



TRANSFER RAMWELCOME

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WHAT IS TRANSFER RAM WELCOME?

Transfer Ram Welcome builds upon your Ram Orientation experience and begins your successful transition to Colorado State University. Participating in Transfer Ram Welcome is an excellent way to get to know other new transfer students, adult learners, student veterans, faculty, and staff at CSU. You will have the opportunity to learn about valuable campus resources and become better connected to your new institution. Transfer students are extremely important members of the CSU campus and Transfer Ram Welcome will help you become part of the community.

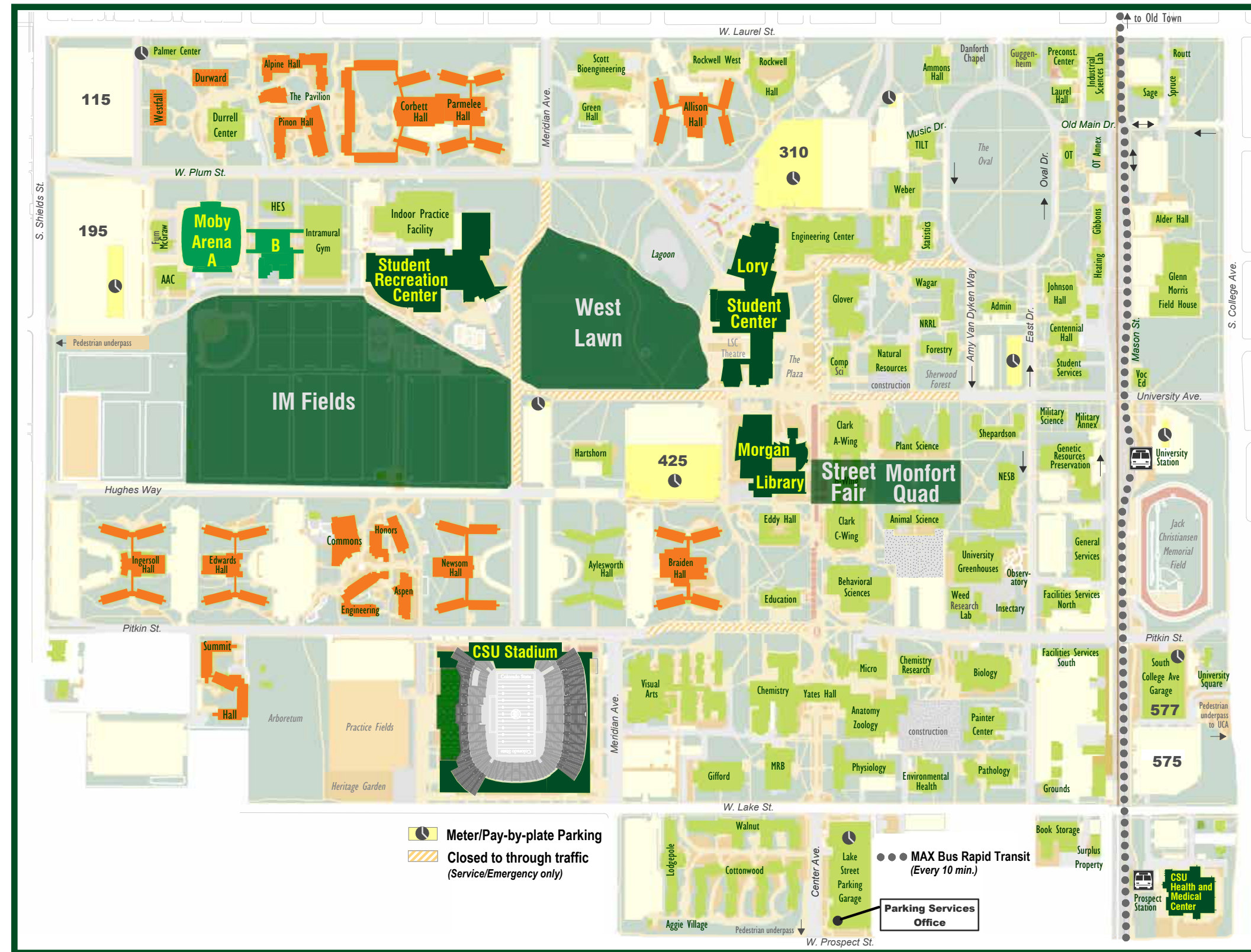
AM I EXPECTED TO ATTEND EVERY TRANSFER RAM WELCOME EVENT?

