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Get Oriented

FRESHMAN  
SCHEDULE

TIME	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION
It's Official You're a Husky   Day One		
7:00 AM	<b>ALEKS Check-In</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who have registered to take placement examinations will need to report to McNair Hall ALEKS Testing table prior to checking in for Orientation.</li> </ul>	MCNAIR HALL
7:30 AM-8:30 AM	<b>Official "GO" Orientation Check-In- A-L</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This is the official check-in time for all "GO" participants. You will also be taken to Freshmen Village to check into your "GO" room and meet your "GO" roommates!</li> <li><b>Meningitis Submission-</b> If you have your meningitis shot records, you may submit documentation to have this hold released.</li> <li><b>Java City</b> -After you are checked in, feel free to try our on-campus coffee shop for a pastry &amp; coffee. Lastly, the bookstore is open for you to shop for your favorite Husky Gear.</li> <li><b>Final high school/ dual credit transcript submission-</b> Bring your final transcripts with graduation date.</li> <li><b>Housing-</b> Have you submitted your housing application? Paid your housing deposit; or are you planning to stay off-campus? Stop by the Res-Life table to get assistance.</li> <li><b>Welcome Days-</b> Don't forget to stop by the Welcome Days table to sign up for a weekend of fun before your semester starts.</li> <li><b>Finalizing Your Financial Aid &amp; Tuition Payments-</b> Still have questions about what items to submit? Schedule a time for you to meet with our financial aid and financial services team.</li> </ul>	MCNAIR HALL
8:30 AM-9:30 AM	<b>Official "GO" Orientation Check-In- M-Z</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This is the official check-in time for all "GO" participants. You will also be taken to Freshmen Village to check into your "GO" room and meet your "GO" roommates!</li> <li><b>Meningitis Submission-</b> If you have your meningitis shot records, you may submit documentation to have this hold released.</li> <li><b>Java City</b> -After you are checked in, feel free to try our on-campus coffee shop for a pastry &amp; coffee. Lastly, the bookstore is open for you to shop for your favorite Husky Gear.</li> <li><b>Final high school/ dual credit transcript submission-</b> Bring your final transcripts with graduation date.</li> <li><b>Housing-</b> Have you submitted your housing application? Paid your housing deposit; or are you planning to stay off-campus? Stop by the Res-Life table to get assistance.</li> <li><b>Welcome Days-</b> Don't forget to stop by the Welcome Days table to sign up for a weekend of fun before your semester starts.</li> <li><b>Finalizing Your Financial Aid &amp; Tuition Payments-</b> Still have questions about what items to submit? Schedule a time for you to meet with our financial aid and financial services team.</li> </ul>	MCNAIR HALL
9:00 AM-10:00 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>HCU Honors College</b> -Our Honors College is made to fit with any major. Come and join the conversation about a liberal arts education and how it fits into your four-year pathway.</li> <li><b>HCU Trio Student Support Services-</b> Designed to holistically support students who are first-generation, low income, or students with disabilities.</li> <li><b>Summer Launch-</b> Join the Department of Student Success to discuss how to prepare in the summer for college at HCU in the Fall.</li> <li><b>Study Abroad</b> -Studying abroad may be a fun experience for students, but did you know it also helps them gain new life skills, helps students graduate on time, and can set them apart from other applicants for future jobs and post-graduate studies. Come learn more about the Study Abroad opportunities HCU has to offer.</li> <li><b>Veteran Services-</b>This session is for any veteran and their family members who want to find out more about the student veteran/dependent experience at HCU, whether or not they are using VA benefits.</li> <li><b>Testing &amp; Accommodation Services-</b> Please stop by this table if you qualify for or have had 504 Accommodation Services.</li> </ul>	ATWOOD I  LIBRARY 100  LIBRARY COMMONS  TUTORING CENTER  COLLEGIUM  LIBRARY COMMONS
We are A Higher Education		
10:15 AM-11:15 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Welcome To Houston Christian University!:</b> Our "GO" team leaders are excited to meet and welcome you to the Pack! Hear from our university administrators about what it means to be a Husky.</li> </ul>	DUNHAM THEATER
11:15 AM-12:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Husky to Husky (students only):</b> Your "GO" leaders cannot wait to welcome you to the Pack!</li> <li><b>It takes the Pack: Family Partners (parents/families):</b> Parents and Families, while your student is meeting with their "GO" groups, join our Student Life team as they discuss the Husky Family role, support, safety, and connection opportunities.</li> </ul>	VARIOUS LOCATIONS  DUNHAM THEATER
12:00 PM-1:15 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Lunch-</b> Join us for lunch in the Brown Quad and Holcombe Mall. Parents and Families \$8 per person, new Huskies eat free.</li> </ul>	BROWN COURTYARD
It's Time to Get Social		
1:15 PM-2:15 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>On the Go- Commuter Life-</b> Living off-campus? Hear from our First Year &amp; Commuter Engagement Specialist about the resources available for our commuting Huskies.</li> <li><b>The Residential Life-</b> Join our Residence Life Staff as they share how the on-campus experience enhances your HCU experience.</li> </ul>	DUNHAM THEATER  DUNHAM THEATER
2:15 PM-3:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Get to know your Major-</b> This is your opportunity to hear directly from your college or school about your major and what to expect. Bring your questions and come chat.</li> </ul>	VARIOUS LOCATIONS
3:00 PM- 6:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>ALEKS Check-In-</b> Students who have registered to take placement examinations will need to report to the Testing Center.</li> </ul>	MCNAIR HALL

