Hello!

The Summer Orientation schedule is now LIVE! This schedule includes interactive sessions and socials hosted by the Orientation team, campus staff and leaders, and student clubs and organizations, including the following:

- **Flock Talks**: These virtual meet-ups are a chance to connect with fellow new Redhawks while chatting with an Orientation team member about topics related to your transition to college life at SU.

- **Orientation Socials and Drop-In Hours**: Log on to these casual socials to play virtual games with fellow new Redhawks and get questions answered by an Orientation team member.

- **Campus Partner Sessions**: Meet with leaders across campus to learn about academic and support resources, how to get involved and find community on campus, and get informed about life as a Redhawk at SU.

- **Student Club and Organization Socials**: In August and early September, meet current Redhawks to learn about clubs and organizations you can join once you arrive on campus. These sessions will be announced in early July.

There are three ways you can view the Summer Orientation schedule:

1. Visit the [Summer Orientation 2023](#) page on the Orientation website.

2. View and sign up for events on the [Orientation: Redhawk Next Steps](#) page in your Admissions Portal.

3. Use the Seattle University Orientation Guide app!

**THE SEATTLE UNIVERSITY ORIENTATION GUIDE**

SU’s Orientation Guide app is the easiest way to keep track of all upcoming sessions. By using the Guide, you have the Summer Orientation schedule and campus resources readily available on your phone or computer whenever you need them!

**How do I access the Orientation Guide?**

You can download the Orientation Guide app to your mobile phone by following these steps:

1. Go to your phone’s app store and search for “Seattle University Orientation.”
2. Download the app to your phone.
3. Open the app and click “Seattle University Orientation Guide.”
4. Click “Download,” then click “Open.”

For detailed steps with screenshots, use our Steps to Download Our Guide App to Your Mobile Phone. You may also visit the Orientation Guide through your web browser; however, this version primarily hosts your schedule and provides fewer resources.

How do I sign up for Orientation Sessions?

Starting right now, you can sign up for sessions you want to attend by following these steps:

1. On the Summer Orientation 2023 web page:
   o Click each week on the list to view different sessions hosted within the dates listed, then click "Sign up here" to visit your Admissions Portal and sign up for specific sessions.

2. On the "Orientation: Redhawk Next Steps" page in your Admissions Portal:
   o Scroll to the bottom of this page, past your New Student Checklist, to see a schedule of sessions you can sign up for.

3. On the Seattle University Orientation Guide app:
   o As you scroll through the schedule, click on the specific sessions you want to read more about. On each session’s page, click the RSVP link to visit your Admissions Portal, where you can sign up to attend a session.

Who can sign up for and attend Summer Orientation Sessions?

Only new students can sign up for Summer Orientation sessions. However, you can invite one guest to attend Campus Partner Sessions alongside you. When you sign up, you can add a guest’s name and email address. Your guest will receive an email with a link to attend the event. Guests cannot attend Flock Talks, Orientation Socials and Drop-In Hours, Academic Advising and Course Registration Workshops, or Student Club and Organization Socials. However, specific sessions will be available for guests listed on the Family and Supporters page on the Orientation website.

ADDITIONAL ORIENTATION REMINDERS

- **Redhawk Launch – Wednesday, June 14 (5 pm - 6 pm PT):** A tradition you won't want to miss! You'll meet our Orientation team, be welcomed by campus leaders—including President Eduardo Peñalver—and start connecting with Redhawks from across the globe. During this virtual kickoff, we will highlight the required events you'll want to mark on your calendar. This session is for new students, families, and supporters.

- **Academic Advising, Course Registration, and Math Placement:**
  
  o **First-Year Students:**
    
    ▪ Complete your Academic Advising 101 and Course Registration 101 modules in Canvas (Due Friday, June 16).
- Complete your ALEKS Math Placement Assessment (Due Friday, June 16).
- **Sign up** for and attend your Academic Advising Workshop (June 26 - June 30).
- **Sign up** for and attend your Course Registration Workshop (July 10 - July 21).

- **Transfer Students:**
  - Log into your **Admissions Portal** and schedule an Advising Appointment.

- **Housing Applications and Roommate Search Process**
  - The roommate search process is now open on the Housing Portal! If you wish to do so, you can search for a roommate by viewing other student profiles and talking to people before making an official decision on a specific person. This process is not required. If you decide not to search for a roommate on your own, Housing and Residence Life (HRL) will assign you a roommate compatible with your answers on the "profiles" section of your application. To access the roommate search process, please follow these steps:
    - Log into the **Housing Portal**.
    - Click "My Housing Plan" at the top user bar and re-open your completed 2023-2024 housing application.
    - On the "application complete" page, choose "roommate search process" from the drop-down box.
    - Continue to the next page and begin your search!
  - View a how-to guide on the roommate search process on our website **here**.
  - This process is open until **11:59 pm on July 13, 2023**. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact HRL at housing@seattleu.edu or 206-296-6305.

If you have questions, please contact us at orientation@seattleu.edu. We encourage you to check your SU email account daily to stay on track with Orientation tasks and updates.

Hawks Up!

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I respectfully acknowledge that our campus, from which I work, is on the homelands of the Coast Salish peoples, who continue to steward these lands and waters as they have since time immemorial.