

New Student Schedule

Tuesday, August 20

Events with a * are **REQUIRED**

Free Store in the Recycling center is open to all students 8am – 12pm and 1pm – 5pm on weekdays. We suggest that students come down to check it out before making purchases of school and residence hall supplies with your parents!

9:00am – 11:30am

****Orientation Check-in - receive your key***

Kittredge Theater Parking Lot

Students begin by checking in at the **Kittredge Theater Lobby**, where they will finish any necessary forms for financial aid or accounting. Then students and families will be directed to the Residence Hall location for moving in.

9:00am – 3:30pm

****Move-in and settle into your new room***

Various Residence Halls on campus

Welcome to living on campus! Residential Life check-in occurs right near your new home. Athletic teams, Peer Group Leaders and other Community members will help unload your belongings until 11:30 am. Feel free to take your time moving in your items and even catch a ride to local stores.

10:00am – 2:00pm

Schedule of Classes Advising

Jensen Hall 1st Floor

If you have not yet registered for classes please visit the Center for Integrated Advising and Careers (CIAC) on Jensen 1st floor. The CIAC staff are available to help you build your schedule and make sure you are officially registered.

10:00am – 3:30pm

****Health Center, Student ID pictures, and Work Program Required Session***

Canon Lounge, Gladfelter

Each student is required to see the Health Center and the Work Program Office to complete work and tax forms (I-9); sessions are only 30 minutes long. Please bring your original, unexpired documents – Either 1 List A document or 1 List B and 1 List C document.

You signed up through the google form where you also registered for Orientation, the time slot you selected is on your Orientation schedule label!

11:00am – 2:00pm

Shuttles to Local Stores

Meet the Shuttles at DeVries Gym upper parking lot and Gladfelter every half hour
Catch a shuttle to head to Target, Walmart, or Ingles, the local grocery store if you need more items for your new room.

11:00am – 11:45am

***Educational Access and Support Meeting
Jensen Hall Room 113***

An informational meeting for students and their family members, who may be requesting academic accommodations. Individual appointments can be set up ahead of time. Please contact Deb Braden, Director of Disability Access, at dbraden@warren-wilson.edu. A duplicate session will be held at 1:30pm

11:30am – 1:15pm

***Lunch
Gladfelter***

Students and Families are welcome to have lunch on us!

1:30pm – 2:15pm

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2:00pm – 3:00pm

***Pre-Professional Interest Session
Boon Hall 110***

Students interested in pre-professional careers such as pre-health, pre-law, pre-vet, Pre-MBA, and pre-education, are invited to come and talk with pre-professional advisors to learn about classes, programs and pre-professional activities.

3:30pm – 4:15pm

****Welcome with the President
College Chapel***

President Morton will be joined by the college vice presidents to formally welcome the new class of 2023 and transfer students. After the welcome, students will be escorted to first floor meeting with their RA while families head to the next session.

4:15pm – 5:10pm

****First Floor Meeting with your Resident Assistant
Various Locations (follow your RA or OWL from the Welcome Session)
Non-residential Transfer students, go with Transfer OWLs***

Students will meet with their floor and building mates, which will include connecting with the Resident Assistant (RA), current students who will guide students. Students not living on campus, will meet with their Orientation Week Leader.

5:15pm – 5:30pm

Family Farewell

Boon Hall Lobby and Courtyard

Students are invited to reconnect with their families.

5:30pm – 6:45pm

****Dinner with your Orientation Group – Peer Group Leader (PGL) and Orientation Week Leader (OWL)***

Meet in front of Gladfelter

(Note - dining hours for orientation week are different than the rest of the semester.)

7:00pm – 8:00pm

****The Wilson Neighborhood: Community Standards & Responsibilities
Kittredge Theater***

Folks from Student Life will provide information for navigating life on campus.

8:00pm – 10:30pm ***Optional evening programs***

Here's where you can start to meet your classmates while also enjoying some fun on campus in a variety of activities.

Zumba – Bryson Gym (8pm – 9pm)

Zumba incorporates Latin and World music with Latin dance-inspired moves that have made Zumba an international fitness sensation. Zumba classes offer a fun and exhilarating work-out for all ages and fitness levels. Beginners welcome - let the music move you! Your instructor is Susan McCracken, Licensed Zumba Fitness Instructor since 2008.

Game Night

Gladfelter Lower Level

Check out our Air Hockey, Ping Pong, and Foosball tables while also being able to play board games to challenge your new friends.

