Program of Events

Below is a draft schedule of events for First-Year Families Weekend 2018. Event details are subject to change. Registration will open on our website by September 28. Members of the Class of 2022 are cordially invited to accompany their families throughout the weekend’s events.

Friday, October 12

9:00 AM-5:00 PM  First-Year Families Weekend Check-In. Please come to the 100 level of Frist Campus Center to check in, pick up your nametag, a program of events, and have some refreshments. If you would like to attend Saturday brunch, a PPPL tour, or the student performance group variety show, you can pick up tickets for these events as well. Late registrants welcome! Frist Campus Center, 100 Level

10:00-10:50 AM  Faculty Lecture. Presented by Elizabeth Levy Paluck, Professor of Psychology and Public Affairs. McCosh Hall, Room 50

11:00-11:50 AM  Faculty Lecture. Presented by Steven Chung, Associate Professor of East Asian Studies. McCosh Hall, Room 50

11:00 AM-2:00 PM  Tour Period

- Guided Tour: Campus Green Tour
- Guided Tour: Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory*
- Guided Tour: Lewis Arts Complex
- Guided Tour: Orange Key Campus Tour
- Guided Tour: Princeton University Art Museum
- Guided Tour: Firestone Library

*Please note: this tour takes place off-campus at 100 Stellarator Road, Princeton, NJ

12:00-1:00 PM  Panel Discussion. International Opportunities. Learn more about Princeton’s global perspective and opportunities available for students to participate in international service, study and fellowships. Karen Krahulik, senior associate dean for international programs and experiential learning, moderator. Location TBD
1:30-2:45 PM  Panel Discussion. A.B. Student Experiences: Seniors Discuss Their Paths Through Princeton. Claire Fowler, senior associate dean of the college, moderator. All students are welcome to attend. Location TBD

1:30-2:45 PM  Panel Discussion: Engineering Students Discuss Their Paths Through Princeton. Peter Bogucki, associate dean for undergraduate affairs, School of Engineering and Applied Science, moderator. McCosh Hall, Room 10

2:00-5:00 PM  Open House: Princeton Parents Committee. The Princeton Parents Committee is eager to welcome you to the Princeton family. Please stop by for refreshments and to meet members of the Committee as well as other first-year parents. Prospect House

3:00-5:00 PM  Open Houses and Receptions
- Office of International Programs. Louis A. Simpson International Building, Weickart Atrium
- Carl A. Fields Center for Equality + Cultural Understanding. 58 Prospect Ave.
- Davis International Center. 87 Prospect Ave.
- LGBT Center. Room 246 Frist Campus Center
- Women*s Center. Room 243, Frist Campus Center

3:00-5:00 PM  Tiger Harvest. All are welcome to join students, faculty, and staff for food, crafts, music and the Grit ’N’ Wit Challenge. Sponsored by Campus Recreation. Poe Field

3:00-4:30 PM  Panel Discussion. The First-Year Experience: Transitioning to College. Members of the Campus Life staff will discuss transitioning to college. Alison L. Boden, Dean of Religious Life and the Chapel, moderator. Location TBD

5:00-6:30 PM  Meet and Greet Welcome Reception with President Eisgruber. Lewis Arts Complex Forum

Saturday, October 13

8:30 AM-2:00 PM  First-Year Families Weekend Check-In. If you missed check-in on Friday, please come to the 100 level of Frist Campus Center to check in, pick up your nametag, a program of events, and have some refreshments. If you would like to attend Saturday brunch or the student performance group variety show, you can pick up tickets for these events as well. Late registrants welcome! Frist Campus Center, 100 Level

9:00-10:00 AM  A Conversation with Dean of the College Jill Dolan and Vice President for Campus Life Rochelle Calhoun. Alexander Hall, Richardson Auditorium
10:15-11:30 AM  Residential College Panels
The head of each residential college will moderate a panel of students and staff members who will discuss residential life and answer questions.

- Butler College, moderated by Nicole Shelton, Head of Butler College. 1967 Hall Gallery
- Forbes College, moderated by Maria Garlock, Head of Forbes College. Forbes Lounge
- Mathey College, moderated by Stacey Sinclair, Head of Mathey College. Mathey Common Room
- Rockefeller College, moderated by Clancy Rowley, Head of Rockefeller College. Rockefeller Common Room
- Whitman College, moderated by Sandra Bermann, Head of Whitman College. Class of 1970 Theater
- Wilson College, moderated by AnneMarie Luijendijk, Head of Wilson College. Julian Street Library

11:00 AM-2:00 PM  Brunch in the Residential Colleges and the Center for Jewish Life
Parents and families are invited to have brunch with their students in their dining facilities (Butler, Forbes, Mathey, Rockefeller, Whitman and Wilson colleges, and the Center for Jewish Life).

1:00 PM  Princeton Football v. Brown. Tickets may be purchased here. Princeton Stadium

1:00-4:00 PM  Tour Period
- Guided Tour: Lewis Arts Complex
- Guided Tour: Princeton University Art Museum
- Guided Tour: Firestone Library

3:00-4:00 PM  Panel Discussion. Learning at Princeton. A panel discussion with Amanda Irwin Wilkins, director, Princeton Writing Program; Rebecca Graves-Bayazitoglu, director, McGraw Center for Teaching and Learning; and Pascale Poussart, director, Office of Undergraduate Research. Elizabeth Colagiuri, deputy dean of the college, Office of the Dean of the College, moderator. Location TBD

4:00-5:30 PM  Open Houses and Receptions
- Pace Center for Civic Engagement. Room 201A, Frist Campus Center
- Career Services. 36 University Place, 2nd Floor
- Health Professions Advising. 36 University Place, Suite 230

5:30-6:30 PM  Student Performance Groups Variety Show. Pick up your free tickets at the check-in desk at Frist Campus Center, 100 level. These tickets are first-come, first-served. Alexander Hall, Richardson Auditorium