Transfer Ram Welcome begins on Thursday, August 17, 2017 with Ram Welcome check-in from Noon until 4 p.m., interest sessions tailored specifically for you and your needs, and the Transfer, Adult Learner, and Student Veterans Welcome in the Lory Student Center Theatre at 4:30 p.m. You are encouraged to attend the Ram Welcome programming on Thursday and Friday and invited to attend additional opportunities on Saturday!

IF I HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT RAM WELCOME WHO CAN I ASK?

Transfer Transition Leaders and Adult Learner and Veteran Student Services student staff will act as your guides through all of Transfer Ram Welcome activities and events. They will help ensure that you get to the right place at the right time and will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

TRANSFER RAMWELCOME MAP



TRANSFER RAMWELCOME SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

Transfer Ram Welcome Check-In Noon-4 p.m. • Lory Student Center Theatre Lobby

Check-in to Transfer Ram Welcome and receive your For-Ever-Green T-shirt and Traditions Book.

Transfer Interest Sessions

Attend the following optional interest sessions that will provide you with unique information about transitioning to CSU.

Morgan Library Tour

1 p.m.-2 p.m., Morgan Library Lobby

Join the Library Staff as they provide an overview of services available to you as a CSU student. You will have an opportunity to learn about accessing services when you are off campus, how to reserve group study rooms, what you need to know about printing, receive a tutorial of the amazing online resources, and then have a short tour of the "stacks."

How to Do Academics @ CSU

2 p.m.-2:30 p.m., Lory Student Center Room 304-306

New students at CSU are faced with the honorable challenge of meeting the expectations of this university environment. This presentation on CSU is designed to help students navigate their new academic landscape by discussing a variety of methods of how to best cultivate healthy, productive relationships with CSU faculty, staff, and their fellow students. The hope of this presentation is for students to become equipped with the knowledge and skills needed to take ownership of their education and, ultimately, achieve academic success here at CSU.

Involvement Opportunities in SLiCE

2:30 p.m.-3 p.m., Lory Student Center Room 308-310

Time to get involved and Do Something CSU! Step into the world of Involvement. Want to join a student organization? Interested in giving back to the community through service? Want to build your leadership capabilities? Come learn how to get involved in SLiCE and CSU. During this session you will learn some practical ways to get involved with the many programs that SLiCE has to offer in addition to student organizations. The opportunities that exist for students at CSU are abundant and sometimes it is hard to choose what to do, where to begin, or what to not do. This session will provide ways to find involvement opportunities and practical methods for choosing what are the best options to meet your personal, academic, and career goals so you can make the most of your time here at CSU.

The Outdoor Program

3 p.m.-3:30 p.m., Lory Student Center Room 304-306

Are you into the outdoors? Do you want to explore Colorado? The Outdoor Program (OP) offers over 50 trips, clinics, and events throughout the year aimed at providing you with the skills to experience outdoor recreation opportunities throughout Colorado.

Undergraduate Research and Artistry

3:30 p.m.-4 p.m., Lory Student Center Room 308-310

Have you ever thought about getting involved with research during your undergraduate experience? Now is your chance! Join the Office of Undergraduate Research and Artistry to learn more about opportunities to engage with faculty on research projects relevant to your interests.

Adult Learner and Veteran Services Open House and Resource Mixer

3 p.m.-4 p.m.
ALVS Office, LSC 288 and Grey Rock Room

ALVS is providing an exciting opportunity to connect with various campus and community resources. Engagement is one of the key ingredients to your success here at CSU. Take this opportunity in a relaxed and informal environment to meet our partners that have committed to your success.

Transfer, Adult Learner, and Student Veterans Welcome and Reception

4:30 p.m. • Lory Student Center Theatre and Sutherland Sculpture Garden

Join us to celebrate your new beginning at CSU and be welcomed to campus by CSU administrators – including President Dr. Tony Frank – while hearing about how important you are to the CSU community. Learn more about Transfer Ram Welcome, meet the Transfer Transition Leaders and Adult Learner and Veteran Services staff, and mingle with other new students as you leave your official first mark at CSU by signing the "A." Family members and guests are welcome to attend.

New Student and Family Welcome Dinner with the Alumni Association

6 p.m. • IM Fields

Join the CSU Alumni Association for a zero waste outdoor dinner on the Intramural Fields. New students need to show their RamCard (student ID) to be admitted to the dinner. Parents and family members will need a ticket to attend the event.

