

PLEASE be sure to attend all REQUIRED events. Attendance will be taken.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31

If you do NOT have an on-campus housing assignment, you are not required to come to campus on this day. However, everyone is welcome to join shopping & dinner trip.

Check-in at Campus Safety:

- Time: All day
- Location: Campus Safety Office located in the first floor of Harstad Hall.
- Note: One of the International Peer Advisors will come greet you at the Campus Safety Office. **Please meet at the Campus Safety Office FIRST, do NOT go directly to your assigned residence hall building.** If you cannot arrive this day, please contact: iss@plu.edu by August 1st.

Lunch On Your Own

- Location: Anderson University Center, The Commons or Old Main Market

Shopping Shuttle: We will take you to local stores to purchase mobile phone services, bedding and bathing items, electronics, and room accessories.

- Time: 2:00PM - 5:30PM, depending on student interest
- Location: Meet at International Student Center, Harstad Hall 112
- Note: Please bring money for shopping. If you want a cell phone service, please also bring passport.

Evening Social: Enjoy dinner with IPAs and other new students! We will introduce you to local Parkland restaurants and businesses.

- Time: 6:00PM - 9:00PM
- Location: Meet outside Campus Safety Office, north side of Harstad Hall

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

EVERYONE is required to arrive on campus by this day.

Breakfast On Your Own

- Time: 7:00AM - 8:30AM
- Location: Anderson University Center, The Commons

International Student Welcome & Orientation (REQUIRED for All): This is the official opening of International Student Orientation. Meet other new students and International Peer Advisors! You will learn a variety of information necessary to adjust to your life at PLU.

- Time: 8:30AM – 10:30AM
- Location: Anderson University Center, Regency Room 203
- Note: **Bring your passport & I-20 or DS-2019. Please eat breakfast before you come!**

Overview of Immigration Policy and Benefits (REQUIRED): Learn essential information about how to maintain your immigration status in the United States.

- Time: 10:30AM – 11:30AM
- Location: Anderson University Center, Regency Room 203

Campus Tour

- Time: 11:30AM - 12:15PM

Group Lunch

- Time: 12:15PM - 1:30PM
- Location: Anderson University Center, The Commons
- Note: Please use your dining dollars or pay with cash or card.

International Student Group Photos: Have pictures taken by the University Photographer!

- Time: 1:30PM – 2:00PM

Visit SurPLUs Store: Browse donated furniture, clothing, kitchen items and electronics, and purchase items for your room.

- Time: 2:00PM - 3:00PM
- Location: SurPLUs Store, lower campus

Shopping Shuttle: We will take you to local stores to purchase mobile phone services, bedding and bathing items, electronics, and room accessories.

- Time: 3:30PM – 6:00PM
- Location: Meet at International Student Center, Harstad Hall 112

Evening Social: Enjoy dinner and bowling with your new friends!

- Time: 6:00PM - 9:00PM
- Location: Meet outside Campus Safety (Harstad Hall) and walk to Paradise Lanes
- Note: Bowling is \$11 for two hours including shoe rental. Dinner can be purchased inside.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

Breakfast On Your Own

- Time: 7:00AM-8:30AM
- Location: Anderson University Center, The Commons

Health Center Visit

- Time: 8:30AM - 9:30AM
- Location: Meet at Red Square
- Note: Students will be notified if this visit is required.

Essential Online Resources (REQUIRED): Learn all about accessing important online resources at PLU.

- Time: 9:45AM – 11:00AM
- Location: Morken Building, Room 124 & 203

Group Lunch in Downtown Tacoma: Eat lunch with IPAs and other new students.

- Time: 12:00PM - 2:00PM
- Location: Meet outside Campus Safety Office, north side of Harstad Hall
- Note: Please bring cash and/or credit card for lunch and dinner.

Explore Downtown Tacoma: There will be a team challenge for those who want to participate. We will explore local museums and attractions, and then have dinner before returning to campus.

- Time: 2:00PM - 8:00PM

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

All new Domestic Students are arriving to campus on this day.

Breakfast On Your Own

- Location: Anderson University Center, The Commons

Small Group Break-out Session (REQUIRED): Have questions about classes or campus life? Current PLU students will answer your questions and share their tips for succeeding at PLU.

- Time: 10:00AM – 11:15AM
- Location: Meet outside the Diversity Center/DJS Lounge, Anderson University Center

****General New Student Orientation begins Friday afternoon and continues through the weekend!**

For New Student Orientation schedule refer to <http://www.plu.edu/new/> and attend events that are most appropriate of your student type: First Year Students, Transfer Students OR Parents & Families.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Opening Convocation: The formal start of the 2021-2022 academic year!

- Time: 9:30AM - 11:00AM
- Location: Meet in Red Square and then process to Olson Auditorium

Best wishes for your First Day of Classes!

*Did you sign up for the **Global Campus Connection** peer mentor program? Check your PLU email for information about an opportunity to meet your partner(s) during the first week of school