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Student Schedule

New Student Orientation, Spring 2023

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

All activities are required unless noted as "optional."

Thursday, January 19th, 2023

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **Registration/Move into Residence Hall**

Location: [Click Family Athletic Center](#), Gymnasium

Register for Orientation, obtain your computer, student ID card, and complete any remaining paperwork. Upon completion of registration, students can check into your residence hall on the upper campus.

11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Lunch**

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall

Students, please remember to bring your Landmark ID that was provided at registration; you will need it for every meal!

Families are welcome to enjoy complimentary meals in the dining hall during orientation.

2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. **Welcome Address**

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Brooks O'Brien Auditorium

Presenters: Dr. Peter Eden, President, Dr. Gail Gibson Sheffield, Vice President for Academic Affairs, Michael Luciani, Vice President for Student Affairs, and Michael Stefanowicz, Vice President for Enrollment Management

Please join Landmark College leaders for a formal welcome.

2:35 p.m. – 3:35 p.m. **Color Group Meetings**

Locations: [Lewis Academic Building](#), See below. Students will depart from the Brooks O'Brien Auditorium by group.

Meet with your orientation group for introductions to start building your community at Landmark College. Review the orientation schedule and what to expect before the start of classes.

- **Gold Group**
Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Room #002
- **Blue Group**
Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Room #003
- **Purple Group**
Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Room #004
- **Green Group**
Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Room #005

3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. **Campus Tour**

Presenters: Orientation Leaders

Go on a walking tour of campus to familiarize yourself with important locations that you will frequently visit around campus.

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5:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Welcome Dinner

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall

Join the Landmark staff and administration members for your first dinner at Landmark. Students, please remember to bring your Landmark ID. Families are welcome to enjoy all meals in the dining hall during orientation (at no cost).

7:00 p.m.

Meet your Color Group

Locations:
Gold Group: [Alumni Hall](#), Common Room (1st Floor)
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Purple Group: [Davis Hall](#), Common Room (1st Floor)
Green Group: [Stone Hall](#), Coffee House (Basement)

7:15 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Joining the Landmark Community

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Brooks O'Brien Auditorium

Presenters: Michael Luciani, Vice President for Student Affairs, Scott Ansevin-Allen, Dean of Campus Life and Director of Residential Life, and Nicole Pacenka, Assistant Director of Housing Operations and Resident Dean of Aiken Hall

Join the Vice President and members of the Residential Life team for a formal welcome to learn about the core values that guide our Landmark College community and how you can help create a healthy, inclusive, and supportive environment for everyone.

8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Residence Hall Meetings

Location: Individual Residence Halls

Presenters: Scott Ansevin-Allen, Dean of Campus Life and Director of Residential Life, and Nicole Pacenka, Assistant Director of Housing Operations and Resident Dean of Aiken Hall, Sho Conley, Resident Dean of Frost Hall, Angel Cintron, Resident Dean of Alumni Hall and Assistant Director of TaC, Caden Dole, Resident Dean and Director of High School Program, and Resident Assistants

Meet with the Resident Deans (RDs) and Resident Assistants (RAs) in your respective residence hall. Discuss and understand what is like to live in a community, learn about the RUSH principles, and identify housing resources.

9:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Social Night

Location: [Strauch Family Student Center](#), Game Room (Lower Level)

Drop in to connect with orientation leaders and connect over an assortment of games (video games, board games) and activities (pool, air hockey).

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Friday, January 20th, 2023

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Breakfast

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to bring your ID

8:40 a.m.

Meet your Color Group

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9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Academic Advising, Placement, and Support

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), check the posters for your Advisor and their classroom location.

Presenters: Academic Advisors

Students will have an opportunity to meet with their academic advisor and peer advising cohort to preview course schedules, finalize course registration, and get oriented to the advising model. Students who need to complete placement tests will have time to do so during this session.

Note: If you have not completed your Math Placement test before registration, your Advisor will send you to the Drake Center for Academic Support to complete it at this time.

11:15 a.m.

Meet your Color Group

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11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Starting Off Right: How to Succeed in Your First Semester

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Brooks O'Brien Auditorium

Presenters: Cullen Elwell, Orientation Leader, Eden Kayser, Orientation Leader, Kayla Patterson, Orientation Leader, Yonina Lasday, Orientation Leader, James Peyrouse Bremer, Orientation Leader, Sage Morgan LaRosa, Orientation Leader, and moderated by Dr. Katie Roquemore, Assistant Professor of Education and Core Education Department Chair

Student / Peer leaders will share out on their first semester experiences, lessons learned, and talk about resources they found helpful in getting acclimated to the academic program.