Carnival

6:30 p.m.-11 p.m. • IM Fields

Join the CSU campus community for games, snacks, carnival rides, and music on the Intramural Fields located in front of the Student Recreation Center.

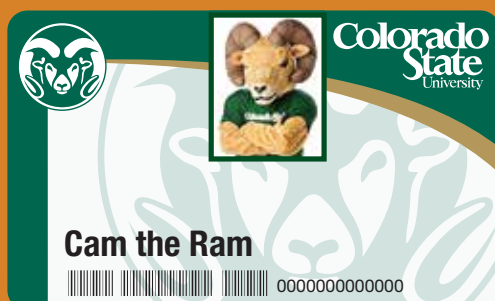
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College Welcome Meet-Up

9 a.m. • Lory Student Center Transit Center

Join other new students to meet up with the Transfer Transition Leaders to head to College Welcome activities.

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RAMCARD

If you have not already picked up your RamCard (student ID) or RamCard Plus (combined RamCard and First National Bank Visa debit card), please stop by the RamCard Office in Room 271 of the Lory Student Center at your earliest convenience. You will need your RamCard to eat at the New Student and Family Welcome Dinner and Street Fair and Lunch (as well as during the rest of the Ram Welcome program). RamCard Office hours are M-F from 7:45 a.m.-4:45 p.m. Remember to bring a valid, government-issued photo ID. If you have questions, visit www.RamCard.colostate.edu.

WHAT TO DO IN YOUR FREE TIME

WHAT	WHERE	THURSDAY/FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Bike Registration	Green Hall	8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.	10 a.m.-4 p.m.	10 a.m.-4 p.m.
Parking Permit Sales		Purchase a virtual permit online at parking.colostate.edu .		
RamCard Office	Lory Student Center, Room 271	7:45 a.m.-4:45 p.m.		Closed
Housing and Dining Services Offices Open	Palmer Center	7:45 a.m.-4:45 p.m.		Closed
Textbook Reservation Pick-Up	Lory Student Center, Room 382	7:45 a.m.-6 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	10 a.m.-5 p.m.
Bookstore Hours	Lory Student Center	7:45 a.m.-6 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	10 a.m.-5 p.m.
Office of Financial Aid	Centennial Hall	9 a.m.-5 p.m.		Closed

ASSIGNED DINING CENTER DURING RAM WELCOME (ON-CAMPUS STUDENTS)

For all on-campus meals other than the New Student and Family Welcome Dinner and the Street Fair and Lunch, please eat at the following assigned dining centers:

- Durrell Dining Center: Durward, Westfall, and Laurel Village-Alpine residents
- Corbett Dining Center: Corbett, Parmelee, Laurel Village-Pinon, and Allison residents
- Braiden Dining Center: Braiden and Newsom residents
- Ram's Horn at the Academic Village Dining Center: Academic Village (Aspen, Honors, and Engineering), Edwards, Ingersoll, and Summit residents

GET SOCIAL

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Download the **Experience CSU** app and select the "Transfer Student Guide" to ensure you receive updated schedule information! Don't have a smartphone? No problem, all Ram Welcome updates will be available on the Ram Welcome website (ramwelcome.colostate.edu) and a paper version of the event schedule will be available at move-in and check-in!

RAMMOBILE?

There's an app for that! Access your class schedule, grades, the course catalog, building locations, the campus directory, library resources, announcements, events, and more from your mobile phone and tablet. **RAMmobile 2.0** is free on iTunes and Google Play.



FIGHT SONG
FIGHT ON YOUR OWN, YOU ARE NOT A TEAM, ON NO ONE GOES,
THAT THE GODS BLESS YOU, I HAVE A SWORD, AS I DRAW THE FIGHT WE THUNDER,
KNIGHTS OF THE GREEN AND GOLD, FIGHT WITH ALL YOUR MIGHT,
FIGHT ON YOU STALWART RAM TEAM, FIGHT, FIGHT, FIGHT!

TRANSFER RAMWELCOME SCHEDULE (CONT.)

College Welcome

9:30 a.m. • See locations below

Attend a welcome from the dean of your college, meet faculty, staff and academic advisors, meet other students who share your major, and learn what you need to succeed academically at CSU.

