



2012
NEWSTUDENT
TRINITY INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY
ORIENTATION

August 18 - 21

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Housing Move-In*

Residence Halls

During Housing Move-In, all residential students will have the opportunity to meet their Residence Hall staff and get checked into their assigned residence halls. Students are asked to prioritize their assigned time for “New Student Check-In” and can move into housing before or after their assigned time (*see times below*).

11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Lunch

Hawkins Dining Hall

Families are invited to try out Trinity’s dining hall. A discounted rate (see below) is available for parents and family members during NSO weekend; meals for new students are provided at no cost.

11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

New Student Check-In+

Melton Hall, Waybright Center

At New Student Check-In, students will receive all the information they need for NSO weekend, including schedules, student ID’s, and information from departments such as Student Accounting and Financial Aid. Students can also learn about the many opportunities available for student involvement on campus. It is important that students attend New Student Check-In at their assigned times.

Please check-in according to last name:

11:00 – 11:30 am: A – C	1:00 – 1:30 pm: M – O
11:30 – 12:00 pm: D – F	1:30 – 2:00 pm: P – R
12:00 – 12:30 pm: G – I	2:00 – 2:30 pm: S – U
12:30 – 1:00 pm: J – L	2:30 – 3:00 pm: V – Z

3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

TIU Orientation Workshop I (*Please participate according to RSVP*)

Parents and students are invited to participate in two of the following workshops to learn more about TIU and college life. Please note that the Campus Tour is offered at 4:00 p.m. only.

- **Financial Aid & Student Accounting**
For parents & students
Classroom 152 in McLennan Academic Building
- **Parenting from a Distance**
For parents
Classroom 210 in McLennan Academic Building
- **Academic Resources & Study Skills**
For parents & students
Classroom 215 in McLennan Academic Building
- **Campus Life & Student Involvement**
For parents & students
Lantern Lounge, Waybright Center
- **Campus Tour**
At 4:00 pm only; departing from the NSO Help Desk in the Waybright Center Lobby

4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

TIU Orientation Workshop II (*Please participate according to RSVP*)

(same as above)

4:45 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

Orientation Kick-Off+

ATO Chapel

This important event is a time for all new students and families to gather together and officially begin the New Student Orientation weekend at TIU.

5:15 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

New Student Activity hosted by Residence Life**

Groups will dismiss from ATO Chapel following the “Orientation Kick-Off.”

Get to know other new students at the first Res Life event of the weekend. Siblings of new students are welcome!



5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

President's Reception***

Melton Hall, Waybright Center

Parents of new students are invited to a reception hosted by TIU President, Dr. Craig Williford. TIU administrators will also be introduced, and parents will have the opportunity to ask questions they may have about the Trinity community.

NOTE: *Siblings of new students are invited to attend the "New Student Activity" at this time (see above).*

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Family Dinner

Hawkins Dining Hall & Waybright Lawn

Everyone is welcome to attend! Students will have the opportunity to enjoy time connecting with other students, families, staff, and faculty during dinner. Weather permitting, outdoor volleyball and lawn games will also be available after dinner on the Waybright Lawn.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Breakfast

Hawkins Dining Hall

Breakfast is provided for new students and offered at a discounted rate for parents and family members (see rate below).

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Church Services

Local Churches

Sunday morning provides students and families with free time to worship together at a local church. Trinity's "Church Guide" (provided in student orientation folders or at the link below) lists information about local churches: <http://www.tiu.edu/files/college/studentministries/churchdir1209.pdf>

12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Luncheon for Parents & Faculty***

Melton Hall, Waybright Center

While students dine with each other in Hawkins Dining Hall, parents are invited to join Trinity professors for lunch. Tables will be labeled for parents and faculty according to areas of study. Siblings can join new students for a complimentary lunch in the dining hall.

12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Lunch with Student Leaders

Hawkins Dining Hall

Students (and siblings) will eat lunch with Trinity Student-Leaders today and can learn more about involvement in the campus community. Tables in Hawkins Dining Hall will be designated for the various leadership groups represented.

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Dedication Service**

ATO Chapel

The Dedication Service is a time to dedicate new students, their families, and their year at Trinity to the Lord as the time with parents draws to a close at NSO.

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Transfer Students Bowling Outing

Meet in Waybright Center Lobby

Get to know other transfer students at this event hosted by Student Government Association!

6:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

Dinner with Residence Life**

Hawkins Dining Hall

Students will join the Residence Life staff in Bro-Sis groups for dinner prior to their evening activities.

6:45 p.m. –

Residence Life Bro-/Sis Events**

Various Locations

Students will have various evening activities provided by Residence Life RA's.

MONDAY, AUGUST 20

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Breakfast

Hawkins Dining Hall

Breakfast is provided for all new students.

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Academic Information & Advising+

Melton Hall, Waybright Center

This important session provides students with vital information about academics and kicks off a day of department advising and finalizing course schedules.

11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Transfer Student Meeting+

McLennan 152

This meeting is a mandatory session for all transfer students to discuss issues specific to transferring into TIU.

