listed.

10 A.M.-12 P.M. BRUNCH AND BINGO | DINING HALL
Visit the Dining Hall to get a catered breakfast with your Orientation leaders. Play bingo for a chance to win some prizes! This event is also a tradition for the week of your graduation as a senior here at Hiram.

12-1 P.M. PUP PROJECT | EAST HALL LAWN
Meet professors, staff members, and their dogs! There will also be a service project where you can make a dog toy and donate to a local animal rescue. Feel free to bring an old t-shirt to make toys.

1-4 P.M. CHOOSE YOUR AFTERNOON ACTIVITY! MEET ON THE KENNEDY CENTER LAWN TO BE LED TO YOUR ACTIVITY.

Field Station Hike - Van leaves at 2 and 3 p.m. from Bates Hall.

Mini Escape Room - Visit the Library to partake in an Escape room and Board Games.

Tie-Dye - Enjoy making some tie-dye shirts on the Kennedy Center front lawn.

Local Life Fair - Local pop-up food shops will be in the Kennedy Center for you to experience some local products!

4:30-6 P.M. LOCAL SHOPPING TRIP
Meet at the Kennedy Center Welcome Desk to take a trip to Garrettsville to pick up items. There will be another shopping trip to larger shops later in the week.

5-7 P.M. STUDENT SENATE HOE-DOWN | HINSDALE ARCH
A campus tradition that is a party filled with music, games, and food. Enjoy the last night of First Days!

7-8:30 P.M. WOMEN'S SOCCER SCRIMMAGE | HENRY FIELD
Cheer on our women's soccer team during their home scrimmage!

QUICK TIP:
The campus also offers shopping trips throughout the term!

WELCOME TO CAMPUS