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new student  
**orientation**





# Welcome, we're so glad you're here!

**Dear Vandal Parents,**

**Welcome to the University of Idaho!**

Thank you for participating in Parent Orientation. Parent orientation will provide you with information that will enable you to be capable mentors to your Vandals. We are eager to partner with you and your student on this exciting educational endeavor.

Opening weekend will be electrifying and challenging; it is the beginning of the next stage of life for your Vandal and your family. We stand ready to provide assistance throughout the University of Idaho experience for both you and your student.

You can stay in contact with the University of Idaho by using one of the following options:

- Visit the UI Parents Website at [www.uidaho.edu/parents](http://www.uidaho.edu/parents) to gather information and subscribe to the parents newsletter.
- Use the e-mail address [askjoe@uidaho.edu](mailto:askjoe@uidaho.edu) to ask questions you may have.
- Call the Dean of Students Office at **208-885-6757** if you have pressing concerns that may require staff attention.

We understand that this is a significant change for you and your family. We also understand that this is also a substantial investment of time and family resources. We are deeply committed to helping your Vandal navigate the challenges ahead and look forward to partnering with you so that your students academic and personal goals are achieved.

We hope that you have a wonderful experience with the University of Idaho.

**Go Vandals!**

Sincerely,

Blaine T. Eckles, Ph.D.  
Dean of Students

## PARENT SCHEDULE | See student side of booklet for student events.

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

9:00 am-5:00 pm	<b>NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION CHECK IN</b> Residence Hall students ..... Assigned Residence Hall Steel House, On-Campus Apartment, and Off-Campus students ..... Theophilus Tower Lawn <i>Check in for New Student Orientation and receive event materials and giveaways.</i>	
9:00 am-5:00 pm	<b>RESIDENCE HALL CHECK IN</b>	Assigned Residence Hall
1:00-2:00 pm	<b>WORK-STUDY ORIENTATION</b> <i>It is highly recommended that new Work-Study students attend one of the sessions offered Aug. 20-25 to receive important Work-Study information and their referral letters. Students need only attend one session.</i>	Bruce M. Pitman Center Borah Theater
2:00-3:00 pm	<b>ARMY ROTC ORIENTATION</b> <i>Orientation for students who have joined or are interested in joining Army ROTC. Parents welcome.</i>	Renfrew Hall 111
3:30-4:30 pm	<b>WORK-STUDY ORIENTATION</b> <i>It is highly recommended that new Work-Study students attend one of the sessions offered Aug. 20-25 to receive important Work-Study information and their referral letters. Students need only attend one session.</i>	Bruce M. Pitman Center Borah Theater
7:00-8:30 pm	<b>DESSERT WITH THE DEAN OF STUDENTS</b> <i>The Dean of Students invites parents to an informal meeting and reception. This informative program will begin with a brief meeting followed by dessert.</i>	Administration Building Auditorium

