

2023 FALL | TRANSFER

RAMWELCOME SCHEDULE



SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

12:30-4:30 p.m. Transfer Ram Welcome Check-In

TRANSFER INTEREST SESSIONS

1-1:25 p.m. Outdoor Programs
1-2 p.m. Joining the Ram Family – Why You Belong Here (Adult Learner and Student Veterans)
1:30-1:55 p.m. Successful Student Study Strategies (TILT)
2 p.m. Campus Tour
2-2:25 p.m. Undergraduate Research and Artistry
2-4 p.m. Adult Learner and Student Veterans Basic Needs Resource Fair
2:30-2:55 p.m. Career Center: Creating Your Experience for CSU and Beyond
2:30-2:55 p.m. CSU Health Network
3-3:25 p.m. Crushing It – Leveling Up Your Well-Being for a Successful First Year
3:30-3:55 p.m. Learn More about Fraternity and Sorority Life
4-4:25 p.m. Do Something CSU
4:30-6 p.m. Transfer, Adult Learner, and Student Veterans Welcome BBQ
5:30-8:30 p.m. Night @ the Rec
6-10:30 p.m. Ram Welcome Carnival

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

10-11 a.m. Class Quest
11:15 a.m.-12:45 p.m. Lunch and Ram Welcome Street Fair
12:45 p.m. College Welcome Round Up
1:15 p.m. College Welcome Activities

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

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3-4:30 p.m. Student Diversity Programs and Services (SDPS) Meet and Greets
6-10 p.m. Ramapalooza

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9-10:30 a.m. Hike to the "A"
1-3 p.m. We Ride! A Celebration of Bicycles at CSU
1-3 p.m. Rams Summer Chill Out with the CSU Health Network
7:30-8:30 p.m. Rambunctious Pep Rally
8:30-10:30 p.m. Outdoor Movie
Until 11:30 p.m. Rec Center Open Late

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

4-6 p.m. Transfer Student Kickoff

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

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.

Outdoor Programs

1-1:25 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 308-310

Are you interested in the outdoors? Do you want to explore the mountains and public lands of Colorado? Outdoor Programs (OP) offers over 50 trips, classes, and special events throughout the year for students to get outside, learn skills, and meet other students interested in outdoor recreation.

Joining the Ram Family – Why You Belong Here (Adult Learner and Student Veterans)

1-2 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 304-306

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.

Successful Student Study Strategies (TILT)

1:30-1:55 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 312

As a transfer student, you're already aware of the need to approach learning differently in college than in high school. Join staff members from The Institute for Learning and Teaching (TILT) to review study strategies of successful students and learn about the academic resources available to you here at CSU.

Campus Tour

2 p.m. • Meet on 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.

Undergraduate Research and Artistry

2-2:25 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 Student Veterans Basic Needs Resource Fair

2-4 p.m. • Lory Student Center 328

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, and how to budget with Canvas Credit Union, will all be present to help you learn more about how to be a CSU Ram.

Career Center: Creating Your Experience for CSU and Beyond

2:30-2:55 p.m. • Career Center Classroom (bottom floor of LSC)

This session will focus on learning ways to explore career during your time as a student and finding authentic ways to make connections with your community as it relates to career.

CSU Health Network

2:30-2:55 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 312

This session will give the students a brief overview of the services offered at CSU Health Network, outline new student requirements and recommendations, and will give students tips on transitioning to college life and taking care of their mental and physical health at CSU.

Crushing It – Leveling Up Your Well-Being for a Successful First Year

3-3:25 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 308-310

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 realist and informed view about preparing for the transition to CSU.

Learn More about Fraternity and Sorority Life

3:30-3:55 p.m. Lory Student Center Room 312

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

4-4:25 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 308-310

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!

Transfer, Adult Learner, and Student Veterans Welcome BBQ

4:30-6 p.m. • Lory Student Center Sutherland Sculpture Garden

Join us to celebrate your new beginning at CSU with a celebratory barbeque where you can mingle 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.

Night @ the Rec

5:30-8:30 p.m. • Student Recreation Center

The Rec is a space where you can relax through play and movement, serving as a central fixture of campus community and student support. Night at the Rec is an opportunity to discover the ways in which the Rec can enhance your CSU experience. We invite you to explore our facilities, connect with our staff, and learn about the programs and services we offer. Examples of what you can expect at the event include: A pool party (bring your swimsuit!), climbing wall demos, group exercise sessions, a Sport Club fair, cornhole, knockout, guided meditation, and massage chairs. We will also be hosting drawings for those interested and will be offering limited-edition t-shirts commemorating the event.

Ram Welcome Carnival

6-10:30 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, AUGUST 18

Class Quest

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 1:15 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.

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

Student Diversity Programs and Services (SDPS) Meet and Greet

3-4:30 p.m. • Lory Student Center

Visit the seven cultural and resource centers that make up SDPS:

- 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
- Student Disability Center, Room 223
- Women and Gender Advocacy Center, Room 234

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, axe throwing (must wear closed-toed shoes to participate) and more! Don't miss out on free snacks, prizes, and a great time at our fall welcome event!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19

Hike to the "A"

9-10:30 a.m. • Bus pickup at the Iris and Michael Smith Alumni Center

Join Outdoor Programs, Fort Collins Natural Areas, and the CSU Alumni Association 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. After the hike, join us in decorating your own miniature "A" to commemorate your participation in one of CSU's oldest and most-loved traditions!

We Ride! A Celebration of Bicycles at CSU

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 u-lock, 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.

Rams Summer Chill Out with the CSU Health Network

1-3 p.m. • CSU Health and Medical Center (151 W. Lake Street)

Join the CSU Health Network for a summer celebration outside the Health and Medical Center. Enjoy free sno cones, enter to win exciting prizes, and learn about services to support your well-being throughout the academic year!

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 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.

Outdoor Movie

8:30-10:30 p.m. • IM Fields (East of Meridian)

Join the Residential Leadership Programs and other new students to watch a movie. Light refreshments will be provided.

Rec Center Open Late

Until 10 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 27

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 to you'll join us for our kickoff to the start of the Fall semester!

OTHER INFORMATION

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16 AND THURSDAY, AUG. 17

Campus Bike Tours

Weds. 9-10 a.m., Thurs. 9-10 a.m. and 10-11 a.m. • The Spoke at Laurel Village

Please register here:

[Wednesday at 9 a.m. campus bike tour registration.](#)

[Thursday at 9 a.m. campus bike tour registration.](#)

[Thursday at 11 a.m. campus bike tour registration.](#)

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.

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 your email and text for links and sessions.

RAMCARD

Special Extended Hours for Fall 2023 - Monday, Aug. 14 and Tuesday, Aug. 15, from 7 a.m.-7 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	7 a.m.-7 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	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.
Canvas Credit Union Hours	Lory Student Center	----- 8 a.m.-5 p.m. -----		----- Closed -----	
First National Bank	Lory Student Center	8 a.m.-6 p.m.	8 a.m.-5 p.m.	----- Closed -----	



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