Thursday, August 22nd, 2019

9:00 a.m. | Check-in / Move-in / Campus Errands
- Check-in at Orientation table, receive folder
- Students pick up their Boxer Card or have photo taken with CPS
- Residential students check-in at Cascade Hall and move in
- Check-in with mail services to receive your student’s mail key
- Visit campus offices and local businesses at the Resource Fair

1:00 p.m. | Welcome
Kick-off Orientation with an official welcome to Pacific from President Hallick! Meet the Orientation staff and Boxer Ambassadors!

1:30 p.m. | Outside the Classroom Expectations
Learn about expectations and resources for your student while at Pacific.

2:30 p.m. | Breakout Sessions
Parents have the choice of attending four of six 30-minute sessions, each of which will focus on various offices on campus. Each session will provide ample time for questions. See session info on the last page.

5:00 p.m. | Dinner
All students and families are invited to dinner on the West Lawn.

   Library Open-House
   From the sun-lit study rooms and computer labs, to books, journals, DVDs and research instruction; the library is here to provide tools for success. Visit the library to learn about what it and the library staff can do for your student.

6:30 p.m. | Letter Writing
A time-honored tradition at Pacific, letter writing is an opportunity for you to write letters to your student that will be delivered at the beginning of the year by members of the Pacific staff.

6:00 p.m. | Bookstore VIP Special
Join the Bookstore Staff for refreshments, discounts on Boxer Gear, school supply specials, and more! Stop by our photo booth and enter our raffle to win a bookstore gift card!
**Contact Information**

The Orientation Office is located in Clark 121.

Orientation: (503) 352-3040  
Orientation email: orientation@pacificu.edu

Orientation Website:  
www.pacificu.edu/orientation

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**Parent / Family Schedule**

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*9:00 a.m. | Convocation*
Experience the official academic welcome to the Fall 2019 school year. The Convocation Ceremony is for all undergraduate new students and their families and friends.

*9:45 a.m. | Brunch / Sign, Shake, & Ring*
All students and families are welcome to enjoy brunch on the West Lawn following the conclusion of Convocation. Join your student participating in Pacific University’s time-honored tradition of Sign, Shake & Ring in which they will sign the official Book of Enrollment, shake the hand of the President and ring the bell in Old College Hall.

*11:30 a.m. | Academic Meet and Greet*
Have more questions about academics at Pacific? Faculty from various disciplines will answer questions and give you insight into academics and how to assist your student in navigating their inside the classroom experience. Families have the choice of attending two of eight 30-minute sessions, each of which will focus on different academic disciplines at Pacific. Each session will include plenty of time for questions.

*12:30 p.m. | Life on Campus*
A series of vignettes performed by our student Ambassadors to give you important information about your student’s new experiences on campus. This includes an opportunity to ask a panel of University experts any related questions you may have.

*2:00 p.m. | Relationships in College*
Designed to help family members understand how the University works to educate students about healthy and respectful relationships and what family members can do to encourage and promote them. We will include discussions regarding how the University complies with federal guidelines to investigate cases of alleged sexual misconduct.

*3:00 p.m. | Meet the Offices*
You will have a chance to hear from several important offices around campus, including the Business Office, Financial Aid Office, Registrar Office, and the Academic Career and Advising Center. Info provided will be around what you need to know now that you have arrived.

*4:30 p.m. | Through the Decades*
This session offers the unique opportunity to tour campus individually with your student to learn about and reflect upon different moments that create your personal story and the story of Pacific University.

*5:30 p.m. | University 101*

*6:00 p.m. | Friday Night Lights / Dinner & Goodbyes*
A delicious BBQ and our annual Red and White Boxer Spirit event! Watch our first football scrimmage of the season, learn the official Pacific fight song and meet all our fall athletes!
Breakout Sessions Overview

You will be able to pick four 30 minute presentations. Each time-block offers three presentation options, and you will choose one to attend. Each block will be repeated once, allowing you to choose a total of two sessions from Block A and two sessions from Block B.

2:30 - 3:00 p.m. and 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. | Block A

**Student Activities**
Learn more about the clubs and organizations your student can become involved in. Discover the wide array of events Pacific hosts to keep your students engaged and happy.

**Counseling Center**
After years of guiding your student and helping them to write their future, it’s time for them to take the lead in writing the next chapter. Whether you’re dropping your first child off at college, or if you’ve been through this before, this transition can be a time of ambivalence for parents and students alike. This interactive workshop provides strategies designed to help create a balanced adjustment for the year to come.

**Residence Life and Housing**
Come learn what living on campus will really be like for your student. The Director of Housing and the Director of Residence Life will discuss hall involvement opportunities, what happens if roommates don’t get along, hall amenities, and how to support your student throughout the year as they live in the residence halls.

3:45 - 4:15 p.m. and 4:15 - 4:45 p.m. | Block B

**Career Advising: A Good IDEA!**
All students at Pacific University are assigned a Career Advisor based on their career interests. Learn more about the career development process and the range of career resources available for Pacific students.

**Office of Accessibility and Accommodation Services**
Discover how Office of Accessibility and Accommodation Services (OAA) for Students with Disabilities can assist with student academic success.

**Dining**
Block meals, the Grove Market, Starbucks, and dining dollars - it can be a mouthful. This session will explain what campus food services can offer your student. Ask your questions about how The Pacific Cafe works, food selections, and differences in meal plans. You will learn everything about how your student is fed on campus.