Welcome NEW Students!

We are so excited for you to join the Dartmouth community and experience our beautiful campus! The Office of Student Life, Division of Student Affairs, and many other campus departments are here to assist and support you in your transition to Dartmouth.

Take some time to familiarize yourself with the schedule (both printed and online) and be sure to attend all required programs. By attending these events with your new classmates, you will learn — together — what it means to be a member of our community and contribute to what is best about Dartmouth.

During New Student Orientation, you will elect fall term courses supported by advising sessions; connect with faculty, students, and staff; and explore the variety of ways you can become involved on campus. Additionally — and with equal importance — we expect that you will learn about your rights and responsibilities as a member of the Dartmouth community. A simple introduction to those rights and responsibilities is this: you have the right to learn, grow, and experiment here. You also have the responsibility to engage in these pursuits in a way that does not come at the cost of others.

We are looking forward to helping you navigate the first steps of your Dartmouth journey. Orientation is a busy and exciting time; start to explore what allows you to feel healthy, balanced, organized, and focused. Your wellbeing is a vital factor in your success at the College.

The first day of classes is not the end of Orientation. Please continue to stay engaged, especially with the First-Year Residential Experience (FYRE) program in residence halls and our Welcome Week events, designed to further help you connect with campus resources and experiences.

Remember to seek new perspectives, be curious about those around you, keep asking questions, and take care of yourself and each other.

Scott C. Brown
Interim Dean of the College

Kathleen M. Cunneen
Director of New Student Programs

Core Academic and Community Programs

Full schedule and details at dartgo.org/nso

Over the course of New Student Orientation, you will have many opportunities to explore your new community and get to know each other. You will all have a chance to spend time with your Orientation Leaders and many of you will participate in a First-Year Trip. Most importantly, all of you will be encouraged to connect with your peers with intentionality, curiosity, and generosity.

In order to learn — together — what it means to be a member of our community and how best to contribute, you are required to participate in all green-shaded academic and community-building programs. Some are “if relevant to your interests or to explore something new;” those will be indicated by an asterisk.

The New Student Orientation online schedule will also indicate which programs and modules are required: dartgo.org/nso.

Please bring your Dartmouth ID to all events as attendance will be taken at some required events.

All New Student Orientation modules and programs will be useful in your transition to the Dartmouth community. Take advantage of everything in the Canvas On Your Own section and on this schedule — each module and program is there for your benefit!
There is so much you’ll be doing throughout New Student Orientation: learning about campus, getting to know one another, preparing for course election and your first term at Dartmouth, settling into your residence hall, figuring out your routines… it can feel like a lot, especially since this is all a new experience in a new place!

We wanted to share with you a few tips to consider as you navigate New Student Orientation. These are just a few ideas to help you feel ready to fully engage on each of the busy days ahead. We also encourage you to share tips with each other, especially if there is something we are missing in our suggestions!

• Wear comfortable shoes and comfortable clothes. New Student Orientation will involve moving around campus in and out of different buildings with various levels of climate control. And New England weather in September can be anywhere from warm and sunny to cool and damp (and sometimes both in one day).

• You’ll be outside, so prepare accordingly: If you are participating in a First-Year Trip, you may be sitting on the ground and throughout Orientation, you may have conversations in small groups outdoors.

• Look ahead to the following day’s schedule and determine your needs - while reviewing, think about what you are excited about or what are concerned about. Things to consider:
  • The location of buildings and the distance between those spaces. Visit the Dartmouth mobile map to see where buildings are located and what entrances are accessible. www.dartgo.org/mobilemap
  • When breaks are and how you will use them.
  • Checking in with the OLs. They can help you understand the day ahead so you can plan accordingly!

• Pack your bag the night before - that way, you aren’t rushing in the morning. Things for you to bring include:
  • A water bottle! There are hydration stations all over campus, and you’ll want to stay hydrated.
  • Any personal items and supplies you need during the day, as you may not be able to get back to your room when you need it. Feel free to bring a mask if you want; we will have them at program venues as well!
  • Snacks. Your mealtimes may be on a different schedule than you are used to, so it might be helpful to have a few snacks in case you get hungry. We will have snacks available for you to grab throughout the week.
  • A notebook and something to write with. For most programs, you will not need your laptop but you may want to take notes.
  • Your Dartmouth ID! You should always have it on you anyway.
  • This schedule!
  • Charge your cell phone overnight - you may not have a chance to during the day!

