OBERLIN
ORIENTATION
SCHEDULE
FALL 2016

Welcome New Obies
This preliminary schedule is designed to assist you and your family with your travel arrangements. Fall Orientation 2016 begins on Tuesday, August 23. Orientation for parents includes events on Tuesday and Wednesday, and concludes at 4:30 pm on August 24. Orientation for new students continues through Sunday, August 28. Additional events will be added throughout the year, and a final Orientation schedule will be available on the web by August 15.

**NEW STUDENTS: PLEASE CHECK CAREFULLY FOR REQUIRED EVENTS INDICATED BY “R”**

## DAY 1
### Tuesday, August 23

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<th>Time</th>
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<td>9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>Check-in and Move-in “R”</strong>  &lt;br&gt;ALL RESIDENCE HALLS AND CO-OPS</td>
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<td>9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>Pick Up Advising and Registration Packet “R”</strong>  &lt;br&gt;CARNegie BUILDING, FOWLER ROOM</td>
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<td>9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>Resource Fair with Staff from Campus Offices</strong>  &lt;br&gt;CARNegie BUILDING, ROOT ROOM</td>
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<td>9:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>Conservatory Information Desk</strong>  &lt;br&gt;CONSERVATORY LOUNGE</td>
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<td>9:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>Computer Pick-up</strong>  &lt;br&gt;MUDD CENTER</td>
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<td>10:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>Banking Information with Representatives from Local Banks</strong>  &lt;br&gt;WILDER HALL, MAIN LOUNGE</td>
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<td>10:00–11:45 a.m.</td>
<td><strong>Introduction to Private Music Lessons for non-Conservatory Students (Secondary Lessons)</strong>  &lt;br&gt;CONSERVATORY, KULAS RECITAL HALL</td>
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<td>1:30–2:30 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>Music Resource Fair</strong>  &lt;br&gt;CONSERVATORY, WARNER CONCERT HALL LOBBY</td>
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<td>1:30–2:30 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>Ice Cream Social</strong>  &lt;br&gt;SCIENCE CENTER, PERLIK COMMONS</td>
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<td>3:00–4:00 p.m.</td>
<td><strong>The Oberlin Residential Experience (Part 1) “R”</strong>  &lt;br&gt;RESIDENCE HALLS AND CO-OPS</td>
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4:30 p.m. President’s Opening Session “R”
FINNEY CHAPEL

5:30–6:45 p.m. Campus Picnic for New Students and Families
WILDER BOWL

7:00 p.m. Conservatory Orientation Concert
FINNEY CHAPEL

9:30 p.m. The Oberlin Residential Experience (Part 2) “R”
RESIDENCE HALLS AND CO-OPS

DAY 2
wednesday, august 24

orientation to oberlin college
SESSIONS FOR NEW STUDENTS AND PARENTS

8:30–9:30 a.m. Essential Details About Your Oberlin Education “R”
FINNEY CHAPEL

9:45–10:45 a.m. Faculty Panel: Making the Most of Your Oberlin Education “R”
FINNEY CHAPEL

11:00–11:30 a.m. Financial Aid Information Session
FINNEY CHAPEL

11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Meeting for Students With Disabilities and Their Parents
KING BUILDING, ROOM 106

12:30–2:00 p.m. Departmental Open House
SCIENCE CENTER

college of arts and sciences and conservatory placement/exemption tests (afternoon times are to be determined)

parents’ sessions
Hall Auditorium

2:15 p.m. Meet the Staff of Safety and Security

2:45 p.m. Meet the Staff of Student Health

3:15–4:30 p.m. Letting Go
parents’ orientation program concludes

2:30–3:30 p.m. and 3:30–4:30 p.m. Honor System Presentation “R”
SCIENCE CENTER, WEST LECTURE HALL

5:30–6:30 p.m. Double-Degree Peer Advising Dinner
WILDER HALL, ROOM 115

5:30–7:00 p.m. Transfer Student Pizza Dinner
WILDER HALL, ROOM 112

7:30–9:00 p.m. Many Voices/Building Communities: Diversity Panel “R”
CONSERVATORY, WARNER CONCERT HALL