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch with Professors+
Hawkins Dining Hall

Students and faculty will have lunch together following academic advising. Please look for tables in Hawkins Dining hall that are designated for each major.

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Special Advising for Secondary Education, P.E., & Music/Education Majors+
McLennan 152

All students majoring in Secondary Education, P.E, or Music/Education are asked to attend.

1:00, 1:45, 2:30, 3:15 OR 4:00 p.m. as assigned

Trinity Technology Training+
Rolfing Library Computer Lab

Technology Training sessions provide important information about TIU email and communications, as well as academic systems students will use for their courses. These sessions are assigned (see "Trinity Technology" handout in student NSO folders). Students with laptops are encouraged to bring them to this session.

NOTE: Students who need to attend events that run concurrently with Trinity Tech Training (Special Advising, Late Registration, or Student Loan Completion) can attend any Tech Training session that their schedule allows today, regardless of their assigned time.

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Late Registration+
Mac Lab, Lew Building

Students assigned a Late Registration appointment at New Student Check-In are required to attend in order to get course schedules finalized.

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Student Loan Completion Meetings+
Lew Computer Lab (North Loft)

Students assigned a Student Loan Completion appointment at New Student Check-In are required to attend and finalize their Financial Aid.

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Course Schedule Changes
Mac Lab, Lew Building

Students who would like assistance making changes to course schedules can attend this session.

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Store Shuttles to Target & Wal-Mart
Meet at front entrance of Waybright Center

Students who need to make a run to a local store can take advantage of our TIU shuttle.

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Dinner
Hawkins Dining Hall

8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

F.A.T. Worship Night
Johnson/Madsen Lawn (Rain: A.T. Olson Chapel)

Join in a night of worship outdoors, hosted by Trinity's student-led F.A.T. Team (Faithful, Available, Teachable).

9:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Bonfire & S'mores sponsored by Campus Recreation & Women's Ministry Council
Lake Trojan

After F.A.T., make the trek to Lake Trojan, just west of the Meyer Sports Complex, to hang out and make some s'mores with Campus Recreation and Women's Ministry Council.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21

7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Breakfast
Hawkins Dining Hall

8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Service Project sponsored by Community Partnerships Cabinet
Meet in the Lobby of the Waybright Center

Come out and serve in one of three local ministries and connect with other new students!

11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Lunch
Hawkins Dining Hall

1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Music Auditions (by appointment)
McLennan Building, Music Department

Interested in being a part of a music ensemble? Sign up for an audition time at New Student Check-In or stop by the music department in the McLennan Building.

1:00, 1:45, 2:30, 3:15 OR 4:00 p.m. as assigned

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6:30 p.m.

Freshmen Mugging
Melton Hall, Waybright Center

Trinity's alumni network would like to welcome you to campus with a root beer float in a TIU mug that you get to keep. Even if you don't like root beer, come on by for your free mug!

7:30 p.m.

Welcome Back Coffeehouse sponsored by College Union
Melton Hall, Waybright Center

Come out to the Welcome Back Coffeehouse, a TIU tradition that's held the night before classes every semester! You'll get to enjoy some free coffee and snacks while you listen to Trinity students perform their music.

- + **Mandatory event for all students**
- * **Mandatory event for Residential students only**
- ** **Mandatory event for Residential students/optional for Commuters**
- *** **Event for parents only**

New Student Orientation Help Desk

The NSO Help Desk is available to assist with questions regarding New Student Orientation and is located near the main entrance of the Waybright Center. The hours include:

- Saturday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
- Sunday: 12:00 – 4:00 p.m.
- Monday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- Tuesday: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

NSO Meal Rate for Families of New Students

\$5.50/meal in Hawkins Dining Hall (*Waybright Center*)

Student I.D. Photos: Extended Hours

Student I.D.'s are available during students' assigned times at New Student Check-In. Extended hours are available for those who may have missed their check-in time. Students can get their I.D.'s outside of the Commuter Lounge of the Waybright Center from 3:00–4:30 p.m. on Saturday.

Beginning Monday, student I.D.'s will be available in Student Affairs (*Lower Waybright*) during regular business hours (9:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.).

Commuter Hospitality Room

- Saturday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
- Sunday: 12:00 – 4:00 p.m.
- Monday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- Tuesday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

White Horse Café Hours (Waybright Center)

- Saturday: 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
- Monday: 7:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.
- Tuesday: 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Bookstore Hours

- Saturday: 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
- Monday: 8:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.
- Tuesday: 8:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Faculty Office Hours

Monday and Tuesday afternoons during NSO

Other important events

- **First Day of Classes**
Wednesday, August 22nd
- **Residence Life Mandatory Suite Meetings**
Wednesday, August 22nd at 10:00 p.m.
- **First Day of Chapel**
Friday, August 24th at 11:00 a.m.
- **Part-time Job Fair**
Wednesday, September 5th in the lobby of the Waybright Center

QUESTIONS?

Visit the NSO website at tiu.edu/orientation or call Student Affairs at **847.317.7070**