

2022 FALL | FIRST-YEAR RAM WELCOME SCHEDULE

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ON-CAMPUS STUDENTS

MOVE-IN DAYS

Monday, Aug. 15 – Wednesday, Aug. 17

First-year students who live on campus will begin their Ram Welcome experience the day after they move into the halls. For example, students who move in on Monday, Aug. 15 will have Ram Welcome small group sessions beginning on Tuesday Aug. 16; students who move in on Tuesday, Aug. 16 will have small group sessions beginning Wednesday, Aug. 17; and students who move in on Wednesday, Aug. 17 will have small group sessions beginning Thursday, Aug. 18. Ram Welcome programming for all first-year students together will begin in the afternoon on Thursday, Aug. 18 and will continue throughout the weekend.

ON YOUR MOVE-IN DAY

Ram Welcome Check-In/Residence Hall Move-In Various Times • Your Residence Hall

Check-in to Ram Welcome and receive your 2022 For-Ever-Green T-shirt.

Lunch on Your Own

The following dining centers are open 11 a.m.-2 p.m.: Braiden, Ram's Horn at the Academic Village, and The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls. Online ordering is available through the Grubhub app at Durrell.

Residence Hall Meetings followed by Dinner with Resident Assistant(s)

4:30 p.m. • Meet Resident Assistants Outside Front of Your Residence Hall

THE DAY AFTER YOU MOVE IN

Breakfast on Your Own

The following dining centers are open 7-10 a.m.: Braiden, Ram's Horn at the Academic Village, and The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls. Online ordering is available through the Grubhub app at Durrell from 7-11 a.m.

Small Group Meeting #1 with Your Ram Welcome Leader

1-3 p.m. • Meet Your Ram Welcome Leader Outside Your Residence Hall

You will be assigned a Small group #1 to attend. Join your Ram Welcome Leader and learn more about CSU and what to expect from the Ram Welcome experience. Check your Canvas page for your group number. *Student Athletes will attend their Small Group Meeting #1 on Wednesday, Aug. 17 at 1 p.m.*

PLEASE NOTE: Lunch is on your own the day after move-in in the dining centers. Dinner is on your own the day after move-in in the dining centers for Monday and Tuesday move-in students. Check dining center hours.

EVENING PROGRAMMING ON MOVE-IN DAYS

MONDAY, AUG. 15

Plant Your Roots with Residential Leadership 7:30 p.m. • Ram's Horn and Laurel Village

Join the Residential Leadership Programs (RLP) for a succulent planting and pot painting! Bring some life into your new room and meet new people.

TUESDAY, AUG. 16

Build-A-Ram with Residential Leadership 7:30 p.m. • Durrell Center

Join the Residential Leadership Programs (RLP) in creating your own stuffed ram. You will be able to stuff the ram, give it an RLP shirt and have an identity-based bandana to go with it. Come meet new friends and build your story.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17

Ram Bash

7-10 p.m. • Lory Student Center West Lawn

The Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life is excited to welcome all new and returning Rams to CSU and invite you to join us at Ram Bash! Have fun and enjoy some ice cream while listening to a live DJ! Don't miss out on free food and a great time on Wednesday evening!

ADDITIONAL PROGRAMMING:

MONDAY, AUG. 15 AND TUESDAY, AUG. 16

Move-In Photo Booths

11 a.m.-1 p.m. • Durrell, The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls, Braiden, and Ram's Horn Dining Center

Bring your friends and family to the dining centers to commemorate your first days at CSU!