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3:00 PM-3:45 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connect with Student Success-</b> Your success is our mission! Learn about all of the resources we provide to help you succeed inside and outside of the classroom.</li> </ul>	DUNHAM THEATER
4:00 PM-5:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>I'm all INvolved! Organization Fair-</b> Find your fit! Come and mingle with clubs, organizations, and Greek Life. Get plugged in before the semester starts!</li> </ul>	MCNAIR HALL

## Taking Care of Business

3:30 PM-5:00 PM	<p><b>Get Ahead and Stay Ahead: Financial Aid (student &amp; family)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Financial Aid and Cashier teams are here to help you navigate the process of paying for your HCU education. This includes everything from applying for aid and paying your bill.</li> <li>• <b>Financial Aid/Tuition &amp; Payments Appointments-</b> Students and families are encouraged to schedule/meet with financial aid and financial services to discuss tuition and payments.</li> <li>• <b>ID Photo-</b> Put on a smile and take your ID photo. Your ID card will be ready for you at checkout on day two.</li> <li>• <b>Move-in and get settled-</b> Students can also take this time to move into their room for “GO” and get settled.</li> </ul>	<p>DILLON /W/</p>
		<p>LIBRARY</p>
		<p>WOMEN'S &amp; MEN'S RESIDENCE COLLEGE</p>

## New Husky Sessions

5:00 PM-5:45 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Community Life + Worship (students only)</b>- Our Spiritual Life Department will share with you HCU's cornerstone of a holistic education through Community Life + Worship. Learn ways to give back, dive deep, and experience how we integrate faith and learning.</li></ul>	BELIN CHAPEL
5:45 PM-6:15 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>“The Husky Journey” (students only)</b>- Join the Director of Student Life as she discusses campus life, what it means to be a Husky, campus safety, Title IX, and your rights as a student.</li></ul>	BELIN CHAPEL
6:30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dinner with your “GO” team (students only)</b>- At this time, parents and families are dismissed for the evening. Please join us tomorrow morning for a free full hot breakfast.</li></ul>	THE BAUGHMAN
7:30 PM-8:25 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Worship and Fellowship (students only)</b>- Join our Refuge Band as they lead you in your first worship session as the Class of 2027.</li></ul>	BELIN CHAPEL
8:30 PM-11:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>“Dawgs Up! Lights Out” (students only)</b>- Your “GO” team has a fun night planned for you! Hear about traditions, eat delicious food, popcorn, dance the night away with our DJ, and more!</li></ul>	HOLCOMBE MALL
11:30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Lights Out for real!</b></li></ul>	RESIDENCE HALLS

