2021 Parent & Family Summer Orientation Schedule
Tentative

Please Note: Guests will be provided with a session-specific schedule upon arrival for their orientation program.

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<td>9:00-9:30am</td>
<td>Check In (McAlister Auditorium, front steps)</td>
<td>McAlister Auditorium will be on your right of the traffic circle at the Main Gate, and parking for orientation will be located in the lot directly behind McAlister Auditorium. Look for the OLs at the front of campus to direct you!</td>
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<td>9:30-10:00am</td>
<td>Welcome! (McAlister Auditorium)</td>
<td>Parents and family members should remain seated until all students have been dismissed, and we’ll begin your next session once students are dismissed.</td>
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| 10:00-10:30am | Experiencing the Furman Advantage (McAlister Auditorium) | Dr. Ken Peterson, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost  
Ms. Connie Carson, Vice President for Student Life |
| 10:30-10:45am | Coffee Break (McAlister Auditorium, front steps) | We will have a short coffee break before beginning your next session. |
| 10:45am-12:15pm | Paladin Panel Discussion (McAlister Auditorium) | Dr. Jason Cassidy, Dean of Students  
John Milby, Chief of Furman University Police Department  
Deborah Allen, Director of the Center for Inclusive Communities  
Dr. Michelle Horhota, Associate Dean of Mentoring and Advising  
Ron Thompson, Director of Housing & Residence Life |
| 12:30-1:30pm | Lunch (Walkway, Dining Hall)                 | Boxed lunches for parents and family will be distributed along the walkway outside of the Dining Hall, and you are encouraged to enjoy lunch outdoors along your way to the Campus Connections Fair. If you have any special dietary needs, questions about your student’s dietary needs, or any other questions about the dining options at Furman, please don’t hesitate to ask an Orientation Leader or staff member. |
| 1:30-3:30pm | Campus Connections Fair (Hill Courtyard, Trone Student Center) | Representatives from various offices and departments will be available to answer questions and inform you about opportunities and services available to Furman students. |
| 1:30-4:00pm | Campus Tours (Duke Library, front steps)      | Is this your first time visiting Furman? Join us for an abbreviated campus tour, leaving from the front steps of the Duke Library. Tours will depart on the hour and half-hour. |

Supplemental Webinar Series
We are also offering a series of webinars throughout the summer to introduce parents and family members to available resources at Furman, and you can learn more about the series and register to participate at https://www.furman.edu/new-students/orientation/summer/. Recordings will be available after each session.

- June 3: Health, Safety and Wellbeing at Furman (recording available)
- June 10: Academic Success at Furman (recording available)
- June 30: Housing & Residence Life at Furman
- July 8: Enrollment Services
- July 15: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Initiatives at Furman
- July 22: Current Parent Panel

We hope you enjoyed your Summer Orientation experience! You will receive an evaluation later today via email, please take a few minutes to complete it. Your feedback is crucial to the continued improvement of our orientation programs.

If you or your student has any questions as your family prepares for the fall semester, please don’t hesitate to contact us at orientation@furman.edu.

We look forward to seeing you back on campus this fall!