Wednesday, August 21

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7:30am – 8:15 am

Breakfast

Gladfelter Dining Hall

8:30 – 9:30am

***Orientation Kick-off**

Kittredge Theater

Join your classmates as we celebrate the Orientation adventure this week. Meet all the Orientation Week Leaders (OWLs), Peer Group Leaders (PGLs) and Residence Director (RD) staff while also hearing from the Athletic Staff to learn about our Varsity teams, Intramurals, Outdoor Programs, Recreational activities, and work out facilities!

10:30am – 11:45am

***Academic Division Fair – Visit any and all of the following locations:**

Natural Sciences – Pavilion

Social Sciences – Boon Hall Rooms 108 & 110

Humanities & Fine Arts – Canon Lounge, Gladfelter

Meet the faculty and check out an academic area in which you might want to major or learn more about. You can explore options in various majors, find out where students have completed internships and where graduates land.

11:45am – 1:00pm

***Lunch with your Peer Group Leader (PGL).**

Gladfelter Dining Hall

1:00pm - 4:00pm

***Applied Learning Afternoon Rotation from 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm, please stay with your group! Each session location is listed below**

All Transfer groups go around with New Student Groups

1:00pm – 2:00pm

***Transfer group 2**

Center for Community Engagement – Canon Lounge

WWC students are involved with significant community work locally, nationally, and internationally. In this session you will hear firsthand from CCE staff and your peers the distinctive elements of the Community Engagement Commitment and how you can make an impact in your local and global communities all while making meaningful connections between your academics, interest, and professional aspirations.

***Transfer group 1**

World of Work – Kittredge Theater

The Work Program Office leads an interactive session that will get you ready for work, answer your questions, quell your fears, and get you excited for starting work on Monday! You'll get the lowdown about the work commitment and navigating the Work Program at Warren Wilson College. This session will also include a safety training that is legally required before starting work.

****Transfer group 3***

Center for Integrated Advising & Careers

Jensen 213 if you have an IA Coach

Jensen 115 if you are to meet with Wendy Seligmann

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4:00pm – 5:15pm

****Crew Reception – Morris Pavilion***

The Work Program Office staff is excited to welcome you to the work program and introduce you to your new supervisor.

5:15pm – 7:00pm

****Dinner with your Orientation Week Leader (OWL).***

Gladfelter Dining Hall

7:00pm – 8:30pm

****Let's Talk About Sex, Drugs, and Well-being – Kittredge Theater***

Yes, you read that correctly! At Warren Wilson College, we want all of your relationships to be healthy. We also believe in clear communication-so let's talk it out and get on the same page as far as understanding safer sex and substance use! Sex Ed as you've never seen it before with Mariel Epstein Olsen, Director of Student Well-Being and the Orientation Week Leaders!

Optional Evening Activities!

8:30pm – 9:30pm

***Queer Resource Center Open House
Dodge House, 2nd floor (outside steps)***

8:30pm – 9:30pm

***Yoga
Vining C common room***

8:30pm – 10:00pm

German Wheel – Bryson Gym

Circus/acrobatics - give the "German Wheel" a spin!? Wear socks with soccer like sneakers and clothing to be upside down in as well as no jewelry, please.

9:00pm – 10:30pm

Night Hike – Meet outside Bryson Gym

Enjoy a great night hike run by the Outdoor Programs Crews! Get to learn the trails on campus with experienced crew members!

9:15pm – 10:15pm

BINGO Night

Cowpie Café, Gladfelder

Play this classic game for cool prizes!!!

Thursday, August 22

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8:45am – 9:15am

Breakfast at the Pavilion

Enjoy a continental breakfast before you embark on Service day!

9:15am – 3:00pm

***Service Day**

Pavilion

Start by meeting your Peer Group at the Pavilion. The service commitment starts here! With a specific focus on food security, students will head out to a wide array of sites to work with local partners. Bring your water bottle, closed-toed shoes, and your dedication to making a difference. Lunch will be provided on site.

3:00pm – 3:30pm

***Service Day Reflection and Ultimate Ice Cream**

Pavilion

Hear about and celebrate the great work we achieved as a campus community and enjoy some Ultimate Ice Cream!