12:15 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch / Break

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to bring your ID

1:15 p.m.

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1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Preparing for Your First Week

Please bring your laptop and charger to this session!

Locations: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Check the posters for your Advisor and their classroom location – **you will be meeting in the same location you met your advisor this morning.**

Presenters: Academic Advisors

Students will meet with their advisor and peer advising cohort to begin getting acquainted with their laptop, discover how to best use it for academics, access Landmark College information, and best communicate with community members.

Advisors will help students learn how to navigate the email/calendar programs, Student Central, and Canvas. During this session, advisors will also help you build your first week's schedule and ensure you have a solid balance of time for work and play!

Discover some tips on how to manage your time, set routines, and commit to action to begin your semester with confidence.

3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Health & Counseling Services: Partnering with You for Your Health - Part 1

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Brooks O'Brien Auditorium

Presenters: Jeff Huyett, Director of Health Services, Luis Rosa, Director of Counseling, Health and Wellness, Dawn Prouty, Student Health Nurse, Matthew Cherry, Counselor, Jeffrey Hawkinson, Counselor, Meg Spicer, Counselor, and Tori Tilson, Counselor

Meet and greet with our Health & Counseling Services team! They will offer an overview of important resources on-campus to support your wellness vision and needs while on-campus.

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Substances & Wellness: Partnering with You for Your Health – Part 2

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Brooks O'Brien Auditorium

Presenters: Matthew Cherry, Counselor, and Michael Giannetto, Director of Campus Safety

Join us for a review of strategies and supports designed to keep you healthy on campus.

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Dinner

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to *bring your ID*

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Welcome Bonfire

Location: Between Davis and Stone Halls, On the lawn

Join members of your Residential Life team for an outdoor bonfire and the opportunity to connect in person with the rest of the new student cohort. We'll have snacks and drinks!

8:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Cards & Board Games Night

Location: [Strauch Family Student Center](#), Game Room (Lower Level) & Café Court

Drop in to connect with orientation leaders over an assortment of games (video games, board games) and activities (pool, air hockey).

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

Saturday, January 21st, 2023

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to bring your ID

9:15 a.m.

Meet your Color Group

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9:30 a.m.

Line Up for Convocation

Location: [Click Family Athletic Center](#), Gymnasium

Convocation is the ceremonial start to the semester as we welcome you into the Landmark College community. This is an official ceremony; please dress for the occasion. College personnel will help you line up by color group to walk in for the processional. Please do not bring backpacks or large bags; you will have time to gather them after brunch!

10:00 a.m.

Convocation

Location: [Click Family Athletic Center](#), Gymnasium

Immediately following Convocation, we invite our families to join us for brunch in the Alumni Dining Hall.

Family Farewell Brunch (Immediately following Convocation)

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to bring your ID

1:15 p.m.

Meet your Color Group

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1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Building an Inclusive Community

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Brooks O'Brien Auditorium

Presenters: Marc Thurman '18, Director of the Centers for Diversity and Inclusion, Michael Luciani, Vice President for Student Affairs, and Dr. Craig Marcus, Dean of Students and Director of Student Engagement

Gain an overview of diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts that exist at Landmark College and why we value differences and strive to be a welcoming community for all. Students will receive an overview of the Center for Women and Gender, the Pa'lante Center, the Stonewall Center, the Rise Up Center, and the Spirituality space, as well as the Reach One, Teach One mentoring program. Visit the individual centers in Frost Hall.

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4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Sexual Respect at Landmark

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Brooks O'Brien Auditorium

Presenter: Michael Luciani, Vice President of Student Affairs

When you start College, you will find that you have more opportunities to start relationships and more decisions around the boundaries you want in any relationship you begin.

In this session, you will learn about the commitment and ideal that everyone in the community does their part to ensure that Landmark College is a safe environment that is supportive of all identities, and where sexual and gender-based misconduct (dis-respect) is not tolerated by anyone.