7:30–9:30 p.m. The OC: A Play about Relationships and College Life “R”
HALL AUDITORIUM

DAY 3
Thursday, August 25

9:00–10:00 a.m. Honor System Presentation “R”
SCIENCE CENTER, WEST LECTURE HALL

academic advising: general information

STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND A TOTAL OF THREE ADVISING MEETINGS: (1) A GROUP ADVISING SESSION, (2) SMALL-GROUP SESSION WITH YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR, AND (3) AN INDIVIDUAL MEETING WITH YOUR ADVISOR. APPOINTMENT TIME AND LOCATION ARE NOTED IN YOUR ADVISING AND REGISTRATION PACKET.

9:00–11:00 a.m. Conservatory and Double-Degree Group Advising Sessions “R”

11:00 a.m.–noon College of Arts and Sciences and Double-Degree Group Advising Sessions “R”
KING BUILDING

1:00–3:00 p.m. Help Sessions for Course Registration
SCIENCE CENTER, WEST LECTURE, A162

1:30–4:30 p.m. Advising Appointments for Arts and Sciences and Double-Degree Students “R”
FACULTY OFFICES

4:30–7:30 p.m. Course Registration “R”
SCIENCE CENTER/MUDD CENTER

7:30–9:00 p.m. Many Voices/Building Communities: Diversity Panel “R”
CONSERVATORY, WARNER CONCERT HALL

7:30–9:30 p.m. The OC: A Play about Relationships and College Life “R”
HALL AUDITORIUM

DAY 4  
friday, august 26

AUDITIONS FOR MUSICAL ENSEMBLES FOR NEW AND RETURNING STUDENTS IN THE CONSERVATORY AND THE ARTS AND SCIENCES ARE TO BE SCHEDULED ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

8:00 a.m.–1:15 p.m.  
Course Registration “R”  
SCIENCE CENTER

10:00 a.m.–2:30 p.m.  
Library Orientation  
INDIVIDUAL LIBRARIES

10:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.  
Individual Advising Appointments for Arts and Sciences, Conservatory and Double-Degree Students “R”  
ARTS AND SCIENCES AND CONSERVATORY FACULTY OFFICES

2:30–5:00 p.m.  
Fun and Fitness at Philips Physical Education Center  
PHILIPS PHYSICAL EDUCATION CENTER

2:30–midnight  
Bowling and Billiards  
HALES ANNEX

3:00–4:00 p.m.  
Coping with Change, Living with Stress  
WILDER HALL, ROOM 115

5:30–8:00 p.m.  
Shabbat Services and Dinner  
TALCOTT DINING HALL

7:00 p.m.–9:30 p.m.  
Game Night  
WILDER HALL, RATHSKELLAR

10:00 p.m.–1:00 a.m.  
Concert: TBA  
WILDER HALL, BASEMENT, DIONYSUS DANCE CLUB

DAY 5  
saturday, august 27

9:20 a.m.–3:00 p.m.  
Day of Service  
FINNEY CHAPEL STEPS

8:00 p.m.  
Concert: TBA  
HALES ANNEX, CAT IN THE CREAM

10:00 p.m.–1:00 a.m.  
Dionysus Dance Club (OCID Required for Admission)
DAY 6  
sunday, august 28

8:00 p.m.  
Concert: TBA  
FINNEY CHAPEL

DAY 7  
monday, august 29

8:00 a.m.  
Classes Begin

SECONDARY PRIVATE STUDY AUDITIONS (VOICE AND ALL INSTRUMENTS) ARE HELD THROUGH SEPTEMBER 2. SIGN UP OUTSIDE OF THE OFFICE OF THE CONSERVATORY DEAN, BIBBINS HALL, ROOM 113. STUDENTS APPROVED FOR SECONDARY PRIVATE STUDY RECEIVE A WEEKLY 30 MINUTE LESSON FOR TWO CREDITS A SEMESTER. OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS.

sunday, september 4

9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.  
Social Justice Institute  
CARNEGIE BUILDING, ROOT ROOM

monday, september 5, labor day

11:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m.  
Cedar Point Trip  
MEET IN WILDER PULL OUT