TUESDAY, AUG. 16, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17, THURSDAY, AUG. 18

Campus Tours for Virtual Ram Orientation Participants

10:30a.m. • Meet at Lory Student Center Plaza

For first-year students who have not had a chance to tour CSU's campus, Orientation Leaders will be available to provide those to anyone who would like to join in. Tours will depart from the Lory Student Center Plaza. Tours will lead students through the main areas of campus, and include historical facts, information about where offices are located, and more.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17 AND THURSDAY, AUG. 18

Campus Bike Tours

9-10 a.m. • The Spoke at Laurel Village

To register for Wednesday, please use this link: https://colostate.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_oSwnZcV6i9x6WOy

To register for Thursday, please use this link: https://colostate.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3BE6fBwrhxHdAns

Are you looking to familiarize yourself with the CSU campus while also learning more about the transportation system, bike etiquette, and selecting the best route? This event will be capped at 50 participants. Free helmets will be available. Bring your own bike, or use a Spin e-bike or e-scooter for the tour. We will have enough Spin vehicles to accommodate students who need them and do our best to provide your preferred vehicle (e-scooter vs e-bike) at no cost. For those who plan to borrow a Spin e-scooter or e-bike, please download the Spin app (App Store /Google Play) and setup your account before arriving

THURSDAY, AUG. 18

Outdoor Fitness Classes with Campus Rec

9 a.m. (Power Vinyasa Yoga) and 10 a.m. (HIIT) • Lory Student Center West Lawn

Come join Campus Rec Group Class instructors for 45-minute outdoor classes! Power Vinyasa is a powerful, energetic form of yoga with revitalizing postures to challenge both aerobic and anaerobic body systems, build physical and mental strength, as well as connect breath and mindfulness. It combines flexibility, balance, and strength... the perfect blend of sweat and serenity. This class incorporates variations to modify, intensify, and make accessible to each individual body and needs. Please bring a mat or towel if able. HIIT is a full body, high energy workout. This class will consist of interval training that includes cardio and strength components. All levels welcome, options and variations will be provided through the duration of class. Get your body moving and your heart rate up! Be sure to bring water to stay hydrated for both classes.

RAM WELCOME CONTINUES

THURSDAY, AUG. 18

Small Group Meeting #2 with Your Ram Welcome Leader

4:30 p.m. • Meet your Ram Welcome Leader Outside Your Residence Hall

Dinner with Your Ram Welcome Leader

The following dining centers are open 5-8 p.m.: Braiden, Durrell, Ram's Horn at the Academic Village, and The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls. Check with your Ram Welcome Leader for your assigned dining center.

OFF-CAMPUS STUDENTS

First-year students who live off-campus will have two options to begin their Ram Welcome experience, a virtual welcome event and an in-person event. Ram Welcome programming for all first-year students together will begin in the afternoon on Thursday, Aug. 18 and will continue throughout the weekend.

TUESDAY, AUG. 16

Off-Campus Welcome and Small Group Meetings

OPTION 1: 6-7:30 p.m. • Virtual Session Only

Meet other first-year students living off campus, learn about resources, and find ways to get connected. **PLEASE NOTE:** This is a virtual session only. See Zoom link in Canvas.

THURSDAY, AUG. 18

Off-Campus Student Ram Welcome Check-In

12:30 p.m. • Engineering 100

Check-in to Ram Welcome and receive your 2022 For-Ever-Green T-shirt.

Off-Campus Welcome and Small Group Meetings

OPTION 2: 1-4 p.m. • Engineering 100

Meet other first-year students living off campus, learn about resources, and find ways to get connected. **PLEASE NOTE:** This is an in-person session only for off-campus, first-year students.

Class Quest (Off-Campus Students)

4-5 p.m. • Meet Ram Welcome Leaders outside the Engineering Building

Bring your class schedule and go on a guided quest with your Ram Welcome Leaders to find the locations of your classes. You'll be one step ahead for the first day of classes.

Dinner (Off-Campus Students)

5 p.m. • Meet Ram Welcome Leaders outside the Engineering Building

Meet your Ram Welcome Leaders and join other off-campus students for dinner in the The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls prior to Thursday night's activities.