Meet-up Locations

- College of Agricultural Sciences: North side of Shepardson Hall
- College of Health and Human Sciences: Moby Arena Court. Use ground level, southeast entrance to Moby Arena, west of Human Performance Lab
- Undeclared Student Advising: Northwest corner of Behavioral Sciences Building
- College of Business: Rockwell Hall Courtyard
- College of Engineering: West side of Engineering Building (Engineering/Main Doors between LSC and Engineering)
- College of Liberal Arts: Walkway just east of Morgan Library
- College of Natural Sciences: Lory Student Center Grand Ballroom
- Warner College of Natural Resources: Natural Resources, South Entry (front door)
- College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences: Pedestrian plaza beneath Yates bridge

Ram Welcome Street Fair and Lunch

11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. • Monfort Quad/Under B-Wing Clark

Grab a bite to eat while you explore CSU resources from academic departments, student organizations, and student services. (Bring your RamCard to swipe for the lunch!)

Class Quest

2 p.m.-3 p.m. • Meet the Transfer Transition Leaders on the North Side of Morgan Library (by the Study Cube)

Bring your class schedule and go on a guided quest with the TTLs to find the locations of your classes. You will be one step ahead for the first day of classes!

Additional Opportunities for Transfer Students

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

Faith and Belief Fair

1:30 p.m.-3 p.m. • Lory Student Center Plaza

Connect with various faith and belief organizations in the Fort Collins and CSU communities. There will be multiple students, clergy, and staff located at organization tables -- open to meeting you. Whether you would like to inquire about involvement, connect with your faith tradition, or discover more about the faith and belief-based organizations in Fort Collins and at CSU, this event is meant to help you feel welcomed and connected.

Student Diversity Programs and Services

Meet and Greet

2 p.m.-3:30 p.m. • Lory Student Center

- Asian/Pacific American Cultural Center, Room 333
- Black/African American Cultural Center, Room 335
- El Centro, Room 225
- Native American Cultural Center, Room 327
- Pride Resource Center, Room 232
- Women and Gender Advocacy Center, Room 234
- Resources for Disabled Students, Room 223

CSU Women's Soccer vs. Colorado

5 p.m. • CSU Soccer Field (Field Next to Moby Arena Off of Shields Street)

Students come cheer on your Rams as they kick off their home opener vs. their rival Colorado in the Colorado Cup match. Come experience CSU soccer on the new soccer field with all of your new friends! Come Get Your Green On!

Ramapalooza

7 p.m.-11 p.m. • Lory Student Center

The Lory Student Center (LSC) is excited to celebrate a new year and welcome our new Rams at Ramapalooza! Have fun and create community by joining us for live performances, casino games, laser tag, crafts, and more! Don't miss out on free food, prizes, and a great time at our fall welcome event!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19

RAMbunctious Pep Rally

7:30 p.m. • On-Campus Stadium

Show your pride and spirit as a CSU Ram while being introduced to Colorado State Athletics! Learn about traditions, listen to the CSU marching band, and experience what it means to be a Ram on gameday! Bring your energy to break in the new student section at the On-Campus Stadium.

Residence Hall Programming

(On-Campus Students)

Various Times • Residence Halls

Leave your room, but don't go too far! Join your Resident Assistants, Inclusive Community Assistants, and other new students in your building and get to know one another. Ask your Ram Welcome Leader, Resident Assistant and Inclusive Community Assistant for more information about your hall's activities.

Night @ the Rec

8 p.m.-11 p.m. • Student Recreation Center and IM Fields

Join Campus Recreation for a free, after-hours event where you can swim, climb, try out a fitness class, center yourself with some yoga, play drop-in and Intramural Sports (table tennis, soccer, sand volleyball, ultimate Frisbee, dodgeball, and a 3-point contest), check out the martial arts demonstration, stop by the photo booth, replenish with some pizza, and more. Enter to win one of the amazing prizes given away all evening!

Outdoor Movie: Power Rangers

9 p.m. • Lory Student Center West Lawn

Join the Residence Hall Association (RHA) and National Residence Hall Honorary (NRHH) and other new students to watch *Power Rangers* on the West Lawn of the Lory Student Center.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20

Transfer Mountain Experience Reunion

10 a.m.-11 a.m. • West Lawn Lagoon Area (Grass area, southeast corner of Plum and Meridian, just southeast of Parmelee Hall)

Did you attend Transfer Mountain Experience this summer? If so, Orientation and Transition Programs invites you to come reconnect with friends, Transfer Transition Leaders, and share your TME memories. After the reunion, students will head to the Transit Center to hike to the "A" as a group (make sure you wear sturdy shoes and bring a water bottle for this three-mile roundtrip hike). Please note: This program is only open to Transfer Mountain Experience participants.