3:30pm – 5:00pm

Break/Time to freshen up

Campus Offices are open to handle any remaining school business or answer questions

5:30pm – 6:45pm

****Dinner with your RA – Meet your RA on your floor!***
Individual Hall then head to Gladfelter Dining Hall

Non-residential students – Dinner with your OWLs

6:55pm – 8:30pm

****Living in Community at Warren Wilson
Kittredge Theater***

Hear from the folks in Spiritual Life, Student Well-Being, and Wilson Inclusion, Diversity, & Equity Office as the directors lead a discussion on the Warren Wilson College culture, with special attention to the ways in which every community member is expected to embrace, respect, and understand the broad diversity of our campus. This will include information on the resources available to help every member of our community stand up for their rights.

Evening Optional Activities - drop in to one, two, or all!

8:30pm – 11:00pm

Contra Dancing

Bryson Gym

The Old Farmers Ball contra dance takes place every Thursday evening from 7-11 pm in Bryson Gym. Contra is a fun type of folk dance.

8:30pm – 10:00pm

Old-Time Music Jam

Pavilion

All are welcome to join in or come to listen!

8:15pm – 9:30pm

Writers' and Readers' Circle

Jensen Hall 3rd floor common area

Creative Writing and English faculty invite you to the third floor common area of Jensen Hall to share inspiring passages from literature and write your own. Bring your own favorite work, and learn about opportunities for budding writers of all sorts on campus!

8:30pm – 10:00pm

Broom Making

Vining C common space

Make a broom with a master craftsman, Tom Wilder! All supplies are provided.

9:00pm – 11:00pm

Sacred Spaces Candlelight Tour

Meet at the Chapel

Join the office of Spiritual Life on a candle-lit, walking tour of sacred spaces on campus. Starting at the chapel, we will make our way to several sacred places on campus including the meditation hut, the labyrinth, and more. At each stop, we'll hear a reading

from a number of traditions or get a chance to hear about some of the spiritual groups on campus including the Merry Pagans, Kehila (Jewish), and the monthly Interfaith Dinners. Plus, get a copy of "All Spaces Are Sacred" zine including a map and self-guided tour for your future days at Warren Wilson. All are welcome.

Friday, August 23

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7:30am – 8:15 am

Breakfast

Gladfelter Dining Hall

***Student Life Afternoon Rotation from 9:00 am – 2:15 pm, please stay with your group! Each session location is listed below**

Group Warren – Groups Numbered 1 – 6 & Transfer Group 1

Group Wilson – Groups Numbered 7 – 12 & Transfer Group 2

Group College – Groups Numbered 13 – 18 & Transfer Group 3

9:00am – 10:15am 1st Rotation*

***Group College – Student Well-Being Small Group Activities – Boom Hall rooms
Boon Hall 1st floor Lobby – Transfer Group 3**

Let's keep the conversation going around sex and drugs! We'll also add in some self-care and well-being. Students will have an opportunity to expand their knowledge through games, small group discussion, and q & a's.

***Group Wilson - Finalize your Academic Schedule – Jensen 3rd floor**

Jensen 315 – Transfer Group 2 & Group 11

Come ready to finalize your fall schedule, learn tips on how to navigate waitlists, and ask any lingering course schedule questions. Peer Group Leaders and Integrated Advising Coaches will be available to help you with any questions you have and/or ideas for changes that you want to make to your schedule.

***Group Warren - Survival guide to College and Living in Community small group activities**

Kittredge Hall 16 – Transfer Group 1

Students will participate in small group break-out sessions led by Orientation Week Leaders and Student Life Directors focusing on interactive ways to identify and engage with the concepts of diversity, inclusion, privilege, and identity. There will be time after each session for debriefing and conversations to process the activity as a group. The goal of these sessions are that they serve as an entry ramp to navigating diversity in a

new community while highlighting how to engage in communication across cultural differences, holding space for, identifying, and preserving the integrity of each community member's identity.

10:15am – 11:30am 2nd Rotation*

***Group College - Finalize your Academic Schedule – Jensen 3rd floor
Jensen 315 – Transfer Group 3 & Group 17**

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11:30am – 12:45pm

***Lunch with your Orientation Week Leader (OWL).
Gladfelter Dining Hall**

1:00pm – 2:15pm 3rd Rotation*

***Group Wilson – Student Well-Being Small Group Activities – Boom Hall rooms
Groups 4-8 locations
Boon Hall 1st floor Lobby – Transfer Group 2**

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Jensen 315 – Transfer Group 1 & Group 5**

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2:30pm – 3:30pm

***Green Walkabout, Kittredge Theatre**

Warren Wilson has a national reputation for its environmental sustainability--find out why. Students get a survey of some of the environmental practices embedded in our systems, such as landscaping, dining, and waste management.