ON-CAMPUS AND OFF-CAMPUS STUDENTS

THURSDAY, AUG. 18

Night @ the Rec

5-9 p.m. • Student Recreation Center

Try out all the different programs and activities Campus Recreation has to offer! Programs like Intramurals, Drop-In Sports, Sport Clubs, Fitness, and the Outdoor Program will all be hosting demos and fun activities throughout the night. You can even bring a swimsuit and join us for a pool party. Swing by to try and snag a limited-edition Night @ the Rec t-shirt and enter a raffle for lots of other epic giveaways. Ask your Ram Welcome Leader for the time your residence hall is assigned to attend (on-campus students).

Ram Welcome Carnival

6:30 p.m.-11 p.m. • Intramural (IM) Fields

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

FRIDAY, AUG. 19

Off-Campus Student Meet-Up, To-Go Breakfast, and Small Group Meeting #3 (Off-Campus Students)

7:45 a.m. • Meet at Off-Campus Life, Lory Student Center Room 274

Off-Campus first-year students should meet their Ram Welcome Leader at 7:45 a.m. at Off-Campus Life to meet-up to head to to-go breakfast and small group meeting #3 and then head over to the Convocation program.

To-Go Breakfast and Small Group Meeting #3 with Your Ram Welcome Leader (On-Campus Students)

7:45 a.m. • Meet Your Ram Welcome Leader Outside Your Residence Hall

Grab breakfast to go from your assigned dining center and meet with your Ram Welcome Leader to prepare for heading over to the Convocation program. Follow instructions from your Ram Welcome Leader.

Convocation

10 a.m. • Moby Arena

Convocation is the ceremony that begins a student's academic journey at Colorado State University. It kicks off the Ram Welcome College Day with formal remarks from CSU

administrative, academic and student leadership and cheering with the CSU Marching Band and Cheer team.

PLEASE NOTE: Moby Arena regulations allow clear bags and containers 12" x 6" x 12" or smaller to be permitted in the gates as well as small clutch bags no larger than 4.5" x 6.5". Metal, glass, and hard plastic water bottles are not permitted in the building. All permitted bags are subject to search both upon entry and within the arena.

Lunch and Ram Welcome Street Fair

11:15 a.m.-12:45 p.m. • Under Clark B and Monfort Quad

Grab a bite to eat while you explore CSU resources from academic and student services departments.

College Welcome Round Up

12:45 p.m. • Near Clark B

Join Ram Welcome Leaders and ROTC members to gather by your College sign to be taken to your College Welcome Meet-up location. **PLEASE NOTE:** College Welcome Activities begin promptly at 1:15p.m.

College Welcome Activities

1:15 p.m. • Various Locations

Meet faculty, staff, and academic advisors, meet other students who share your major, and learn what you need to succeed academically at CSU.

INTEREST PROGRAMS

Student Diversity Programs and Services (SDPS) Meet and Greet **SF**

3-4:30 p.m. • Begins in Black/African American Cultural Center, Lory Student Center Room 335

Visit the 7 cultural and resource centers that make up SDPS and build your own ice cream sundae! Our Open House begins in the Black/African American Cultural Center (Lory Student Center 335) and ends on the lawn outside the Women & Gender Advocacy Center. All are welcome!

What offices are in SDPS? Asian Pacific American Cultural Center (APACC, Lory Student Center Room 333), Black/ African American Cultural Center (B/AACC, Lory Student Center Room 335), El Centro (Lory Student Center Room 225), Native American Cultural Center (NACC, Lory Student Center Room 327), Pride Resource Center (Lory Student Center Room 232), Student Disability Center (SDC, TILT121), and the Women & Gender Advocacy Center (WGAC, Lory Student Center Room 234).

Dinner on Your Own (On-Campus Students)

The following dining centers are open 5-8 p.m.: Ram's Horn at the Academic Village and The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls. Online ordering is available through the Grubhub app at Durrell from 2-9 p.m.

Dinner (Off-Campus Students)

5:30 p.m. • Meet Ram Welcome Leaders at Off-Campus Life, Lory Student Center Room 274

Meet your Ram Welcome Leaders and join other off-campus students for dinner in The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls prior to Friday night's activities.

