

First-Year Summer Orientation

Student Schedule

On Campus - June 24, 25, 26 30, July 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, & 16

Check-in

Begins at 7:45 a.m./ Student Success Center

After you park in the Mason Street Parking Deck, come grab your materials for the day and enjoy light refreshments to get started! Check-in is required.

University Welcome

Wilson Hall Auditorium

Campus administrators will officially welcome you to the JMU community and help to prepare you for the JMU learning experience.

Your College Home

Various Locations

We expect you to make informed decisions about your academic career. Based on your major, college leadership will share information about how to progress and be successful academically.

Meet Your Orientation Group

The Quad

Your OPA will be instrumental in helping you with your transition. They have tips and information about what life will be like as a JMU student, and give you the scoop on how to succeed academically and socially.

Lunch

D-Hall

Use your meal voucher for a delicious lunch in one of our all-you-care-to-eat dining facilities!

Becoming a Duke

Various Locations

Learn about the expectations of being a part of the JMU community while learning about resources that can aid you in your transition.

Connections

Various Locations

Coming to college provides opportunities to connect with new people and experiences. This session focuses on building the skills to make meaningful connections when you arrive in August.

Campus Showcase

Various Locations

Learn about all of the resources and programs that are here at JMU to support you. You'll have the chance to attend two breakout sessions, based on the selections you made while completing your Orientation Reservation and Declaring a Major step in the New Student Checklist.

What's Next?

The Quad

Your OPA will provide you with the details you need to prepare yourself for move-in and Weeks of Welcome. You will also complete a survey and then receive your JACard.

Resource Fair & Wrap Up the Day

Student Success Center

Connect with campus departments that will help you navigate JMU. Your guests will meet you on the first floor of Student Success Center.

- Browse the JMU Bookstore
- Visit Financial Aid or the University Business Office
- Check out UREC