These will be very busy days, and you will be doing a lot throughout each of them but know what we are here to help support you! If there are any access needs, questions, or concerns you have about any of the Orientation programming or schedule, do not hesitate to email us: new.student.orientation@dartmouth.edu.

We’re so excited you’re here and can’t wait to get to know you!

Please note: All meals during NSO are included in your Dartmouth Dining Plan. Using DDS (Dartmouth Dining Services) is a new experience; your OLs are here to help you figure it out and answer questions. And make sure to check out all the offerings (vegan, vegetarian, Kosher, Halal, etc.) at this website: www.dartgo.org/firstyeardining

When to eat: You’ll have time for meals around your Orientation schedule. To help you plan, here are the hours for dining: Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.; Lunch - 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.; Dinner - 4:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
### Academic Departments and Programs: Open House Information

**All Open Houses take place on Thursday, September 8.**

**Attend as many Open Houses as possible - take advantage of this time to explore!**

For event descriptions and locations for each Open House - please visit the New Student Orientation online schedule.

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**PREPARING FOR COURSE ELECTION ON FRIDAY, SEPT. 9**

**TO DO**

- View your Faculty Advisor and Undergraduate Dean in DartHub beginning on August 31.
- If you haven’t done so already, read EXPLORE, ENGAGE, EXCEL – especially the section titled Recommended Courses for First-Year Students which begins on page 7: dartgo.org/e3.
- Be sure to identify 7 – 10 courses that are interesting to you, or that allow you to explore an academic interest.
- Review the Academic Advising and the Liberal Arts and Introducing: Academic Departments and Programs modules available on NSO Canvas site: dartgo.org/nsocanvas.
- You must complete your Advising Questionnaire on DartHub before you meet with your Faculty Advisor on Friday, September 9.
- Review course descriptions by selecting the ORC/Catalog (Organizations, Regulations, Courses) tab on the Registrar’s website: dartgo.org/orc.
  - Read the course description in its entirety – not just the course title!
- Review the Timetable of Class Meetings, available as a QUICKLINK on the Registrar’s website, to see which courses are offered Fall term 2022: dartgo.org/timetable.

**WHEN/HOW (see schedule inside)**

**Friday, September 2 or Tuesday, September 6**

- You will be assigned a day, based on your First-Year Trip or Arrival Date!
- Attend the required Group Advising session with your residence hall floor.
- Attend Getting Started in Math, Engineering, and the Sciences* to learn about course sequencing and managing prerequisites in Math, Engineering, and the Sciences. (*relevant to your interest or to explore something new).
- Attend Pre-Health at Dartmouth: What You Need To Know for an introduction to pre-health essentials (relative to your interest).
- Attend the re-assignment Group Advising session with your residence hall
director.
- Review your Testing and Placement information. You will also elect and
enroll for fall courses through DartHub and will view your schedule
online.

**Thursday, September 8**

- Attend as many Academic Department and Program Open Houses as possible.
- Refine your list of interesting courses:
  - Are you choosing something that will challenge you?
  - Something that you’ve always wanted to explore?
  - Something in a discipline you hope to pursue further?
  - Are you being conscious of time management and the increased
  demands of college-level courses?

**Friday, September 9**

- Meet with your Faculty Advisor at the time you’ve arranged for Academic Advising (see information on the inside of this brochure). Bring your copy of EXPLORE, ENGAGE, EXCEL with you for this meeting!
- Visit the Undergraduate Deans Office for further advising support.
- Attend Friday’s Pre-Health D-Plan Advising: Fall Term Course Election (small groups) if you are interested in pre-health.
- Register your courses before 6:00 P.M.
- View the courses you’ve been placed into after 8:00 P.M.

**Saturday, September 10**

- “Add/Drop” is available starting at 8:00 A.M. for First-Year and Transfer students only for course adjustments.
- Add/Drop *is* first-come, first-served.
- Assistance will be available from the Office of the Registrar and the Undergraduate Deans Office (see schedule inside brochure).
- Monitor Timetable for course availability, including for WRIT 5.

**NOTE:**
While Course Changes for entering students only are available until Sunday, September 11 at 6:00 P.M., course changes for ALL students continue from Monday, September 12 at 8:00 A.M. through Sunday, September 25 at 11:59 P.M.