Ramapalooza

6-10 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 musical performances, arcade games, crafts, and more! Don't miss out on free snacks, prizes, and a great time at our fall welcome event!

SATURDAY, AUG. 20

Breakfast on Your Own (On-Campus Students)

The following dining centers open at 7 a.m.: Ram's Horn at the Academic Village, and The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls.

Off-Campus Student Meet-Up (Off-Campus Students)

9:15a.m. • Meet at Off-Campus Life, Lory Student Center Room 274

Off-Campus first-year students should meet their Ram Welcome Leader between 9:15 a.m.-9:25 a.m. at Off-Campus Life to meet-up to head to the We Are CSU program that begins promptly at 10 a.m.

Sensory Friendly Events During Ram Welcome

Events denoted with an **SF** include components or activities that are more sensory friendly and lighter on sensory stimulation (smaller crowds, decreased noise, etc.). Ask your Ram Welcome Leader for more information.

We Are CSU

(Followed by Lunch in Dining Centers)

10 a.m. • Moby Arena

Experience CSU as you explore what it means to be a part of this campus community. Hear from actor, director, author, podcaster, and entrepreneur Justin Baldoni. Justin is a change-maker on a mission to create impactful media and entertainment. Baldoni spreads a powerful and vulnerable message of positive masculinity via brutal honesty and self-reflection that first went viral in his 2017 TED Talk, *Why I'm Done Trying to be 'Man Enough'*, which became the basis for his book *Man Enough: Undefining My Masculinity* and his hit podcast *The Man Enough Podcast*. He is the co-founder of Wayfarer Studios, a pioneering purpose-driven film and television studio that aims to elevate the human spirit and inspire change. Baldoni is also co-founder and co-chairman of BeLove.org, a non-profit organization dedicated to transforming the way communities see and respond to the needs of people experiencing homelessness. This interactive experience will allow you to connect with other students and understand more about being a CSU Ram! (Sponsored by the Women and Gender Advocacy Center in partnership with Orientation and Transition Programs, the Interfraternity Council, the Residence Hall Association, University Housing, Student Leadership Involvement and Community Engagement, the Office of the Provost, and the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs).

Afternoon Bowling and Lunch (Off-Campus Students)

1 p.m. • Meet Ram Welcome Leaders at Off-Campus Life, Lory Student Center Room 274

Meet your Ram Welcome Leaders to jump on the MAX with them to head to Chipper's Lanes (on Horsetooth) for some afternoon bowling with other students. Pizza and soda provided for lunch!

INTEREST PROGRAMS

Ram Connect Reunion

1-2:30 p.m. • West Lawn Lagoon Area (grass area on the southeast corner of Plum and Meridian, just southeast of Parmelee Hall)

Did you attend Ram Connect this summer? If so, come reconnect with friends and Ram Connect Leaders, play games, and share your memories.

Explore Old Town Fort Collins

Between 1-4 p.m. • Old Town

Downtown Fort Collins, also known as Old Town, is a cultural hub for the Fort Collins community and is just a short distance from campus! Old Town has several shops, restaurants, and activities that CSU students can take advantage of throughout their CSU experiences. Ride a bike, walk or take the MAX (free with your CSU ID, and use the University station or Laurel station and get off at the Mountain station downtown) down to Old Town and show your CSU ID to any of these participating businesses between 1-4 p.m. to claim a free Welcome gift while supplies last!

- Ben and Jerry's Ice Cream: 1 Free Cup of Ice Cream
- Fort Collins Museum of Discovery: Free Admission
- Mary's Mountain Cookies: 1 Free Cookie (chocolate chip, snickerdoodle, or M&M)
- Old Town Putt: 1 free round of golf
- Alpine Arts – The Colorado Showcase: 1 Free Sticker

We Ride! A Celebration of Bicycles at CSU SF

1-3 p.m. • Green Hall

Welcome to CSU, a Platinum Bicycle Friendly University! Stop by our stations to register your bike and get a free light, helmet, and bell so you are ready to ride safely. Meet The Spoke, CSU Police, Parking and Transportation Services, and our community partners. If you don't have a bicycle yet, come get advice on which type of bicycle will work best for you. Learn about bike, transit, e-scooter, and car share options.