## You're at the finish line | Day Two

7:00 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Rise And Shine: Husky Breakfast-</b> Store your luggage and checkout of the residence hall.</li> </ul>	MCNAIR HALL
7:30 AM-8:30 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Registration Packets and Huskynet Login Pick up-</b> For those still needing to register for classes now is the time to get your registration paperwork.</li> </ul>	BELIN CHAPEL
8:30 AM-9:00 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>The Whole Husky-</b> An introduction to HCU's wellness approach for college freshmen. Discover the importance of intellectual, spiritual, financial, social, environmental, occupational, and emotional wellness.</li> </ul>	DUNHAM THEATER
9:00 AM-10:00 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Enroll 101: Preparing to enroll (parents/families/student)-</b> Join the Office of Admissions &amp; Advising as we cover what to expect during your advising and registration meetings.</li> </ul>	BELIN CHAPEL
10:00 AM-12:30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Academic Advising &amp; Class Registration-</b> Students will meet with their academic advisor, register for courses, and hear from Financial Aid and Student Account Services about tuition, fees, and payments.</li> </ul>	VARIOUS LOCATIONS
10:15 AM-11:15 AM GROUP A		
11:30 AM-12:30 PM GROUP B		
8:00 AM-12:00 PM	<p><b>Check out</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Financial Aid/Tuition &amp; Payments Appointments-</b> Still have questions or need an appointment? Come to Dillon II to meet with our Student Account Services or a Financial Aid Advisor.</li> <li><b>Pick up ID Photo-</b> This is your final step, pick up your Husky ID make it official.</li> <li><b>Register your Vehicle-</b> Bring your license plate number, state, year and vehicle make, model, and color.</li> <li><b>*Note-If you are not bringing a vehicle you must submit a waiver through HuskyNet to avoid non-refundable charges.</b></li> </ul>	<p>DILLON II</p> <p>MCNAIR HALL</p> <p>MCNAIR HALL</p>

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## New Husky Reminders

- **Pick up your Husky ID card at Check-out in McNair Hall**
- **Purchase/Order your Textbooks! Visit the HCU Bookstore located in MD Anderson Student Center.**
- **Be prepared to pay or make plans to pay your tuition and fee bill.**
- **Register your vehicle or waive it if you are not bringing a car to campus.**

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- **Parent and Family Programs-** If you have a child that is attending HCU, join our Office of Student Life for ways you can support your Husky.



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- Visitor Parking - Lots 2 and 5

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### Departments

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|---|----|---|----|
| Admissions                                  | 5  | International and Veteran                 | 68 |
| Accounting                                  | 6  | Service Center                            | 68 |
| Advancement / Alumni                        | 8  | McNair Center for Entrepreneurship        | 22 |
| Archie W. Dunham College                    | 2  | and Free Enterprise                       | 22 |
| Office of Business                          | 14 | Office of Academic Records                | 11 |
| Career and Calling                          | 2  | Residence Life                            | 11 |
| College of Education and Behavioral Science | 12 | Robert Griswold Finance and Analytics Lab | 2  |
| College of Science and Engineering          | 9  | School of Christian Thought               | 18 |
| SAFE Lab                                    | 20 | School of Fine Arts                       | 18 |
| Dining Services                             | 6  | School of Humanities                      | 13 |
| Executive Offices                           | 6  | School of Nursing and Allied Health       | 5  |
| Financial Aid                               | 25 | Spiritual Life                            | 20 |
| Gideon Counseling Center                    | 2  | Student Accounts                          | 14 |
| Graduate Admissions                         | 8  | Student Life                              | 14 |
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| Human Resources                             | 2  |   |    |

### Facilities

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| Annex                        | 24      | Cullen Science Center            | 12 | Hinton Center            | 2  | Mabee Teaching Theater            | 10 | Operations                          | 15 |
| Atwood I                     | 8       | Cullen Nursing Center            | 13 | Hinton House             | 11 | McNair Hall                       | 1  | Philips Residence College for Men   | 16 |
| Atwood II                    | 9       | Cullen Parlor                    | 13 | Hodo Residence College   | 11 | M.D. Anderson Student Center      | 5  | Philips Residence College for Women | 17 |
| Baseball Field               | 9       | Contemporary & Fine Arts Gallery | 7  | Holcombe Mall            | 14 | Moody Library                     | 14 | Sharp Gymnasium                     | 4  |
| Baugh Center (Cafeteria)     | 20      | Denham Hall                      | 1  | Husky Village Apartments | 14 | Morris Cultural Arts Center       | 21 | Softball Field                      | 4  |
| Belin Chapel                 | 1       | Dillon I and II                  | 2  | Java City                | 14 | Morris Center for Law and Liberty | 1  | Sorrells Soccer Fields              | 18 |
| Bookstore                    | 5       | Dunham Bible Museum              | 22 | Lawrence Park            | 14 | Morris House                      | 1  | University Academic Center          | 18 |
| Bradshaw Fitness Center      | 25      | Dunham Football Field            | 22 | Learning Commons         | 2  | University Museums                | 1  | Volleyball Courts                   | 1  |
| Brown Administrative Complex | 5, 6, 7 | Founder's Hall I                 | 2  | Lighthouse Lab           | 2  |                                   |    |                                     |    |
| Collegium                    | 5       | Glasscock Center                 | 2  | Lucy McBride Golf Area   | 2  |                                   |    |                                     |    |

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