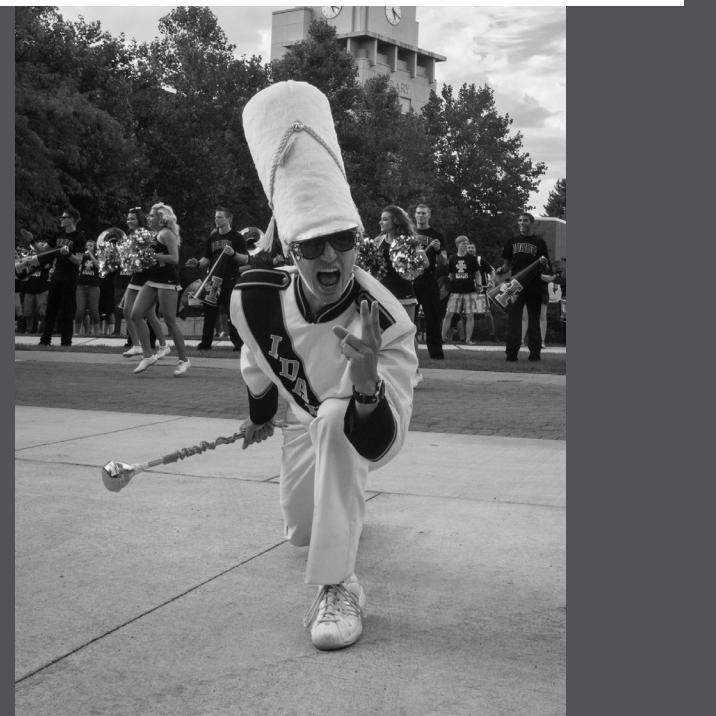
### FRIDAY, AUGUST 21

7:00-8:00 am	<b>TRANSFER AND NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENT BREAKFAST</b> <i>Enjoy breakfast before University Convocation with other transfer and non-traditional students. Parents, family, and guests of students welcome.</i>	Idaho Fan Zone
7:30-8:30 am	<b>LATE CHECK IN FOR NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION</b> <i>For students who did not check in and receive materials on Thursday.</i>	Kibbie Dome Floor
8:30-9:30 am	<b>UNIVERSITY CONVOCATION</b> <i>The UI President Chuck Staben will officially welcome you to campus. Actor Tony Plana will address the UI community.</i>	Kibbie Dome
9:45-10:45 am	<b>PARENT OPEN HOUSES WITH ACADEMIC COLLEGES</b> <i>Faculty and staff in your student's academic college welcome you and provide more insights about your student's academic home.</i>	Various (see page B)
10:45 am-12:15 pm	<b>PARENT TOURS: LIBRARY</b> <i>Drop in between 10:45 am and 12:15 pm to tour the largest library in Idaho.</i>	Library
10:45 am-12:15 pm	<b>PARENT TOURS: STUDENT RECREATION CENTER</b> <i>Drop in between 10:45 am and 12:15 pm to tour the SRC and learn about the many programs it houses.</i>	Student Recreation Center
11:00 am-12:00 pm	<b>PARENT TOURS: GENERAL CAMPUS TOUR 1</b> <i>Enjoy this walking tour to see highlights of our beautiful campus</i>	Depart from Idaho Commons 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Information Desk
11:15 am-12:15 pm	<b>PARENT TOURS: GENERAL CAMPUS TOUR 2</b> <i>Enjoy this walking tour to see highlights of our beautiful campus</i>	Depart from Idaho Commons 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Information Desk
11:15 am-12:15 pm	<b>PARENT TOURS: ARBORETUM AND BOTANICAL GARDEN</b> <i>Meet up with Paul Warnick, Horticulturalist, for a walking tour of this jewel of UI's campus.</i>	North end of the Arboretum and Botanical Garden at 1205 Nez Perce Drive.
12:15-1:15 pm	<b>UNIVERSITY LUNCH</b> <i>Enjoy lunch and live music in the field north of the Kibbie Dome with students, families, faculty and staff. Seating by College.</i>	North Kibbie Field
1:15-1:55 pm	<b>PARENT SESSION 1</b> <i>Parents break-out into small groups for useful workshops on a variety of topics including Financial Aid, Letting Go...Adapting to Change, Academic Support Services, Residential Living, and Parent Resources, etc. See page C for descriptions and locations.</i>	Teaching & Learning Center Classrooms
2:05-2:45 pm	<b>PARENT SESSION 2</b> <i>Choose from one of several presentations. See page C for descriptions and locations.</i>	Teaching & Learning Center Classrooms
2:55-3:35 pm	<b>PARENT SESSION 3</b> <i>Choose from one of several presentations. See page C for descriptions and locations.</i>	Teaching & Learning Center Classrooms
3:30-4:30 pm	<b>WORK-STUDY ORIENTATION</b> <i>It is highly recommended that new Work-Study students attend one of the sessions offered Aug. 20-25 to receive important Work-Study information and their referral letters. Students need only attend one session.</i>	Bruce M. Pitman Center Borah Theater
5:00 pm	<b>DINNER ON YOUR OWN - A good time to run errands and say family goodbyes.</b>	
5:30-7:30 pm	<b>DIVERSITY, HUMAN RIGHTS AND INCLUSION BARBECUE</b> <i>Stop by and get acquainted with the Office of Multicultural Affairs (OMA), Native American Student Center (NASC), College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP), LGBTQA Office, Women's Center, multicultural student leaders, UI staff and faculty.</i>	Bruce M. Pitman Center, Vandal Ballroom



**PARENT OPEN HOUSES WITH ACADEMIC COLLEGES**  
**FRIDAY, AUGUST 21, 2015 | 9:45 - 10:45 AM**

COLLEGE	LOCATION
College of Agricultural and Life Sciences.....	Agricultural Sciences Building 106
College of Art and Architecture .....	Reflections Gallery, Idaho Commons 1st floor
College of Business and Economics.....	Albertson Building 102
College of Education .....	Physical Education Building (PEB) 201
College of Engineering .....	Janssen Engineering Building (JEB) 104
College of Letters, Arts, & Social Sciences.....	Hartung Theatre
College of Natural Resources.....	College of Natural Resources 010
College of Science .....	Brink Faculty Lounge



**PARENT SESSIONS**  
**AUGUST 21 | START TIMES: 1:15 PM, 2:05 PM, 2:55 PM**

**Financial Matters** **TLC 040**  
*Dan Davenport, Director, Student Financial Aid & Delora Shoop, Manager, Student Accounts/Cashiers*

Bring all of your questions about student and parent loans, student employment, grants and scholarships, filling out financial aid forms, and financial aid in general.