The Honors Student Association Presents: Red Light Challenge

2 p.m. • West Side of Newsom Hall

Red Light Challenge is a high-energy, harmony-filled dance-rock band made up of CSU (and Honors Program) Alumni. The band has performed more than 500 concerts around the U.S. for events, music festivals, and music venues including NFL Thursday Night Football in Denver, Treefort Music Fest in Boise, and the House of Blues in Anaheim. Red Light Challenge has built up a catalog of songs with catchy melodies, tight harmonies, and personal lyrics that also have the power to make people dance, and they can't wait to share some good vibes with their music!

Dinner on Your Own (On-Campus Students)

The following dining centers are open 5-8 p.m.: Ram's Horn at the Academic Village, and The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls. Online ordering is available through the Grubhub app at Durrell from 11:30 a.m.-9 p.m.

Dinner (Off-Campus Students)

5:30 p.m. • Meet Ram Welcome Leaders at Off-Campus Life, Lory Student Center Room 274

Meet your Ram Welcome Leaders and join other off-campus students for dinner in The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls prior to Saturday night's activities.

It's Time to Get Ram Ready

6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. • Residence Halls

Get pumped up with the Ram Welcome Leaders, Resident Assistants, and Student Leaders for your very first RAMbunctious Pep Rally! Sport all your CSU Rams gear from head to toe and prepare to head to the Pep Rally!

Rambunctious Pep Rally and CSU Photo

7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. • Canvas Stadium

Show your pride and spirit as a CSU Ram while being introduced to Colorado State Athletics! Learn about traditions, compete with your classmates, win prizes, participate in the annual taking of the C-S-U class photo, and experience what gameday feels like as a student!

PLEASE NOTE: Canvas Stadium regulations allow clear bags and containers 12" x 6" x 12" or smaller to be permitted in the gates as well as small clutch bags no larger than 4.5" x 6.5". All permitted bags are subject to search both upon entry and within the stadium.

INTEREST PROGRAMS

Outdoor Movie: *Fantastic Beasts: The Secrets of Dumbledore*

8:30-10:30 p.m. • Canvas Stadium

Join the Residential Leadership Programs and other new students to watch *Fantastic Beasts: The Secrets of Dumbledore*.

CSU Traditions with the CSU

Alumni Association SF

8:30-10 p.m. • Iris and Michael Smith Alumni Center

Did you know that the Alumni Association is here to serve you, even as you begin your green and gold journey? You are joining a community that is 232,000 Rams strong. Join the CSU Alumni Association at the Iris and Michael Smith Alumni Center on the northeast side of the stadium for an evening of celebrating our shared CSU pride and traditions by painting mini "A"s.

Rec Center Open Late

Until 11:30 p.m. • Student Recreation Center

After the Pep Rally head to the Student Recreation Center, which will be open late for you to recreate! Come try one of the many ways you can play and move this year.

SUNDAY, AUG. 21

INTEREST PROGRAM

Hike to the "A"

9-10:30 a.m. • Bus pickup from Lory Student Center Transit Center

Join the Outdoor Program, Fort Collins Natural Areas, and CSU Alumni for an opportunity to hike to the top of the "A," a symbol of CSU history and pride since 1923. The first bus leaves campus at 9 a.m. and the last bus leaves at 10:30 a.m. and will return students to campus after completing your hike. Water bottle and closed-toed shoes are required for this 4 mile and 500ft of elevation gain hike.

Class Quest (On-Campus Students)

2-3 p.m. • Meet Your Ram Welcome Leaders Outside Your Residence Hall

Bring your class schedule and go on a guided quest with your Ram Welcome Leader to find the locations of your classes. You'll be one step ahead for the first day of classes.