**KEY RESOURCES FOR COURSE ELECTION**

**Undergraduate Deans Office**
Throughout your time at Dartmouth, you will receive information from your Undergraduate Dean about resources, academics, deadlines, and many other elements of your new world. In addition, your Undergraduate Dean will send a weekly email that provides timely academic advising information. Scan the QR code to access our website where we have essential information about How to Use DartHub and How to Read Your Placement Record.

Meet us during New Student Orientation! We are available for course election advising (see inside brochure):
- **Friday, September 9 | 12:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.**
  (Student Academic Support Services center, Carson Hall, Room 125)
- **Saturday September 10 | 7:00 AM – 10:00 A.M.**
  Via zoom, see Undergraduate Deans Office website (scan QR code) for more information

**DartHub**
Use DartHub to view your faculty advisor, Undergraduate Dean, and UGA (Undergraduate Advisor) assignment, as well as view your testing and placement information. You will also elect and add/drop courses through DartHub and will view your schedule once assignments have been finalized. And don’t forget: every term you will complete check-in to confirm your plans to enroll for that term - also in DartHub!

**Academic Advising & The Liberal Arts Canvas Module**
Review the Academic Advising and the Liberal Arts module and videos on the NSO Canvas site. These videos introduce the Dartmouth curriculum and help you understand the Class of 2026 Academic Requirements.

**NSO Schedule**
Don’t forget to review the NSO schedule so you know when and where to complete programming in support of course election!
Access and Accessibility During New Student Orientation

As you navigate New Student Orientation (NSO), do not hesitate to reach out if you experience an access need or concern. We recognize that you may not know what you need until you are here; we are committed to supporting your transition in whatever ways we can.

We also recognize that inclusive access and accessibility helps not only those students who have a disability or short-term condition but all students. Regardless of how you identify, please take a moment to read this information as we believe that it may be helpful to all of you at some point! It will also help you support each other as we create community together.

Alternative Format
All NSO programs and materials (including this brochure!) can be made available in alternative format. For more information, contact us at: new.student.orientation@dartmouth.edu.

Wellbeing and Break Spaces
If at any time during NSO you need a break, please take a moment for yourself. The NSO Canvas site (dartgo.org/nsocanvas) contains some great self-care practices from the Student Wellness Center that you should absolutely try.

If you or a friend need to step out of any large program to take care of your physical or mental wellbeing, there will be a break room available in some venues. Break room availability will be announced at the beginning of programs (when available).

Accessible Entrances
Accessible entrances can be found on the Dartmouth campus map: dartgo.org/mobilemap indicated by this symbol: 📍

If you have concerns about access into a venue, please reach out!

Getting Around Campus
If you have any concerns about walking to and from programs, traveling from events to meals, managing our expansive campus – please be in touch. While we can’t guarantee solutions for everything, we will want to introduce you to resources that can help us all create a more accessible campus experience.

More Information or Support
• Student Accessibility Services (student.accessibility.services@dartmouth.edu)
• Access Dartmouth Student Organization (accessible.dartmouth.edu)
• Mental Health Union Student Organization (journeys.dartmouth.edu/mentalhealthunion)
• New Student Orientation Canvas site: if you are having trouble accessing the NSO Canvas site, please reach out to new.student.orientation@dartmouth.edu as soon as possible!

IMPORTANT RESOURCES
Contact any of these resources if you need help during Orientation (from a campus phone, just dial “6” plus the last four digits listed below).

Safety and Security
603.646.4000 / 603.646.3333 (emergency)
24 hours per day, 7 days per week
Includes access to on-call resources (undergraduate deans, counseling, residential staff)

Counseling Center
603.646.9442

Health Service at Dick’s House
603.646.9400 / 603.646.9440 (Inpatient Dept.)

Student Wellness Center
603.646.9414
student.wellness.center@dartmouth.edu

Undergraduate Housing/Residential Education
603.646.3093 / 603.646.1491

Collis Student Center
603.646.2100
Collis.Center@dartmouth.edu

Residential Operations
(residence hall issues)
603.646.1203 (weekdays)/
603.646.2344 (nights, weekends, & holidays)

Undergraduate Deans Office
603.646.2243
undergraduate.deans.office@dartmouth.edu

Tech Support
(for computer and technology issues)
603.646.2999
dartgo.org/studenttech

Office of Student Life
603.646.8979
new.student.orientation@dartmouth.edu
Call or email with questions about Orientation.

First-Year Trips
603.646.3996
First-Year.Trips@dartmouth.edu
Hello! We're glad you're here!