**Life on Campus** **TLC 047**  
*Blaine Eckles, Dean of Students*

This session focuses on some of the most common challenges that new college students face, and how you can help your student make a smooth and successful transition to life as a college student.

**Student Wellness** **TLC 041**  
*Martha Kitzrow, Licensed Psychologist, Counseling & Testing Center*

We as a University are looking to serve both body and mind. This session discusses a wide array of UI services, including the Counseling and Testing Center (personal counseling and stress management) and the Student Rec Center (physical wellbeing).

**Letting Go...Change** **TLC 044**  
*Joan Pulakos, Director, Counseling & Testing Center*

This is an exciting time for you and your family, as you leave your student in Moscow to become an independent adult. This session will involve discussion about the changes happening in your family and in your student.

**Residence Hall Living** **TLC 029**  
*Dee Dee Kanikkeberg, Director, University Housing*

Living within a large community can be a big adjustment for many students. Take this opportunity to find out more about the Residence Hall communities and the opportunities for growth and leadership development that are available.

**Student Health Insurance Program (SHIP) & Student Health Services** **TLC 030**  
*Lori Krasselt, Student Benefits & Jeff Geier, Administrator, Moscow Family Medicine*

Learn important details of SHIP coverage benefits, and the health insurance requirement for all students. Also learn about the services provided at our Student Health Clinic and how students can access medical care in the Moscow area.

**Academic Success** **TLC 045**  
*Rochelle Smith, Reference Librarian, Library; Ali Bretthauer, Manager, Tutoring & College Success*

This session will provide information about academic support services and library resources and services available to all students, on campus and off. Come learn strategies to help promote your student's academic success.

**Academic Advising** **TLC 046**  
*Andrew Brewick, Director, Academic Advising*

Understanding the Academic Advising system can be helpful in order to assist your student with important decision making. You can support and encourage your student as they make choices about classes and majors.

**Disability Support Services** **TLC 028**  
*Gloria Jensen, Coordinator, Disability Support Services; Angela Schweigert, Learning Disabilities Specialist, Disability Support Services*

DSS offers an array of services for students with permanent or temporary disabilities. Accommodations and services provided in the college setting may significantly differ from those in the K-12 setting. We will discuss the differences and answer questions regarding accommodations and other disability-related issues, such as disability documentation in the university setting, housing needs, etc.

**Resources for Parents to Support Career Exploration and Decision Making** **TLC 031**  
*Eric Anderson, Manager, Career Advising and Professional Development, Career Center*

Learn about Career Center and online resources for parents including what to do and what not to do to support your student as they explore, choose a major, and decide on jobs and careers to pursue.

**Honors Program Parent Orientation** **TLC 032**  
*Alton Campbell, Director, University Honors Program & current Honors Program students*

This session is only offered during Session 1 and 2. Attend this for a preview of the fall semester and to answer questions about new students' transitions to UI and the UHP.

**Sesiones serán dadas en español** **TLC 022**  
*Monzerrath M. Magaña, Asistente Directora de Admisiones- Reclutamiento de Estudiantes Multiculturales*

9:45 A.M., SESIÓN I  
**Asistencia Financiera: ¿Cómo vamos a financiar la educación de nuestro hijo(a)?**  
 Felicidades, Lo hicimos! Pero ahora como vamos a financiar el estudio de nuestro hijo(a). Vengan a informarse sobre las oportunidades que la Universidad tiene para su hijo(a).

10:40 A.M., SESIÓN II  
**Viviendas Estudiantiles: ¿En dónde va vivir su estudiante?**  
 Aprenda donde su hijo(a) va a vivir durante el año y como será su experiencia.

11:35 A.M., SESIÓN III  
**Recursos Estudiantiles: ¿Opciones adicionales para su estudiante?**  
 Las oportunidades que la Universidad de Idaho le proviene a su estudiante y los servicios que usted como padre debería saber para aconsejar a su hijo(a).