Meals on Your Own (On-Campus Students) (See dining center hours below)

The following dining centers are open:

- Durrell (Order using the Grubhub app) – 11:30 a.m.-9 p.m.
- Durrell Marketplace and Café – 7 a.m.-11 p.m.
- The Foundry at Corbett and Parmelee Halls
 - 7-10 a.m.
 - 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
 - 5-8 p.m.
- Ram's Horn at the Academic Village
 - 7-10 a.m.
 - 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
 - 5-8 p.m.
- Ram's Horn Marketplace and Café – 7 a.m.-11 p.m.
- Braiden – 5-8 p.m.
- Braiden RAMwich – 5-8 p.m.

Residence Hall Floor Meeting with Resident Assistants (On Campus Students)

Various Times • Your Residence Hall Floor

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

OTHER INFORMATION

RESIDENTIAL LEARNING COMMUNITIES AND OTHER DEPARTMENT PROGRAMMING

The following **Residential Learning Communities and Departments** will be hosting welcome programming for their students during Ram Welcome on the following days. For more information, contact the Residential Learning Community or Department directly:

- **Academic Advancement Center** – Thursday, August 18 (afternoon)
- **Ace Learning Community** – Wednesday, August 17 (late afternoon/early evening) and Thursday, August 18 (morning)
- **Amplify Learning Community** – Thursday, August 18 (morning)
- **Community for Excellence Scholar Programs** – Tuesday, August 16 and Wednesday, August 17 (campus tours in afternoon)
- **Engineering Learning Community** – Thursday, August 18 (morning)
- **Fostering Success Program** – Thursday, August 18 (morning/early afternoon)
- **Honors Program** – Wednesday, August 17 (late afternoon/early evening)
- **Key Communities** – Thursday, August 18 (required morning programming and optional afternoon programming)
- **Transform Learning Community** – Thursday, August 18 (required morning programming)
- **Warner College of Natural Resources Sustainability Leadership/Outdoor Leadership/Equity Residential Learning Communities** – Wednesday, August 17 (early evening) and Thursday, August 18 (morning)



SUPPORTING YOUR SUCCESS IN MATH AND SCIENCE

If you haven't completed the math placement tool yet, you are scheduled to attend a session to prepare for math placement and complete the math placement tool soon after – Check Canvas for details.

If you are enrolled in MATH 117, 118, 124, 125, 126, 127, 160, CHEM 111, or LIFE 102 this fall, there will be mandatory virtual sessions during Ram Welcome to prepare for the semester – Check Canvas for links and sessions.

RAMCARD

Special Extended Hours for Fall 2022 – Monday, Aug. 15 and Tuesday, Aug. 16, from 8 a.m.-8 p.m.

If you have not already picked up your RamCard (student ID), stop by the RamCard Office in Room 271 of the Lory Student Center at your earliest convenience. You will need your RamCard to eat in Residence Hall Dining Centers and during the Ram Welcome program. Regular RamCard Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Remember to bring a physical copy of a valid, U.S. government-issued photo ID or passport from any country to request your RamCard. Visit www.ramcard.colostate.edu to learn more about your RamCard.

THINGS TO DO ON YOUR OWN TIME

WHAT	WHERE	MONDAY-TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Bike Registration	-----	- Information and virtual registration at https://police.colostate.edu/register-your-bike/			-----
Parking Permit Sales	-----	- Purchase a virtual permit online at parking.colostate.edu			-----
RamCard Office	Lory Student Center, Room 271	8 a.m.-8 p.m.	8 a.m.-5 p.m.	-----	- Closed -----
Textbook Preorder Pick-Up	Lory Student Center, Level 100 Service Windows	7:45 a.m.-6 p.m.	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.	7:45 a.m.-6 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	10 a.m.-5 p.m.



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 attending First 50 events. For a listing of events, visit: www.otp.colostate.edu/first50.



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