You can view your Faculty Advisor, Undergraduate Dean, and UGA (Undergraduate Advisor in your Residence Hall) today in DartHub!

9:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M. Orientation Check-In, Key/ID Pick-Up, and House Community Greeting Massachusets Row

9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. First-Year Trips Section A: Pick Up Your Gear! Robinson Hall Lawn (Rain = Alumni Hall, Courtyard Café)

If you’re on Section A, pick up the gear you requested in advance. If you’re on Sections B, C, or D, you’ll have other opportunities to pick up your gear but come grab the gear you requested if you can. We know it’s a busy day but all are welcome to drop by anytime!

10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M. Sustainable Moving Sale Gold Coast Lawn, Tuck Mall

5:30 P.M. – 6:30 P.M. First Meeting of the Class of 2026: We’re Glad You’re Here! Berry Sports Center, Leede Arena

Also live-streamed – see online NSO schedule for link: dartgo.org/nsoschedule. Please attend with your floor and dress respectfully for this Orientation tradition.

6:30 P.M. – 8:30 P.M. Welcome Dinner Class of 1953 Commons

All meals during NSO are included in your Dartmouth Welcome Dinner!

9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. First Residence Hall Floor Gatherings and Welcome Socials Residence Halls with your Undergraduate Advisors (UGAs)

Section A – get some sleep! See you early on Thursday!

First-Year Trips: What to Know!

See each day for specific times and look for these symbols:

- First-Year Trips: Send Off! Wake up bright and early to meet your Trip Leaders, fellow trippees, and H-Croo. Check in, pack all of the food and gear you will need for your trip, eat breakfast, and let us answer any questions you have. This will be a busy and important time to prepare for your trip—BE ON TIME—and bring all the gear you will need!

- First-Year Trips: Meet Your Trip! Meet your Trip Leaders, fellow trippees, and H-Croo. All students for the Section listed (A, B, C, or D) should be present for check-in. Wear comfy clothes—bring water and excitement for whatever the afternoon may bring! Then rejoin the rest of your classmates to finish the day’s programming!

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THURSDAY SEPT 01

7:00 A.M. First-Year Trips Section B: Send Off! Robinson Hall Lawn

See First-Year Trips box.

The programs below are required for students on First-Year Trips Sections B, C, & D (some Pre-O students will join us in the afternoon).

Campus Welcome

Creating your Dartmouth community starts with getting to know campus and each other. Connect in small groups, explore campus, and learn about important resources and opportunities— all with the help of the Orientation Leaders (OLs).

9:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M. Get Today’s Schedule! Collis Student Center, Patio

9:30 A.M. – 6:30 P.M. Campus Welcome Programs You will cycle through a series of programs today. See your schedule for your group to find out where you are going and when! No worries—the there will be plenty of time for lunch and snacks provided throughout the day.

- Life @ Dartmouth Student Panel

Hear from your OLs about living at Dartmouth. Submit questions in advance by scanning this QR code.

- Connect and Contribute @ Dartmouth

Learn how to get engaged with and contribute to student life at Dartmouth

- Conversations and Community

Meet in small groups and connect with members of your class!

- Find It @ Dartmouth

A “scavenger hunt” to help you get to know campus while finding important campus resources.

- Campus Tours and Fast Friends: Take a campus tour or meet with OLs and a group of classmates to get to know one another through conversation games.

12:00 P.M. – 1:45 P.M. First-Year Trips Section B, C, and D: Pick Up Your Gear! Robinson Hall Lawn (Rain = Alumni Hall, Courtyard Café)

If you’re on Section B, make sure to pick up any gear you requested before 2:00 P.M. Sections C & D: grab any gear you requested if you have time—you can also pick up your gear on Friday or Saturday.

2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. First-Year Trips Section B: Meet Your Trip! Robinson Hall Lawn

See First-Year Trips box.

6:30 P.M. – 8:30 P.M. Dinner with Interim Dean of the College Scott C. Brown Class of 1953 Commons

7:00 P.M. – 11:00 P.M. Campus Kick-Back Collis Student Center and locations around campus

After dinner, unwind with your new classmates with a variety of activities hosted by the Orientation Leaders. See dartgo.org/collis for opportunities.

Section B – get some sleep! See you early on Friday!

THURSDAY SEPT 01

FRIDAY SEPT 02

7:00 A.M. First-Year Trips Section C & D: Send Off! Robinson Hall Lawn

See First-Year Trips box.

The programs below are required for students on First-Year Trips Sections C & D.

