



# NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION SCHEDULE 2026

	FRIDAY, SEPT 4	SATURDAY, SEPT 5	SUNDAY, SEPT 6	MONDAY, SEPT 7	TUESDAY, SEPT 8	WEDNESDAY, SEPT 9	
8:00 AM	Residence Hall Move-In	Open Morning Wellness and Connection Offerings	Open Morning Wellness and Connection Offerings	Open Morning Wellness and Connection Offerings	1:1 Advising Meetings	1:1 Advising Meetings	
8:30 AM							
9:00 AM		Welcome Tent Resource Fair	<i>What it Means to Be an Ole</i>	Morning Chapel Volunteer Choir	2030 Meet-Up	First Day of Classes Test-Run	First Day of Classes Test-Run
9:30 AM							
10:00 AM			SOAR Check-In	Academics @ Olaf			
10:30 AM							
11:00 AM		SOAR Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
11:30 AM							
12:00 PM	Community Lunch	Floor Check-In	SOAR Check-In	Academic Session Rotations	1:1 Advising Meetings	1:1 Advising Meetings	
12:30 PM							
1:00 PM							
1:30 PM	Transition Time	Community Session Rotations	2030 Meet-Up	Common Read Discussions Academic Exploration Expo SOAR Check-In	<i>Our Name &amp; Story</i>	SOAR Check-In	
2:00 PM							
2:30 PM	<i>A St. Olaf Welcome</i>	Bystander Intervention Belonging Workshop	Ole Experience Workshop Rotations	Campus Scavenger Hunt MORE Group Excursions	Explore Session Rotations	First Lecture	
3:00 PM							
3:30 PM	Kickoff to Orientation ( <i>Oles</i> ) Family Farewell ( <i>Families</i> )	Class of 2030 Photo	Topics based on Class of 2030 <i>Welcome Survey</i> responses	Dinner & Flex Time Wellness and Connection Offerings	Dinner & Flex Time Wellness and Connection Offerings	President's Celebration	
4:00 PM							
4:30 PM	SOAR Group Activities SOAR Dinner	Dinner & Flex Time Wellness and Connection Offerings	Dinner & Flex Time Wellness and Connection Offerings	Dinner & Flex Time Wellness and Connection Offerings	Dinner & Flex Time Wellness and Connection Offerings	Dinner & Flex Time	
5:00 PM							
5:30 PM							
6:00 PM	MORE Group Meet-Up	Residence Hall Corridor Meetings	Residence Hall Corridor Meetings	Residence Hall Corridor Meetings	Residence Hall Corridor Meetings	Open Evening Classes start tomorrow!	
6:30 PM							
7:00 PM	Residence Hall Meetings <i>Living in Community Sessions</i>	Residence Hall Corridor Meetings	Residence Hall Corridor Meetings	Residence Hall Corridor Meetings	Residence Hall Corridor Meetings		
7:30 PM							
8:00 PM		First-Year Neighborhood Lawn Party	Night in Buntrock	The SOAR Games	Movie on the Quad	Night in Skoglund	
8:30 PM							
9:00 PM							
9:30 PM							
10:00 PM							