



AU PARENT ORIENTATION

Thursday, August 24, 2017

8:00 AM-1:00 PM

**Joyce & Walton
Health & Wellness
Center (McLane Annex)**

Visit the Parents Association Table at New Student Check-in

Stop by the Parents Association Table while your son or daughter is checking in to say hello and pick up your copy of the AU Parent Handbook

11:30 AM-1:30 PM

Brick Lawn

Opening Picnic

All students and family members are invited to join the campus for our annual kick-off picnic.

2:00 - 3:00 PM

Various Locations

General College Sessions and Advising Hours (Required for Students)

Parents and students meet the college Dean. This will be followed by an advising session for students only.

- College of Liberal Arts & Sciences – Miller Theater, Performing Arts Center
- College of Professional Studies – Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center
- Inamori School of Engineering – Ade Dining Hall
- School of Art and Design – Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall

3:30 – 4:15 PM

**Holmes Auditorium
Harder Hall**

Parents Welcome

Hear opening remarks from Alfred University's President, Mark Zupan; information about our Parent Programs from Director of Parent Programs, Bonnie Dungan, and information from members of our Student Affairs Staff.

4:15 - 4:45 PM

**Holmes Auditorium
Harder Hall**

Long Distance Parenting

Presented by Dean of Students, Norm Pollard. Hear helpful suggestions and answers to such questions as "What is the parents' role now?" and "What kind of support can families offer from afar?"

5:00 PM

Harder Hall Lobby

Parents Information Fair

Stop by on your way out to pick up information and ask questions.

Areas represented include:

- Athletics and Equestrian Center
- Bookstore
- Career Development Center
- Center for Academic Success
- Central Student Affairs and Public Safety
- Center for Student Involvement
- Dining Services and Residence Life
- Environmental Health & Safety
- Information Technology Services
- Inter-Faith Advisor and Judson Leadership Center
- Parents Association
- Wellness Center

5:00 - 6:00 PM

Free Time and Goodbyes Throughout Campus

This is the ideal time to help your son or daughter finish moving into their room, offer any last words of advice and encouragement, and say goodbye.

6:00 PM

Ade Dining Hall

Dinner for Students

This dinner is for students only but area restaurants welcome parents. Please see the restaurant list in the Parents Handbook for suggestions.