New Student and Family ‘Cane Kickoff Schedule – Fall 2024

Updated as of 3/26/24
*Times subject to shift*

Student Schedule

Monday, August 12

Per assigned day/time  Residential College Move-In
Per assigned day/time  ‘Cane Kickoff Check-In & ‘Cane Card Distribution
Morning/Afternoon  Vendor Fair
Morning/Afternoon  Campus Resource Exposition
Morning/Afternoon  New Student Voter Registration
Evening  New Student Social Event

Tuesday, August 13

Per assigned day/time  Residential College Move-In
Per assigned day/time  ‘Cane Kickoff Check-In & ‘Cane Card Distribution
Morning  International Student Orientation
Morning/Afternoon  UCatholic Life!
Morning  Compulsory Session for Exchange Students
Morning/Afternoon  Campus Resource Exposition
Morning/Afternoon  Vendor Fair
Morning/Afternoon  New Student Voter Registration
Morning/Afternoon  Horizons Pre-Orientation Program
Evening  Foote Fellow Honors Welcome Reception
Evening  New Student Social Event
Evening  Floor Meetings

Wednesday, August 14

Morning/Afternoon  ‘Cane Kickoff Check-In & ‘Cane Card Distribution
Morning  Frost School of Music: Dean’s Welcome Breakfast for New Students & Families
Morning/Afternoon  Ronald A. Hammond Scholarship Orientation
Morning/Afternoon  Hillel FreshFest
Morning  Frost School of Music: Dean’s Required Info Meeting for New Students & Families
Morning/Afternoon  Vendor Fair
Morning/Afternoon  New Student Voter Registration
Afternoon  Commuter Student & Off-Campus Transfer Student Welcome
Afternoon  Orientation Group Meetings
4:45pm  President’s Welcome & ‘Canes Take Flight
Late Night  New Student Social Event
Thursday, August 15

- Morning/Afternoon: ‘Cane Kickoff Late Check-In
- Morning: Orientation Group Meetings
- Morning: ‘Cane Kickoff LIVE!
- Late Morning/Afternoon: Academic Dean's Meetings for First-Year & Transfer Students / Lunch Break
- Afternoon: Orientation Group Meet-Up
- Afternoon: Mandatory New Student Sessions
- Evening: Dinner on Your Own
- Evening: Orientation Group Meeting
- Evening: Wellness Center House Party & Club Sports Expo

Friday, August 16

- Morning/Afternoon: Academic Events and Advising Appointments
- Afternoon: Experience UM
- Afternoon: Personalizing Your UM Education (Learning Commons Resources of Richter Library)
- Evening: Dinner on Your Own
- Evening: UM Hillel Shabbat
- Evening: Orientation Group Meeting
- Evening: Toppelfest

Saturday, August 17

- Morning/Afternoon: Experience Miami – City Excursions
- Evening: Orientation Group Meeting
- Evening: President’s Celebration for New Students
- Evening: New Student Social Event

Sunday, August 18

- Afternoon: Orientation Group Meeting
- Afternoon: Canefest – Student Organization Fair
- Evening: Foote Fellows Meet Your Mentors