

8:15am-9:00am **Orientation Check-In**

**First Floor Lobby, Student Center**

*After picking up your packet, visit the campus bookstore or head to CDR for light refreshments and the following:*

- Turn in athletic health forms and/or accessibility paperwork (if applicable)
- Student Organization information and identity buttons

8:15am-9:00am **McClain Center for Diversity Breakfast**

**Geil Lounge, Student Center**

9:00am-9:15am **Orientation Welcome**

**CDR, Student Center**

*Kick off the orientation day with a welcome from members of Senior Staff.*

9:15am-10:15am **Academics 101**

**CDR, Student Center**

*A collaborative session between Academic Affairs and COMPASS: Sweet Success Center on academic policies, requirements, processes and supplemental services that Wittenberg University offers to help students complete their degree.*

10:20am-10:50am **Faculty Panel**

**CDR, Student Center**

*Hear from faculty about the opportunities they provide for students to engage in the course content, as well as their expectations for students in the classroom.*

11:00-11:30 **Career Engagement**

**CDR, Student Center**

*Hear from the Executive Director of Career Engagement about how Wittenberg supports students in figuring out "what's next" after college.*

11:30am-12:15pm **Family Luncheon**

**Shouplin 105**

12:20pm-12:50pm **Financial Aid and Student Accounts**

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*The offices of Financial Aid and Student Accounts will discuss the financial aspects of the college experience.*

**Break Out information sessions: see session lists for presenters and locations**

**Blair Hall**

1:00pm-1:20pm Session 1

1:30pm-1:50pm Session 2

2:00pm-2:20pm Session 3

2:30pm-3:15pm **Strategies for Student Support and Housing Information**

*Discuss the evolving role of parents and families and discover strategies to support your student in their learning and development. Discover common transition areas as well as avenues to promote healthy student growth.*

### **Letter Writing**

*College can be a big adjustment for your student. During this time, we encourage you to write an informal letter to your student that they will receive in the second week of classes. We have included letterhead and an envelope in your orientation folder. This letter could include your advice, reminders of the resources available, or simply some encouragement.*

### **3:00pm-4:30pm Engagement Fair**

*Meet back up with your student, get your final questions answered, and address any items you still need to complete before departing. Once students turn in their survey and collect their Wittenberg gear, check out departments at the fair and get questions answered before departing!*

*3:15pm and 3:45pm: Residence Hall tours will start at the Residence Life table at the Engagement Fair.*

**If you requested individual meetings with Financial Aid, Academic Support, Counseling, you can meet with those offices at the Engagement Fair.**

**Break Out Sessions****1:00pm-1:20pm Session 1**Counseling & Parent Transitions

Presented by: The Tiger Counseling Center

Supporting Your Commuter Student

Presented by: COMPASS

Supporting Your Honors Student

Presented by: Honors Program

Athletics and Sports Medicine

Presented by: The Athletics Department & Athletic Training

Student Engagement

Presented by: Student Involvement

**1:30pm-1:50pm Session 2**Counseling & Parent Transitions

Presented by: The Tiger Counseling Center

Career Services and Student Employment

Presented by: Student Employment

William A. McClain Center for Diversity

Presented by: The McClain Center for Diversity

Supporting Your Honors Student

Presented by: Honors Program

**2:00pm-2:20pm Session 3**Counseling & Parent Transitions

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William A. McClain Center for Diversity

Presented by: The McClain Center for Diversity

Athletics and Sports Medicine

Presented by: The Athletics Department & Athletic Training

Career Services and Student Employment

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Student Engagement

Presented by: Student Involvement