3:30–5:30 p.m. Advising conference times for Individual Conferences with Advisors

2–5:30 p.m. *A Toolkit for Academic Success at Bates College

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1:45–2:15 p.m. Advising in Action

A theatrical performance by faculty advisors, for students named Leichter through Zuckerman

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12:30–2 p.m. Bill Hiss ’66 talk about Bates history and culture

with student representatives, deans of students and Vice President

Being a Batesie

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Community Dinner

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7–9 p.m.

Sunset on the Quad

Main Quadrangle

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Student Activities Fair

Library Arcade

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Rand Hall Field

Class of 2008 Lobster Bake

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Library Arcade

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4–5:30 p.m.

Chase Hall, Hirasauna Lounge

3/2 Engineering Degree Program Introductory Session

4–5:30 p.m.

Chase Hall, Lohrengel Lounge

Pre-Law Introductory Session

4–5:30 p.m.

Carnegie Science, Room 113

Neuroscience Introductory Session

4–5:30 p.m.

Carnegie Science, Room 204

Biological Chemistry Introductory Session

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

3–4:30 p.m.

Chase Hall, Lohrengel Lounge

Medical Studies Introductory Session

4–5:30 p.m.

Chase Hall, Hirasauna Lounge

Pre-Business Introductory Session

4:30 p.m.

Frey Street Union

Reception for Transfer Students

Important Notes

Office Hours for Orientation Weekend

9 a.m.–4:30 p.m. daily, except Sunday during New Student Orientation

Office of the Dean of Students

102 Lane Hall

Housing Office

Chase Hall

Student Activities Office

Chase Hall

Concierge (Information Desk)

Chase Hall

College Bookstore

Chase Hall

9 a.m.–4:30 p.m. Saturday, September 4 (store only)

9 a.m.–4:30 p.m. Monday, September 6 (both store and textbook sales)

Ladd Library

9 a.m.–6 p.m. Saturday, September 4

10 a.m.–6 p.m. Sunday, September 5

9 a.m.–6 p.m. Monday, September 6

Help Desk

Ladd Library/Ext. 8222

9 a.m.–6 p.m. Saturday, September 4

10 a.m.–6 p.m. Sunday, September 5

8 a.m.–6 p.m. Monday, September 6

Registrar

Libbey Forum

9 a.m.–4 p.m. Monday, September 6

Counseling Services

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Schedule of Events

MONDAY, August 30
8 a.m.–3 p.m. Chase Hall
Check-in for Annual Entering Student Orientation Program (AESOP)
5–8 p.m. Lewiston-Auburn Walking Tour and Downtown Barbecue

FRIDAY, September 3
All day Multicultural Center, second floor
Buddhist Shrine Open
1 p.m. Muslim Prayer Rooms, Multicultural Center, first floor
Friday Prayers
6 p.m. Multicultural Center
Shabbat Services

SATURDAY, September 4
8 a.m.–1 p.m.
* Registration
  • Room and building keys/electronic access
  • Student Orientation Packet pick-up
  • Entering Student Survey administration
  • Student identification processing
  • Student employment
  • Banking services through Peoples Heritage Bank
  • Voter registration
  • Parents’ Welcome Table
9 a.m.–4 p.m.
Gray van near Dana Chemistry
Information Services assistance available
9 a.m.–6 p.m. Ladd Library
*Information Services
Computer password distribution, computer-use introductory sessions and parent/family tours
9–11 a.m. Pettengill Hall, front entrance
Campus Tours
Tours leave at 9 and 10 a.m.
11 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Alumni Gym
Parent Orientation
12:30–2 p.m. Library Quad
Parent and New Student Barbecue with Deans of Students
Rain site: Memorial Commons
12:30–2 p.m. Pettengill Hall, Perry Atrium
Student Financial Aid and Student Accounts
Representatives available for questions and information

FRIDAY, September 6
8–9 a.m. Memorial Commons
* Transfer Student Advising Session
11 a.m.–2 p.m. Individual Advising Sessions

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MONDAY, August 30
8 a.m.–3 p.m. Chase Hall
Transfer Students Dinner
Parents and families invited
6:45–7:45 p.m. Olin Arts Center and Keigwin Amphitheater
Integrated Arts Performances
Featuring dance, a cappella singing and art museum exhibits
7:45 p.m. Opportunity for Family Farewells

FRIDAY, September 3
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Rain site: Memorial Commons
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FRIDAY, September 6
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New Student Talent Show
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The Ronj, 32 Frye St.
Late Night at the Ronj
Check out Bates’ student-run coffeehouse

MONDAY, September 6
8–9 a.m. Memorial Commons
* First Class Meeting of First-Year Seminars
9:15–10:30 a.m.
Breakfast

SUNDAY, September 5
7:45 a.m. Memorial Commons
Ecumenical Sunday Liturgy for New Students
All are welcome.
Rain site: Chapel
9:15–10:30 a.m.
Breakfast
10:30–12 p.m.
Final Family Farewells

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9:30–11 a.m.
Edmund S. Muskie Archives

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  Interdisciplinary Perspectives
  Hear from upperclass student representatives and faculty in the College’s interdisciplinary major programs
• Topic No. 3 Chase Lounge
  Co-curricular Learning and Civic Engagement
  Learn about service-learning, community action research, summer internships and student fellowships

3:30–5:30 p.m.
Free Time!

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