Hike to the "A"

10 a.m.-11:30 a.m. • Bus pickup from Lory Student Center Transit Center

See Fort Collins and CSU from a new perspective on top of the mighty 'A' above Hughes Stadium. Join the Outdoor Program and the Ram Welcome Leaders for an opportunity to visit the 'A', a symbol of CSU history and pride since 1923. The first bus leaves campus at 10 a.m.; last bus leaves at 11:30 a.m. It's three miles round trip, 500 ft. of elevation gain -- sturdy shoes and a water bottle are required.

We Ride! A Celebration of Bicycles at CSU

Noon-2 p.m. • Green Hall

Come celebrate bicycle commuting at CSU. Bicycle shops and organizations at this event will be hosting educational and giveaway stations. Stop by to get a light, helmet, and bell so you are ready to ride safely. If you don't have a bicycle yet, come get advice from shops on which type of bicycle will work best for you. We want to welcome you to a Platinum bicycle-friendly university and our community! Be ready to ride the first day of classes!

Residence Hall Floor Meetings

Various Times • Check with your RA for time and location • Residence Halls (On-Campus Students)

Meet with your RA and floor one last time before classes begin to continue learning about creating safe, student learning communities in the halls; your attendance is expected at this meeting.



INFORMATION FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

PARKING

Parking for the Ram Welcome activities is in lots #195, #240, #570 Parking Garage ("Z" lots - no permits required; "Pay to Park" lots - free AFTER 4 p.m.). For questions about parking, contact Parking Services at (970) 491-7041 or www.parking.colostate.edu.



CONTACT

For more information regarding transfer programs, contact Orientation and Transition Programs at:
(970) 491-6011 or orientation@colostate.edu

For more information about programs for adult learners or student veterans, contact Adult Learner and Veteran Services at:
(970) 491-3977 or visit www.alvs.colostate.edu

For more information about Transfer Ram Welcome, visit:
www.ramwelcome.colostate.edu or download the Experience CSU app!



FIRST 50 DAYS

First 50 Days includes programs that new students should attend their first eight weeks on campus. By attending and participating in these programs, new students will have the ability to learn about involvement opportunities on campus, become a part of the CSU campus, engage in community-wide events and enhance their connection to being a CSU Ram! As a new student within the first eight weeks of the semester, you should plan on participating in the events listed below:

RamFest Featuring Jhené Aiko

Thurs., August 24, 2017, 5:30 p.m.-10:00 p.m., Moby Arena

CSU Volleyball vs. Duke and Rams After Dark

Fri., August 25, 2017, 6 p.m., Moby Arena and Various Locations

CSU Football vs. Oregon State

Sat., August 26, 2017, 1 p.m., New On-Campus Stadium

Grill the Buffs

Wed., August 30, 2017 starting at 11 a.m., Sculpture Garden

Rocky Mountain Showdown

Colorado State vs. Colorado Football Game, Fri., September 1, 2017, Sports Authority Field, Denver

Fall Involvement Expo

Wed.-Thurs., September 6, 2017-September 7, 2017, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Lory Student Center Plaza

President's Fall Address and University Picnic

Wed., September 20, 2017, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., The Oval

Cans Around the Oval

Cans Around the Oval Kickoff: September 14, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., ASCSU Senate Chambers

CANstruction: October 11, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., LSC Plaza

Cans Around the Oval Collection Day: October 18, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., CSU Oval

Homecoming and Family Weekend

Thurs.-Sat., October 12-14, 2017

Additional Opportunities for Transfer Students

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Additional Events happening within the first 8 weeks of the semester:

CAM-Unity Block Party

Mon., August 21, 2017, 4 p.m.-6 p.m., CSU Lagoon - corner of Plum and Meridian

Hall Council Interests Sessions

Tues., August 22, 2017, 6 p.m., Your Residence Hall

Fraternity and Sorority Welcome Back Block Party

Wed., August 23, 2017, 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Lory Student Center West Lawn

Cinema Under the Stars

Fri., August 25 and September 8, 15, and 22, 2017, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., Lory Student Center, West Lawn

Student Pre Football Game Area

Sat., August 26, September 9, October 14, October 28, November 11, and November 18, 2017, 4 hours before game time, LSC West Lawn

Education Abroad Fair

Fri., September 15, 2017, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Lory Student Center Ballrooms

Diversity Symposium

Tues.-Thurs., September 26-28, Lory Student Center

For more information, visit: WWW.OTP.COLOSTATE.EDU/FIRST50



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SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

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