Introduction to Our Intellectual Community

Join Dartmouth faculty as we welcome you into our classrooms, provide curricular basics, and encourage you to elect courses that fit your interests and challenge you to grow as seekers, and producers, of knowledge. Spend time with your upper-level peers as they talk about courses and what worked—and did not work—for them on their Dartmouth academic journey.

9:00 A.M. – 10:15 A.M. Group Advising: Academic Curiosity, Exploration, and the Liberal Arts Assignments and locations are listed on the online NSO schedule: dartgo.org/nsoschedule.

10:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Getting Started in Math, Engineering, and the Sciences Hopkinst Center, Moore Theater

11:00 A.M. – 1:45 P.M. (drop-in for a few minutes when possible) First-Year Trips Section C: Pick Up Your Gear! Robinson Hall Lawn (Rain = Alumni Hall, Courtyard Café)

Section C: pick up any gear you requested before 2:00 P.M. Section D: you can pick up your gear today or on Saturday.

12:15 P.M. – 1:15 P.M. Pre-Health at Dartmouth: What You Need to Know* Moore Hall, Filene Auditorium

12:15 P.M. – 1:15 P.M. (see also 3:30 P.M.) Student Voices: Journeys Inside and Outside the Classroom Black Family Visual Arts Center, Loew Auditorium

2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. First-Year Trips Section C: Meet Your Trip! Robinson Hall Lawn

See First-Year Trips box.

2:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M. Technology Information Sessions

Zoom @ dartgo.org/techintrosession

3:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M. (see also 12:15 P.M.) Student Voices: Journeys Inside and Outside the Classroom Black Family Visual Arts Center, Loew Auditorium

4:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. Hood Museum Open House: Fall Exhibitions Preview Hood Museum of Art

5:15 P.M. – 6:15 P.M. Meeting the Language Requirement and Introduction to Off-Campus Programs Hopkins Center, Moore Theater

*Attend this session if relevant to your interests or to explore something new!

Friday’s schedule is continued in next column
SATURDAY SEPT 03

GET TO KNOW DARTMOUTH

7:00 A.M.
First-Year Trip Section C: Send Off!
Robinson Hall Lawn
See First-Year Trips box.

8:15 A.M. – 9:00 A.M.
Closing Conversation with Your Orientation Leaders (OLs)
Multiple spaces on campus - see your schedule.

9:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.
Make Your Own Sundaes - and Gift a Plant to a Classmate!
Collis Student Center, Common Ground
Ice cream and a new plant – both so “sweet.”

SATURDAY SEPT 04

WELCOME, AND WELCOME BACK!

7:00 A.M.
First-Year Trip Section D: Send Off!
Robinson Hall Lawn
See First-Year Trips box.

10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.
Orientation Check-In, Key/ID Pick-Up, & House Community Greeting:
Today’s Arrivals
Undergraduate Housing Office, basement of North Massachusetts Hall

LATE AFTERNOON
First-Year Trip Section A Returns – join today’s arriving students this evening at the Collis Student Center!

6:30 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.
Dinner with Orientation Leaders
Class of 1953 Commons
All meals during NSO are included in your Dartmouth Dining Plan.

MONDAY SEPT 05

GET TO KNOW DARTMOUTH

The programs below are required for students on First-Year Trips Section D.

Campus Welcome
Creating your Dartmouth community starts with getting to know campus and each other. Connect in small groups, explore campus, and learn about important resources and opportunities — all with the help of the Orientation Leaders (OLs).

9:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.
Get Today’s Schedule!
Collis Student Center, Patio

9:30 P.M. – 2:00 P.M.
Campus Welcome Programs
You will cycle through a series of programs today. See schedule for your group to find out where you are going and when! No worries – there will be plenty of time for lunch and snacks provided throughout the day.

• Life @ Dartmouth Student Panel
Hear from your OLs about living at Dartmouth. Submit questions in advance by scanning this QR code.

• Connect and Contribute @ Dartmouth
Learn how to get engaged with and contribute to student life at Dartmouth.

• Conversations and Community
Connect in small groups with members of your class!

• Find It @ Dartmouth
A “scavenger hunt” to help you get to know campus while finding important campus resources.

MID-AFTERNOON
First-Year Trip Section B Returns – welcome back! Jump into Orientation as soon as you are ready.

2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Campus Tours and Fast Friends
See online schedule for locations and details: dartgo.org/nso. Take a campus tour or meet with OLs & a small group of classmates to get to know one another through conversation games.