5:15 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Dinner

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to *bring your ID*

7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Arts & Crafts Night

Location: [Strauch Family Student Center](#), Café Court

Looking to de-stress? Want to get creative? Join your orientation leaders to make art with others in a relaxing environment.

8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Welcome Party @ Centers for Diversity & Inclusion

Location: [Frost Hall](#), Centers for Diversity & Inclusion (Lower-Level)

A social event for students to connect with CDI student leaders and make friends with new students who are experiencing college for the first time. Pizza, snacks, and games will be provided.

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

Sunday, January 22nd, 2023

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to bring your ID

9:45 a.m.

Meet your Color Group

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10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Athletics, Fitness, and Recreation Information Session & Tour

Location: [Click Family Athletic Center](#), Gymnasium

Presenter: Josh Ascani, Director of Athletics, Fitness, and Recreation

Interested in participating in intramurals? Climbing the rock wall? Playing on an athletic team? Going on an outdoor adventure? Shooting hoops in the gym? Meet Josh Ascani, Director of Athletics, Fitness, & Recreation, to learn all about our excellent resources, exciting trips, and programs.

11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Introduction to Student Activities and Clubs at Landmark

Location: [Lewis Academic Building](#), Brooks O'Brien Auditorium

Presenter: Emily North, Director of Student Activities

Interested in joining a club or organization? Signing up for off-campus trips? Getting involved in the Campus Activities Board? Join student leaders and Emily North to talk about how to make the most of your Landmark College experience.

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Brunch

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to bring your ID

1:00 p.m.

Afternoon Programs:

Students have several programming options for Sunday afternoon: please check in with Student Affairs staff during brunch to sign-up.

- **Shuttles to Keene, NH**

Location: Shuttles depart from Perseverance Lane behind Alumni Hall @ 11 a.m., 1 p.m. & 3 p.m.

Take a free shuttle to Target, Walmart, Bed, Bath & Beyond, and Price Chopper to purchase any remaining items you may need for your room. The shuttle is limited to 12 participants and is on a first-come basis.

- **Chill Time**

Location: [Strauch Family Student Center](#), Game Room (Lower Level)

Drop in to connect with orientation leaders and connect over an assortment of games (video games, board games) and activities (pool, air hockey).

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- **Putney Walking Tour**

Location: The tour Departs from the back of Alumni Hall @ 2 p.m.

Join orientation leaders for a walking tour of downtown Putney. This is a great opportunity to explore the local food and arts scene.

- **Finding Your Classes**

Location: Meet at Alumni Hall Common Room at 2 p.m.

Presenter: Orientation Leaders

Bring your class schedule for a walking tour of campus with the Orientation Leaders. They will help you navigate the campus by showing where you will find each classroom on your course schedule.

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Dinner

Location: [Alumni Hall](#), Dining Hall – Remember to bring your ID

7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Social Night (optional)

Location: Strauch Family Student Center, Game Room (lower level)

Drop in to connect with orientation leaders and connect over an assortment of games (video games, board games) and activities (pool, air hockey).

8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Arcade Club Welcome Event (optional)

Location: [Administration Building](#), Auditorium

Join the Arcade Club to learn more about off-campus trips, retro gaming sessions, and how to get involved. Retro gameplay on the GameCube and Nintendo 64 will be offered during this session. Free giveaways to all attendees! Come get involved with Landmark's most attended (and retro) club. Controllers and games will be provided.

8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Pool (Billiards) Tournament (optional)

Location: Strauch Family Student Center, Game Room (lower level)

Meet new friends while competing in an 8-ball tournament in the Student Center Game Room. Prizes (Landmark Points) are awarded to the top three finishers!

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Family Weekend February 17-18, 2023

Family Weekend is a special and exciting time for families to connect with students, faculty, and staff, and to experience the excitement and expertise within the Landmark College community.

This weekend of events provides a snapshot of our community's academic and co-curricular excellence through panel presentations, meetings with faculty, staff, and administrators, workshops, and a reception to meet other Landmark families, and a fun-filled weekend of social events for families and students.

Come and spend some time with your student in southern Vermont at the start of sugaring season.

For updated information about Family Weekend, please visit our [Family Weekend web page](#) (information will continue to be updated).

Other Important Dates:

March 4th — Residence Halls close for spring break at 11:45 a.m.

March 12th — Residence Halls reopen at noon

May 14th — Residence Halls close at 11:45 a.m. for the semester

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