3:30pm – 5:00pm

Optional Green Walkabout Location visits

Students get a survey of some of the environmental practices embedded in our systems, such as landscaping, dining, and waste management. We begin at Kittredge and end at Gladfelter. Wear good walking shoes, and bring a water bottle.

5:15pm – 7:00pm

**Dinner with your Orientation Week Leader (OWL).
Gladfelter Dining Hall**

6:00pm – 8:00pm

**Men's Soccer Scrimmage with Montreat College
Soccer Fields behind DeVries Gym and Tennis courts**

Optional Activities – drop in to one or both!

8:00pm – 9:00pm

Comedy Night

Kittredge Theater

Join the Asheville Improv Collective (AIC) for an evening of fun and laughs! AIC is Western North Carolina's only independent school focused on long-form improvisational comedy. Their goal is to build and nurture an improv community and they truly believe that improv can help people in every aspect of life.

8:45pm – 10:30pm

Residential Life staff sponsors the following:

Beach Party with Volleyball – Sunderland Lawn, rain location – Bryson Gym

Movie on Large Inflatable Screen - Pavilion

Saturday, August 24

8:30am – 9:30am

Breakfast

Gladfelter Dining Hall

10:00am – 11:30am

***Make Warren Wilson College Work For You**

Warren Wilson College offers a variety of opportunities to help you maximize your education. During this session, choose from a variety of sessions that will set you up for success as you start your first semester. Whether you already have ideas about experiences you want to take advantage of or are just trying to figure out how to add and drop classes, there will be a session for you!

Groups meeting at this time:

Transfer Group 1 – Jensen Room 113

Transfer Group 2 – Jensen Room 113

11:45am – 1:00pm

Lunch

Gladfelter Dining Hall

Optional Activities – drop in to one or more!

1:00pm – 3:00pm

Women's Soccer Scrimmage/Game with Wake Tech

Soccer Fields behind DeVries Gym and Tennis courts

1:00pm – 5:00pm

Explore Asheville – meet outside Gladfelter for van

Trip to Downtown Asheville, meet outside ***Gladfelter***. Vans will take students to explore the city by doing a walking tour of downtown and shopping. Please bring own spending money.

3:00pm – 5:00pm Hike or Bike the Warren Wilson Trails – meet at Bryson Gym

Join the Outdoor Programs for an introductory hike (or bring your Mountain Bike) to the trails on our campus.

5:00pm – 6:30pm

Dinner

Gladfelter Dining Hall

Optional Activities – drop in!

6:30pm – 9:00pm

Rock Climbing Wall

Bryson Gym

Rock Climbing Wall is open to all levels, so if you've never tried it before, now is a great time!

9:00pm – 11:00pm

Open Mic Night – Sage Café

Come share your talents and participate or listen to your peers! Bring your ID card with Sage dollars or cash to purchase some snacks!

Sunday, August 25

8:00am – 2:00pm Advising Appointments – please schedule with your academic coach for time and location.

8:30am – 9:30am

Breakfast

Gladfelter Dining Hall

11:00am – 1:30pm

Church Service (11am) and Potluck lunch (12:15)

Presbyterian Church Chapel

Service at the Warren Wilson Presbyterian Church with a potluck to follow in Upper Ransom Fellowship Hall. For more information go to: warrenwilsonchurch.org

11:30am – 1:00pm

Lunch

Gladfelter Dining Hall

2:00pm – 3:30pm

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Groups meeting at this time:

Transfer Group 3 – Jensen Room 113

3:30pm – 5:00pm

Free time and get ready for the final orientation dinner

5:15pm – 6:30pm

****Class of 2023 and Transfer Student Dinner, sit with your OWL & PGL Group.***

Canon Lounge, Gladfelter Dining Hall

Join your new friends in the final dinner of Orientation where we can celebrate a great week. Professor Lucy Lawrence, will share a few tips as you begin classes and your life at Warren Wilson!

Optional Activities – drop in to any or all!

7:30pm – 9:00pm

BINGO Night

Cowpie Café, Gladfelter

Play this classic game for cool prizes!!!

9:00pm – 11:00pm

Glow in the Dark Frisbee – Soccer Fields behind DeVries Gym – Sponsored by Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Hang out and play some cool glow in the dark frisbee! Glow necklaces provided.