

PATRICK HENRY COLLEGE

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

FALL 2026 SCHEDULE

MONDAY, AUGUST 17

STUDENTS IN CASUAL ATTIRE

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM CHECK-IN: BARBARA HODEL CENTER

We are excited to welcome you to PHC! Please arrive at your scheduled check-in time, as there are no late check-in times. Please see email entitled: "**Your Arrival Time and Check-In Details for Orientation**" for your check-in time.

After completing check-in, you can pick up your textbook preorder or purchase textbooks.

The **PHC Bookstore** will be open: **Monday and Tuesday: 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM**. Kim Estep and the Bookstore staff look forward to meeting you!

11:30 AM - 2:00 PM LUNCH* (ON YOUR OWN)

Pre-purchase meal tickets online for family members to eat lunch and/or dinner in the Dining Commons.

Afternoon & Evening: DINNER (ON YOUR OWN)

Enjoy free time with friends and family and get to know the local Purcellville area. *See you in the morning!*

**Student meal plans are activated upon completion of check-in.*



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STUDENTS IN BUSINESS CASUAL

7:00 - 8:45 AM	BREAKFAST - STUDENTS: BHC DINING COMMONS
9:00 - 9:45 AM	THOUGHTS FROM PRESIDENT HAYE: BHC GYM
9:45 - 10:30 AM	COFFEE RECEPTION FOR PARENTS: BHC GYM COFFEE RECEPTION FOR STUDENTS: BHC LOBBY
10:30 - 11:25 AM	PARENT SESSION, PANEL DISCUSSION: BHC GYM STUDENT SESSION, GET TO KNOW YOUR CLASSMATES: MEET IN FRONT OF ASSIGNED RESIDENCE HALLS
11:30 AM - 12:15 PM	LUNCH - STUDENTS AND FAMILIES <u>LAST NAME A-H</u> : BHC DINING COMMONS MAJOR FAIR - STUDENTS AND FAMILIES <u>LAST NAME I-Z</u> : BHC LOBBY
12:15 - 1:00 PM	LUNCH - STUDENTS AND FAMILIES <u>LAST NAME: I-Z</u> : BHC DINING COMMONS MAJOR FAIR - STUDENTS AND FAMILIES <u>LAST NAME: A-H</u> : BHC LOBBY
1:15 - 2:15 PM	ACADEMIC ORIENTATION: BHC GYM
2:30 - 3:15 PM	GROUP ACADEMIC ADVISING: VARIOUS LOCATIONS



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3:15 - 5:00 PM

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES:

- CAMPUS TOUR - MEET IN BHC LOBBY
- RECEPTION FOR SI SHEDD SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS (BY INVITATION ONLY)

5:30 - 6:30 PM

ORIENTATION BANQUET: BHC GYM

6:30 - 9:00 PM

EVENING WITH PRESIDENT JACK HAYE AND
DEAN OF ACADEMICS, DR. MARK MITCHELL: BHC GYM

RESIDENT ASSISTANTS WELCOME THE INCOMING
CLASS OF 2026

PRAYER FOR NEW STUDENTS

CONCLUDES WITH ICE CREAM SOCIAL FOR PARENTS AND
STUDENTS

*FAMILY AND GUESTS DEPART AFTER
ICE CREAM SOCIAL ENDS*



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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

STUDENTS ONLY - BUSINESS CASUAL

7:00 - 8:45 AM BREAKFAST: BHC DINING COMMONS

9:00 - 9:20 AM THOUGHTS FROM COOPER COBBS, STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT, & CADE CROCKETT, SBVP: TOWN HALL

9:30 - 11:15 AM STUDENT LIFE ORIENTATION: TOWN HALL

11:30 AM - 12:50 PM LUNCH: BHC DINING COMMONS

12:50 - 1:30 PM TECH ORIENTATION: TOWN HALL

1:45 - 3:45 PM CAMPUS SAFETY, LIBRARY, AND DINING SESSIONS:
STUDENTS WILL ROTATE LOCATIONS ACCORDING TO LAST NAMES

DEPARTMENT & LOCATION	LIBRARY LIBRARY STUDY CENTER	CAMPUS SAFETY NASH AUDITORIUM	DINING SERVICES DINING COMMONS
1:45 - 2:15	A - E	F - M	N - Z
2:30 - 3:00	N - Z	A - E	F - M
3:15 - 3:45	F - M	N - Z	A - E



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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

5:00 - 6:30 PM

DINNER: BHC DINING COMMONS

ACTIVITY WITH YOUR RA LATER THAT EVENING

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

CASUAL DRESS

7:00 - 8:45 AM

BREAKFAST: BHC DINING COMMONS

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

ASSESSMENT SESSION - BRING YOUR LAPTOP:
BHC GYM

12:00 - 1:30 PM

LUNCH: BHC DINING COMMONS

1:30 - 2:30 PM

MANDATORY HR TRAINING FOR NEW STUDENT WORKERS:
NASH AUDITORIUM

3:00 - 4:00 PM

MANDATORY ORIENTATION FOR FORENSIC
SCHOLARSHIPS (OTHERS INTERESTED IN FORENSICS ARE
WELCOME): NASH AUDITORIUM

1:30 - 5:00 PM

FREE TIME/CHORALE AUDITIONS: BHC CHORALE ROOM

5:30 - 8:00 PM

FALL RETREAT KICKOFF: BHC GYM

- WELCOME BACK DINNER
- FIRST SESSION OF RETREAT

WELCOME FROM PRESIDENT HAYE
WORSHIP
SESSION #1



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FRIDAY, AUGUST 21

FALL RETREAT CONTINUES - CASUAL DRESS

9:00 - 10:00 AM CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST: BHC GYM

10:00 - 11:30 AM WORSHIP AND SESSION #2: BHC GYM

11:30 AM - 1:30 PM LUNCH: BHC DINING COMMONS

2:00 - 3:30 PM STUDENT ACTIVITIES AND CHURCH FAIR: BHC GYM

2:30 - 5:00 PM FREE TIME/CHORALE AUDITIONS: BHC CHORALE ROOM

5:00 - 6:30 PM DINNER: BHC DINING COMMONS

6:30 - 8:30 PM EVENING ACTIVITIES: BHC GYM
• FRESHMAN TALENT SHOW
• ICE CREAM SOCIAL

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28

6:00 - 9:15 PM ACADEMIC WORKSHOP: TOWN HALL



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