THURSDAY, AUGUST 18

Transfer Ram Welcome Check-In
12:30-4:30 p.m. • Lory Student Center Third Floor
Check-in to Transfer Ram Welcome and receive your For-Ever-Green T-shirt.

TRANSFER INTEREST SESSIONS

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

Academic Services on Campus with The Institute for Learning and Teaching (TILT)
1-1:25 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 322
For many new transfer students, the first semester at CSU involves numerous academic and life transitions. The Institute for Learning and Teaching (TILT) staff is dedicated to providing students with learning strategies and academic support programs so they can thrive in and out of the classroom. Join one of our TILT professional staff members as we review highlights of the best learning strategies and resources available to start your academic career and fall semester in the right direction.

Joining the Ram Family – Why You Belong Here (Adult Learner and Student Veterans)
1-2 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 308-310
Join Adult Learner and Veteran Services for an open conversation on what it means to be a part of the Ram Family. In this session, we’ll tackle topics like imposter syndrome, how to make your mark here, and what you need to be a successful CSU Ram.

CSU Campus Tour
1:30 p.m. • Lory Student Center Plaza
For transfer students who have not had a chance to tour CSU’s campus, Transfer Transition 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.

The Career Center – Bringing Your Career Dreams from Ordinary to Extraordinary
1:30-1:55 p.m. • Career Center Classroom
Come to learn about effective strategies to become career ready for any industry and any job you may be dreaming about for your future! It’s a process, but the journey can be a fruitful one when theory meets experience, and experience meets your authentic, lived story.

Crushing It – Leveling Up Your Well-Being for a Successful First Year
2-2:25 p.m. • Lory Student Center 322
Come hear from the CSU Health Network and gain insights on preparing for change and transition, knowing your stress threshold and how to boost your stress awareness, and knowing where and when to seek help. The purpose of this session is to provide a more realistic and informed view about preparing for the transition to CSU.

Adult Learner and Student Veterans Basic Needs Resource Fair
2-4 p.m. • Lory Student Center 324
Get connected to local resources before school starts to help ease your transition into student life. Rams Against Hunger will help you address food insecurity. Get your Colorado License at the Mobile DMV. Learn how to budget with Canvas Credit Union. All will be present to help you learn more about how to be a CSU Ram.

Undergraduate Research and Artistry
2:30-2:55 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 312
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.

Learn More about Fraternity and Sorority Life
3-3:25 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 308-310
Are you interested in learning more about Fraternity and Sorority Life? Many transfer students are unaware that Fraternity and Sorority Life can be a fun and enriching experience on campus. Whether you were involved at your previous institution or you are curious if Fraternity and Sorority Life is for you, this session will give you an overview of the different chapters and events happening here at CSU.

Do Something CSU
3:30-3:55 p.m. Lory Student Center Room 312
Getting involved on campus can help you find friends, contribute to academic success, and make college more fun! Come and learn about the various pathways to involvement at CSU including: student organizations, leadership opportunities, sport clubs and recreation, campus employment, fraternities and sororities, volunteering, student government, faith/belief communities, and so much more! So join us, Do Something, and enhance your CSU experience!

Outdoor Program
4-4:25 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 322
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!

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.
Welcome Activities Meet-Up Location.

Please check your Canvas Page for your College what you need to succeed academically at CSU. Meet faculty, staff, and academic advisors, meet with other students and grab some free food in the Sutherland Garden! 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.

NOTE: College Welcome Meet-up location.

To gather by your College sign to be taken to your 12:45 p.m. • Near Clark B

College Welcome Round Up

10-11 a.m. • Meet the Transfer Transition Leaders in the Lory Student Center Plaza

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!

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 12:15 p.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. Please check your Canvas Page for your College Welcome Activities Meet-Up Location.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

Student Diversity Programs and Services (SDPS) Meet and Greets SF

3-4:30 p.m. • 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).

Ramilapalooza

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 the free snacks, prizes, and a great time at our fall welcome event!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

Poudre RiverFest

12-6 p.m. • New Belgium Brewing Company

The Poudre RiverFest is a free, family-friendly festival that celebrates the Poudre River, promotes restoration, and educates people about our river corridor, an important natural resource in our community. The festival features engaging virtual content and safe in-person activities for children and adults to explore the role of the river as an important habitat for wildlife, a lively recreation area, and a source for clean drinking water. Learn more at pouderiverfest.org.

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.

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

Rambunctious Pep Rally

7:30-8:30 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, and experience what game day 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 both upon entry and within the stadium.

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 322,000 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, AUGUST 21

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 Alumni Volunteers 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. Mask, water bottle, and closed-toed shoes are required for this 4 mile and 500ft of elevation gain hike.

Transfer Student Kickoff

4-6 p.m. • Spring Park in Fort Collins

Join Transfer Programs @ CSU and your Transfer Transition Leaders in Spring Park in Fort Collins for some lawn games and free food! We hope you’ll join us for our kickoff to the start of the Fall semester!
OTHER INFORMATION

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_0SwnZcV6i9a6WOy

To register for Thursday, please use this link: https://colostate.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3BE6fBwrhxA4hAns

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? Then check out our Campus Bike Tours! This event will be capped at 50 participants. Free helmets will be available for participants to keep. Participants may bring their own bike, or may use a Spin e-bike or e-scooter for the tour. We will make sure to have enough Spin vehicles to accommodate students who need them and will do our best to provide your preferred vehicle (e-scooter vs e-bike) at no cost for the tour. For those who plan to borrow a Spin e-scooter or e-bike, please be sure to download the Spin app (App Store/Google Play) and setup your account before arriving.

SUPPORTING YOUR SUCCESS IN MATH AND SCIENCE

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.

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