

STUDENT SCHEDULE

9:00 - 9:30 AM

WELCOME TO SAINT MARY'S!

Soda Center, Moraga Room

Join us for a warm welcome to our Saint Mary's community from College leaders! You will then depart for the day with the Orientation Leaders and classmates.

9:30 - 9:55 AM

GAELS WITH GAELS

Chapel Lawn

Spend time with your Orientation Leader and other new Gaels to get the day started.

10:00 - 10:45 AM

INTRODUCTION TO ACADEMICS

Galileo Hall, Room 201

Learn about the Saint Mary's core curriculum and gain an understanding of the College's general education requirements. You will hear from the Advising Office and learn of unique Saint Mary's academic programs.

10:50 - 11:20 AM

YOUR FALL COURSE SCHEDULE

Galileo Hall, Room 201 and Room 202

Learn more about the Pre-Enrollment Questionnaire and how Saint Mary's schedules your fall classes. If you already have your fall schedule, you will learn how those classes will build a strong academic foundation.

11:25 AM - 12:00 PM

ACADEMIC MEET & GREET

Ferroggiaro Quad

Meet with faculty from various academic departments, talk about your own interests with professors, and learn more about educational opportunities available.

12:00 - 12:30 PM

LUNCH

Oliver Dining Hall

Time for a break! Experience the range of culinary creations available at Saint Marys.

NEW STUDENT AND FAMILY PROGRAMS

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12:30 - 1:10 PM

SUCCESS COACHING

Galileo Hall, Room 201

Success Coaching is one of the hallmark services offered to you as a student. Meet your Success Coaching team and learn how to utilize their programs. Additionally, you will learn about the College Student Inventory, a non-cognitive skills assessment. Each student will receive a report that offers a personalized roadmap to maximize your success during your first year.

1:15 - 2:15 PM

CAMPUS TOURS

Depart from Galileo Hall, Room 201

Join an Orientation Leader for a walking tour of our beautiful campus, including visits to athletic facilities, the recreation center and a residence hall!

2:20 - 2:50 PM

HOME AWAY FROM HOME

Galileo Hall, Room 201

Welcome Home! Learn about what to expect when living on campus and joining our vibrant community.

3:00 - 3:30 PM

BE WELL TO LEARN WELL

Galileo Hall, Room 201

Feeling balanced and well, particularly during times of high stress, is essential to your success at Saint Mary's. Learn about wellness programs and services and understand vaccine requirements.

3:45 - 4:25 PM

FINANCING THE NEXT FOUR YEARS

Soda Center, Moraga Room

The Office of Financial Aid and the Business Office will assist students and guests in explaining financial aid processes as well as the Saint Mary's billing process and payment options.

4:25 - 4:40 PM

TIPS FROM THE TOP

Soda Center

End the day with tips from College leadership and a preview of the coming Weekend of Welcome.

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