DEAR TRANSFER STUDENTS,

We haven’t met yet, but we already have at least one (extremely exciting) thing in common. Best you think we are going to say that the answer is that we are all transfer students through (even though that is true). The correct answer is that we are all Penn students and... talk to us. You can email us at calebd@sas.upenn.edu or provost-nso-ai@pobox.upenn.edu.

Welcome to Penn—or home, andrions, people, too. As transfer students newcomers (think Tayer, Core Western Reserve, and Barnard), we understand how excited and perhaps nervous you may feel about the idea of starting a new place. It is never easy, we feel confident that your years at Penn will contribute to some of the best of your life.

The Transfer Student Organization (TSO) is a resource for all who will be transferring to our campus. Over the past few years, TSO has played an increasingly central role in the coordination and staffing of your orientation as well as reaching the academic and non-academic transition to happenings we have in store for you. We hope that through our social Facebook group you will continue meeting all of the other incoming transfers. This group will serve as a source of information during orientation and beyond. By joining the group, you will also be able to interact with TSO staff for any questions you might have at any time! You can talk to us at tso.penn@gmail.com or provost-nso-ai@pobox.upenn.edu.

Sincerely,

Caleb Diaz
Co-President, Transfer Student Organization
calebd@sas.upenn.edu

Andrea Naughton
Assistant Director
anag37@upenn.edu

To view and search the complete interactive campus map, see www.facilities.upenn.edu/maps.

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

Office of New Student Orientation and Academic Initiatives
215-898-2780
provost-nso-ai@pobox.upenn.edu

Calendar of Events
August 20 – August 26, 2019

WELCOME
POST-ORIENTATION EVENTS

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20
Tuesday, 6pm-8pm
WELCOME CENTER FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS
Meet the 2019-20 transfer student class and learn about Penn’s undergraduate student groups. Check with your RA or GA for your seating group.
Location: Various Locations

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21
Tuesday, 11am-12pm
PENN FAMILIES WELCOME
Enjoy a campus-wide welcome for families.
Location: Various Locations

Tuesday, 12pm-3pm
TRANSFER WELCOME SESSION
An overview of how you can plan the first two years of your college experience. Students will also have an opportunity to discuss the transfer credit application with their Penn advisor. Check with your RA or GA for your seating group.
Location: Various Locations

Tuesday, 2pm-3pm
TRANSFER STUDENT DESSERT RECEPTION
The Transfer Student Center (TSC) will host a dessert reception for transfer students and Penn undergraduate student orientation leaders. Check with your RA or GA for your seating group.
Location: Various Locations

Tuesday, 4pm-5pm
PRESIDENT AND PROVOST WELCOME AND RECEPTION
Join Provost Mark Schlissel for a light reception on the College Green on your first day on campus. Check with your RA or GA for your seating group.
Location: Various Locations

Tuesday, 5pm-7pm
PENN HELL WEEK-IN-RECEPTION
Enjoy dinner and learn more about 100+ athletic programs. Location: Penn Pizzaria

Tuesday, 7pm-9pm
COLLEGE HOUSE MEETINGS FOR STUDENTS ONLY
Attendees are required for mandatory College House meetings and activities with House staff. Check with your RA or GA for your seating group.
Location: Various Locations

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21
Wednesday, 4:45pm-5:30pm
WELCOME AND RECEPTION
Welcome students and their families to Penn and the College of Arts and Sciences. Enjoy light refreshments.
Location: College House

Wednesday, 5:30pm-8pm
DINNER/DESSERT RECEPTION
Come join Campus Recreation for an active and engaging night of activities. Enjoy an evening of laughs with instructors from Penn’s student groups and local comedians. Location: Various Locations

Wednesday, 8pm
COMEDY NIGHT AT INERVE
Enjoy live comedy from talented, professional stand-up comedians. Free and open to all. Location: Various Locations

Wednesday, 9pm-10pm
BOWLING SCROLCE
Explore Penn’s comprehensive and dynamic residential life. Location: Penn Bookstore

Thursday, 10am-12pm
LATE NIGHT ACTIVITIES FAIR
Have fun with games, food, and raffles while meeting student groups. Location: Various Locations

Thursday, 11am-1pm
SUNSET PICNICS
Enjoy a picnic to welcome Penn families. Location: Various Locations

Thursday, 12pm-2pm
BRUNCH
Brunch at Penn Hillel, 11:30am-2pm. Location: Various Locations

Thursday, 1pm-3pm
LATE NIGHT ACTIVITIES FAIR
Have fun with games, food, and raffles while meeting student groups. Location: Various Locations

Friday, 1pm-3pm
PENNBookstore Social
Join us for a social hour with our helpful staff. Location: Penn Bookstore

Friday, 11am-1pm
LABOR DAY WEEKEND TSO BBQ
Meet us as we venture off of Penn’s campus for the afterparty. Location: Various Locations

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23
Friday, 1pm-3:30pm
PENN HILL, MOVE-IN RECEPTION
Enjoy dinner and learn more about 100+ athletic programs. Location: Penn Pizzaria

Friday, 7pm-9pm
LATE NIGHT ACTIVITIES FAIR
Have fun with games, food, and raffles while meeting student groups. Location: Various Locations

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30
Friday, 1pm-3pm
PENNBOOKSTORE SOCIAL
Join us for a social hour with our helpful staff. Location: Penn Bookstore

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
Friday, 1pm-3pm
PENNBOOKSTORE SOCIAL
Join us for a social hour with our helpful staff. Location: Penn Bookstore