6:30 P.M. – 8:30 P.M.
Dinner with interim Dean of the College
Scott C. Brown
Class of 1953 Commons

7:00 P.M. – 11:00 P.M.
Campus Kick-Back
Collis Student Center and locations around campus
After dinner, unwind with your new classmates with a variety of activities hosted by the Orientation Leaders. See dartgo.org/collispresents for opportunities.

Saturday’s schedule is continued in next column ➔
The programs below are required for students who arrived on September 4 and First-Year Trips Sections A & B.

**Tuesday, September 6**

**GET TO KNOW DARTMOUTH**

**Introduction to Our Intellectual Community**
Join Dartmouth faculty as we welcome you into our classrooms, provide curricular basics, and encourage you to elect courses that fit your interests and challenge you to grow as seekers, and producers, of knowledge. Spend time with your upper-level peers as they talk about courses and what worked—and did not work—for them on their Dartmouth academic journey.

9:00 A.M. – 10:15 A.M.
Group Advising: Academic Curiosity, Exploration, and the Liberal Arts
Assignments and locations are listed on the online NSO schedule: dartgo.org/nsos.

10:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.
Getting Started in Math, Engineering, and the Sciences*
Hopkins Center, Moore Theater

**1:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M.**
Hood Museum Open House: Fall Exhibitions Preview
Hood Museum of Art

**MID-AFTERNOON**

First-Year Trip Section C Returns – Welcome Back! Unpack and join your classmates and Orientation Leaders at any time!

2:15 P.M. – 3:15 P.M.
Meeting the Language Requirement and Introduction to Off-Campus Programs
Hopkins Center, Moore Theater

3:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.
Student Voices: Journeys Inside and Outside the Classroom
Hopkins Center, Alumni Hall

4:45 P.M. – 5:45 P.M.
Pre-Health at Dartmouth: What You Need to Know*
Moore Hall, Flene Auditorium

4:45 P.M. – 5:45 P.M.
Explore Library Study Spaces
Baker-Berry Library

8:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.
Shared Academic Experience: Ritual of Breath Creator Panel
Orientation Tent on the Green
Join your classmates and Dartmouth professors Vievee Francis and Enciro Riley, Stanford professor Jonathan Berger, and Dartmouth alums Niegel Smith and Peter Nigrini for your first official lecture at Dartmouth led by the creative team behind The Ritual of Breath Is the Rite to Resist, a new multidisciplinary work inspired by the healing practices of survivor mothers who lost their children to police violence.

9:15 P.M. – 10:30 P.M.
Interhouse Council Presents: House Cup Trivia
The Cube (House Center B)

*Attend this session if relevant to your interests or to explore something new!

**Wednesday, September 7**

**EXPLORE**

**Growing In Community**
Dartmouth provides countless opportunities to engage and grow alongside students, faculty, and staff. The values of Integrity, Responsibility, Respect, and Diversity are the ground on which our community is built. Together we’ll explore how we each cultivate our own belonging with a sense of adventure and commitment to intellectual and personal growth.

8:30 A.M. – 9:00 A.M.
Get Today’s Schedule!
Collis Student Center, Patio

9:15 A.M. – 3:15 P.M.
Growing in Community Programs
You will cycle through a series of programs today. See your schedule to find out where you are going and when! No worries - there will be plenty of time for lunch and snacks provided throughout the day.
- **Opening Conversations with Orientation Leaders**
- **What To Do When**
  Inevitably, community members disagree or come into conflict with one another. Explore how to respond with integrity, centering on your values while respecting others.
- **Cultivating Belonging**
  There is no “right way” to “Dartmouth.” Alums and current students share their experiences of finding where they mattered and belonged. How will you carve your own path, and support others as they create theirs?
- **Response-Ability**
  Develop a personal vision of what it means to thrive in our community. Focusing on responsibility and self-awareness, we’ll think about individual and collective ways to contribute to a culture of health and well-being.
- **Introduction to Dartmouth’s Sexual Violence Prevention Program**
  How do we grow a community in which all feel safe and supported, held, and heard? Together we aim for a community where all members have the support of their peers and the institution to challenge the norms that allow power-based violence to persist.

