2023 FALL | PARENTS AND FAMILIES
RAM WELCOME SCHEDULE

ON MOVE-IN DAYS
MONDAY AUGUST 14, TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16

Family Photos at Canvas Stadium
12-3 p.m., Monday and Wednesday; 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m., Tuesday • Canvas Stadium

Canvas Credit Union, the official banking partner of CSU, welcomes you to move-in and the University! Students, parents and families are welcome to come to the field during the times listed above to take photos at the home of the Rams: Canvas Stadium. Representatives from Parent and Family Programs will also be available to engage with and answer questions! The New Belgium Porch will be open for parents and families to purchase beverages during this time.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

Fall 2023 Convocation Livestream for Parents and Family Members
10 a.m. (Mountain Time)

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. All incoming first-year students will gather in Moby Arena to hear the vision of the university’s leadership while also experiencing the excitement of listening to and cheering along with the CSU Marching Band and Cheer team. To view the livestream, visit: https://otp.colostate.edu/ramwelcome/convocation/

INTEREST SESSIONS AND PROGRAMS
MONDAY, AUGUST 14

Adelante con Nuestra Familia
11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. • Lory Student Center Theatre
Esta sesión, dirigida por estudiantes actuales de CSU y personal, es una celebración que da la bienvenida a los nuevos estudiantes y sus familias, y ofrece la oportunidad de hacer preguntas acerca de cómo serán las clases, como será vivir en Fort Collins y / o en el campus, la seguridad del campus, la búsqueda de puestos de trabajo dentro o fuera del campus, y mucho más. La comida será gratuita.

** A las 1:30 p.m. saldrá de la LSC plaza una visita al campus en español.

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Making the Transition: Leading with the Heart and Centering Resilience
1:2-15 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 308-310

Parents and family members will get a chance to sit with university leadership and hear from them about “Making the Transition” with your student during their first semester on campus. Everyone is welcome to attend! This conversation will center around the role you will continue to play in supporting your student, especially in helping them lean into resilience, strength, and building community beyond their first semester.

Getting Set for Academic Success
2-2:45 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 304

Staff members from The Institute of Learning and Teaching (TILT) will share initiatives and resources designed to support students’ academic success. From tutoring to office hours, study groups to academic workshops, we’ll highlight tools available to help students get set for academic success.

Thriving 1.0: Challenges and Steps to Student Success
2:30-3:30 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 306

Do you want to know more about how your student can thrive? Concerned with how to respond if your student struggles adjusting to college? Whether your student is starting their first year or transferring, this session will explore some of the common challenges that can impact your student’s transition, and what can help turn challenges into opportunities to increase life skills and success. Facilitators are from the CSU Health Network Health Education and Prevention Services Team.

Campus Tours for Parents, Families, and Guests
Tours leave at 10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. • Meet on Lory Student Center Plaza
For parents and family members who have not had a chance to tour CSU’s campus, Transfer Transition Leaders from Orientation and Transition Programs will be available at 10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. to provide those to anyone who would like to join in. Tours will depart from the Lory Student Center Plaza. Tours will lead parents and family members through the main areas of campus, and include historical facts, information about where offices are located, and more.

CSU Health Network Tours
1:30 p.m., 2 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. • CSU Health and Medical Center (151 West Lake Street)

The CSU Health Network is every student’s home for health and well-being at CSU and is committed to care of body and mind to help students succeed in college and life. All CSU students have access to the wide range of medical, mental health and health education and prevention services, regardless of insurance plan. Join staff on a tour of the CSU Health and Medical Center while they answer questions about service and resources. Tours leave at 1:30 p.m., 2 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. from the Information Desk located on the first floor. El lunes 14 de agosto, a las 2 p.m. horas, se realizará una visita guiada en español.

Pride Resource Center Open House
4-5 p.m. • Pride Resource Center (Lory Student Center Room 232)

Parents and supporters of LGBTQIA+ Rams are invited to drop in for an open house with the director of the Pride Resource Center. Drop by to ask about resources, safety and any other questions you may have as well as learn about all the opportunities the Pride Resource Center has available to students!
Stop by the Women and Gender Advocacy Center (WGAC) for our Open House! The WGAC provides confidential support for students of all genders who identify as primary and secondary survivors of interpersonal violence. We also provide programming around a lot of other topics, too! Come chat with an advocate, learn ways to support your student for their first year at CSU, and hang out with us.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16

Ram Ohana Welcome
5-6 p.m. • Lory Student Center Room 333
The Asian Pacific American Cultural Center (APACC) and Pacific Club welcome students and families from Hawaii and the Pacific Islands to CSU! Come join APACC staff, students, and staff from other offices (including Parent and Family Programs, Office of Admissions and more) for conversation and light refreshments! Get to know APACC staff, what APACC can do for your student and more.

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8 a.m.-5 p.m. in the Iris and Michael Smith Alumni Center (at Canvas Stadium)
Are you a CSU alum who has a student starting at CSU this fall? Welcome back! Please stop by the Iris and Michael Smith Alumni Center from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. to grab a special gift from the CSU Alumni Association.