

Hope International University Parent Orientation

Spring 2011

Tuesday, January 18

9:00 am – 11:00 am	Check-In and Move-In	Student Center
10:00 am – 11:30 am	Commuter Gathering	Activity Room
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch	The Commons
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	President's Welcome	Christensen Room
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Students: Barnabas Groups	Christensen Room
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Parent Orientation and Q&A	Santa Ana Room
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Celebration	The Nu Lounge
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Dinner	The Commons
5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Women's Basketball Game	Biola University
7:30 pm – 9:00 pm	Men's Basketball Game	Biola University

Mandatory events are highlighted above in bold.

Check-In: All students must attend. You will pick up your internet and phone information, mailbox combination, parking decal, finalize account details, receive information about health insurance, take your student I.D. picture, get your Barnabas Group assignment, and meet some of your student leaders. After check-in is completed you will have time to move into your room if living in the residence halls. You must be cleared in order to move into the dorms.

Commuter Gathering: While residents are moving into the dorms come and meet some of your fellow commuters. You may even find someone to carpool with.

President's Welcome: All students must attend. President John Derry will welcome you to the *Hope* community and offer further information about New Student Orientation and the University.

Barnabas Groups: All students must attend. This peer mentoring program provides support and encouragement for all of *Hope's* new students. You will be assigned to a group of 10-15 new students and one returning student who will act as your group leader. Your group will meet periodically to help you navigate through your first semester at *Hope*, integrate into the community, and get plugged into activities, programs, and groups on campus.

College 101 – Parent's Orientation: While the students meet with their Barnabas Groups hear from the President and meet some of our faculty, staff, and administrators. We will have raffles and gifts we have selected just for you.

Celebration: We want to come together to celebrate in worship, welcoming our new students and families while asking God to bless the coming semester. This time serves as the parents' closing session and we ask that you help us to better serve our community by filling out the parent survey.

Basketball Games: Although the family portion of NSO has concluded we encourage everyone to make time to cheer on our women's and men's basketball teams. Directions to the game can be found with assistance from the Information Desk Assistants in the lobby of the Student Center.

Movie Night: There will be a number of social and recreational events for students during NSO. Attending these events is a great way for them to relax and meet other students. Please encourage your student to reach out and get connected.

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Dates to Know

Jan. 19	MLK Holiday (offices closed)
Jan. 20	Spring Semester Classes Begin
Jan. 28	Credit Enrolment Ends
Feb. 18	Good Standing Withdrawal Ends
Feb. 21	President Day Holiday (offices closed)
Mar. 3	Faculty In-Service (offices open)
Mar. 11	Class Withdrawal Period Ends
Mar. 28 – Apr. 1	Spring Break
Apr. 6 – 8	Fall 2011 Registration
Apr. 22	Good Friday-Easter Holiday (offices closed)
May 9 - 12	Final Exams
May. 14	Spring Residence Hall Move-Out