**3:45 P.M.**
Class of 2026 Photo
In front of Baker Library
Celebrate being together – the Class of 2026!

4:30 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.
Growing in Community Programs
- **Bloom Where You Are Planted**
  What message, wish, or positive image do you want to give your classmates? Share your hope for the Class of 2026 by preparing a new home for a plant.
- **Closing Conversations with Orientation Leaders**

6:30 P.M. – 8:30 P.M.
Dinner for New Students Hosted by the Office of Student Life
Class of 1953 Commons

9:00 P.M.
Collis Presents: Hypnotist Tom Deluca
Sponsored by Collis After Dark – Orientation Tent on the Green
You have the chance to be the star of the show in this Orientation tradition! Or just get a kick out of your new classmates.

**Thursday, September 8**

**Dartmouth Generated Placement Exam**
Results are updated by 7:00 A.M. the morning after they are entered. Results can be found on DartWorks Degree Audit in DartHub: darthub.dartmouth.edu.

8:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M.
Open House Central Command
Collis Student Center, Common Ground
Stop by before heading out to explore the diverse offerings at academic open houses. And bring your computing questions for ITC, who will be available to help. Fortify yourself with Lou’s donuts, get campus maps and directions, and then plan to attend as many open houses as possible!

8:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.
Open Houses:
Academic Departments and Programs
See schedule of times in this brochure. Locations can be found on the NSO schedule website: dartgo.org/nsos.

12:00 P.M. – 1:30 P.M.
Explore the Arts at Dartmouth and New Student Lunch
Arts and Innovation District; Black Family Visual Arts Center, Hood Museum of Art, and the Hopkins Center for the Arts
Lunch at Hopkins Center, Courtyard Café
Celebrate the Arts at Dartmouth with open houses for Film and Media Studies, Music, Studio Art, and Theater departments; lunch at 12:00 P.M. in the Courtyard Café; and an “arts marketplace.”

7:30 P.M. – 8:15 P.M.
House Community Welcome
Members of your house community look forward to welcoming you and presenting you with your house pin.

See NSO online schedule for the location of each House Community’s program: dartgo.org/nsos.

9:00 P.M. – 10:30 P.M.
Living in Residence Together and Preparing for Academic Advising and Course Election: Residential Floor Meetings
Residence Halls

**Student Employment - How to find a Student Job at Dartmouth**
Throughout the week, hang out and meet new friends with the help of the Orientation Leaders. Follow @dartmouth_ols on Instagram to find out opportunities to connect!

- **Thursday, September 8**
  6:00 pm - 6:30 pm via zoom @ http://dartgo.org/linjob-sept8
- **Friday, September 9**
  6:30 pm - 7:00 pm via zoom @ http://dartgo.org/linjob-sept9

**Dartmouth Dining**
Dartmouth Dining provides numerous employment opportunities at various locations with great wages, flexible schedules, and opportunities to build your resume. To learn more, stop by Admin HR Services on the lower level of Class of 1953 Commons or visit: dartgo.org/dds/employment.

**Student Employment Fall Job Fair**
- **Tuesday, September 13**
  3:00 pm – 5:00 pm in Collis Common Ground
Dartmouth Generated Placement Exam results are updated by 7:00 A.M. the morning after they are entered. Results can be found on DartWorks Degree Audit in DartHub: darthub.dartmouth.edu.

**FRIDAY SEPT 09**

8:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.
**First-Year Course Election**
All course elections must be entered online via DartHub by 6:00 P.M. today (Friday). Please visit dartgo.org/instructions for instructions and refer to the Course Registration Quick Guide (see QR code on back of this brochure). You will be supported in this by your Faculty Advisor, Undergraduate Deans, and other resources.

9:00 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.
**Pre-Health Fall Course Selection and D-Plan Advising (Small Groups)**
Haldeman Center, Rooms 124 and 125

10:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.
**Explore Library Resources and Services Class of 2026 Library Open House**
Baker-Berry Library

11:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
**Individual Faculty Advisor Meetings**
You will need to meet with your Faculty Advisor before you input your course elections online via DartHub. Your Faculty Advisor assignment can be found in the Degree Planning and Advising category of DartHub. If you have not yet heard from your Faculty Advisor, email your advisor to set up an appointment.

See “Preparing for Course Election” in this brochure for more information. You must complete the Advising Questionnaire in the Degree Planning and Advising category of DartHub before you meet with your Faculty Advisor. This advising meeting takes precedence over all other events, practices, or activities.

All course elections must be entered online via DartHub (in Records & Registration category) by 6:00 P.M. on Friday, Sept. 9. You will be able to view your fall term class schedule in DartHub on Friday, Sept. 9 after 8:00 P.M.

12:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.
**Drop-in Advising with Undergraduate Deans**
Student Academic Support Services Center, Carson Hall, Suite 125.
See NSO schedule website for details: dartgo.org/nso.

6:00 P.M.
**Course Election Must Be Complete**

8:00 P.M.
**Course Election Results Available in DartHub After 8:00 P.M.**

9:00 P.M.
**Collis Kick-Off**
Collis Student Center
Get to know your Student Center! The OLs are hosting an exciting night of live music, games, dancing, crafts, free food, prizes, and more fun! See dartgo.org/collisfor details.

*Attend this session if relevant to your interests or to explore something new!*

**SATURDAY SEPT 10**

8:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.
**Course Changes for Entering Students**
Course changes for entering students are available from 8:00 A.M. on Saturday, September 10 to 6:00 P.M. on Sunday, September 11, with assistance available from the Office of the Registrar on Saturday from 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. Details on the NSO schedule website: dartgo.org/nso.

7:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.
**Drop-in Support for Course Changes with Undergraduate Deans**
Zoom from your room! Or elsewhere – see details on the NSO schedule website: dartgo.org/nso.

10:00 A.M. – 12:50 P.M.
**Transition to College and Classroom Learning Programs**
See below for schedule and the sessions offered!

- **Learning College Math and Science**
- **Mapping the Course: Reading a Syllabus and Building Your Term Calendar**
- **Tips for Academic Success**
- **Transcending to College Writing**

See NSO online schedule for times & locations: dartgo.org/nso.

11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
**Collis Block Party**
Collis Student Center

9:00 P.M.
**Collis Presents: A Cappella Showcase**
Orientation Tent on the Green

**TUCKER CENTER**

Spiritual and Ethical Living at Dartmouth (through the Tucker Center) dartgo/tuckercenter

Campus Student Religious Groups: dartgo/student-religiousgroups

Multifaith Programming: dartgo/multifaith-programming

**MONDAY SEPT 12**

8:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.
**Matriculation with President Hanlon in his Parkhurst Office**
President Hanlon will greet each student personally as they accept the rights and responsibilities for being a member in the Dartmouth community. Students will also sign the Dartmouth Pledge, symbolizing their commitment to our community. Each of you will be assigned to a group at a specific time; your UGAs will have that information.

**EXPLORE**

9:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.
**Visit the Home of Your House Professor**
See your UGA for instructions and meeting location.

10:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.
**Experience Dartmouth**
Stop by events and opportunities all over campus - and beyond – to learn more about different aspects of life at Dartmouth. Sponsored by departments and Dartmouth student organizations. Stop by the Collis Info Desk or see www.dartgo.org/collisfor full details.

3:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.
**Student Involvement Fair**
Dartmouth Green

7:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.
**Twilight Ceremony**
Collis Student Center Porch and Bema
Please dress respectfully for this Orientation tradition. Since we are walking to the Bema up a dirt path and through the wet grass, be mindful of your footwear.

**EXPLORE**

7:45 A.M.
**Fall Term classes begin**

11:30 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.
**Community Lunch**
Dartmouth Green

**TUCKER CENTER**

Tucker Center for Spiritual & Ethical Life dartgo/tuckercenter

Campus Student Religious Groups: dartgo/student-religiousgroups

Multifaith Programming: dartgo/multifaith-programming

**CONNECT & REFLECT**

Course changes for first-year and entering students only will be available from 8:00 A.M. on Saturday, September 10 to 6:00 P.M. on Sunday, September 11.

8:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.
**Check-in via DartHub for students enrolled in Dartmouth generated courses.**

9:00 A.M. – 11:59 P.M.
**Drop-in Support for Course Changes**

3:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.
**Student Involvement Fair**
Dartmouth Green

7:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.
**Twilight Ceremony**
Collis Student Center Porch and Bema
Please dress respectfully for this Orientation tradition. Since we are walking to the Bema up a dirt path and through the wet grass, be mindful of your footwear.

Want to see what’s HAPPENING?
Programs hosted in the Collis Student Center or other spaces on campus will support your introduction to Dartmouth. Spend time getting to know your peers and your community by attending the events throughout the week listed on the Collis Presents website at www.dartgo.org/collisfor and by following Collis on Instagram @collis_center and the Orientation Leaders @dartmouth_ols.

There are many ways to experience Dartmouth – make sure you explore all of the great opportunities!