Orientation
Summer 2019
Orientation is designed to prepare new students for their time at the University of Mississippi and give them the information and resources to successfully navigate the college experience. This is also the time when students are advised and register for classes. Orientation is required for all new students (both freshmen and transfers). Programming is provided for parents or other family members who want to attend with their student.
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*Sally McDonnell Barksdale Honors College students only

REGISTRATION OPENS MARCH 4, 8:30 A.M.

**Freshman Sessions**
Begin: check-in 7:45-8:30 a.m. on Day 1  
End: 2 p.m. on Day 2

**Transfer Sessions**
Begin: check-in noon on Day 1  
End: after course registration on Day 2

The times listed above are approximate and subject to change. **It is mandatory that all students attend BOTH days in their entirety.**

Reservations are made on a first-come, first-served basis, so make your reservations early. Sessions are capped to ensure adequate space and academic advisers. Family members or other guests may be added to a student’s reservation at any time. Space is based on student headcount.

**All fees are nonrefundable.**
REGISTERING FOR ORIENTATION

Prior to registering you must complete the following:

- Submit your housing application and the $75 application fee. (Call the Department of Student Housing at 662-915-7328 with questions).
- Submit your immunization records to the Student Health Center. (Call the Student Health Center at 662-915-7274 with questions).

How to register:

- Go online to http://my.olemiss.edu.
- Sign in with your WebID and password.
- Once you login, select the Orientation tab and follow the sign up prompts.
- Your reservation is complete once payment has been submitted.
  - Orientation fee(s) can be paid by bank draft or with a credit or debit card (VISA or MasterCard only). Money orders or checks will not be accepted through the mail.
  - Reservations cannot be completed over the phone.
- A confirmation email will be sent to your Ole Miss email account (www.olemiss.edu/email) when your registration is completed.

Making changes to your orientation registration:

- If your plans change after you have registered for an orientation session, please log in to the registration system and follow the original prompts.
- You can change dates by choosing from the list of available sessions.
• Family members or other guests can be added by choosing the “add guest” option.

• If your changes are made within 7 days of your scheduled session, a $15 processing fee will be charged.

**Important registration-related notes:**

• Please do not make airline or hotel reservations until after you have registered for orientation and a confirmation email is received.

• No refunds policy: All orientation fees (both students and family members) are nonrefundable. If you are unsure what family members or other guests are attending with the student, we suggest registering the student first to secure the reservation and then go back to add guests at a later date.
FEES & HOUSING

Freshman Orientation

STUDENT: The $115 orientation fee covers program-related expenses, including most meals and housing for one night in one of our residence halls. It is recommended that all students attending summer orientation stay overnight in the designated residence halls, but it is not required.

Living arrangements feature:

- Air-conditioned suites — two double beds with one bath (All rooms are double occupancy.)
- Linens include pillow, pillowcase, bed sheets, towel, washcloth, and a light blanket.
- Note that these are basic residence hall rooms — undecorated and without television in the room. (Bring clock, fan, hairdryer and other amenities you may need.)

EARLY ARRIVAL: It may be necessary for you to arrive the night before your session begins because of travel distance and the program’s early morning start. There is no cost to check in early; however, the cost for overnight accommodations is $35 per night, per person. You can select the early-arrival option when registering for orientation online or you can pay upon your arrival.
FAMILY MEMBERS: A guest/adult guest orientation fee of $75 per person includes the two-day program, lunch and dinner on the first day and breakfast on the second day. Overnight accommodations and other meals are not included in this fee. Guests can stay in the designated residence hall for a fee of $35 per person, per night. Guest overnight accommodations can be reserved and paid through the online registration system. Overnight accommodations can also be arranged upon arrival based on availability. Any siblings under the age of 12 attend for free but are charged the $35 fee if they are staying in housing. Siblings between the ages of 12 and 17 have a fee of $35, plus the additional $35 if they are staying in housing.

CHECKOUT: The program will end by 2 p.m. on the second day of each session. Because of space limitations and overlapping sessions, students and guests will be asked to check out of their residence hall rooms before the second day sessions begin.

Transfer Orientation

STUDENT: The $60 orientation fee covers all expenses for the program, including most meals and printed materials. Overnight accommodations are an additional $35.

FAMILY MEMBERS: A guest/adult guest orientation fee of $60 per person covers all expenses for the program, including most meals and printed materials. Overnight accommodations are not included in this fee. Guests can stay in the designated residence hall for a fee of $35 per person, for the night prior to the orientation program. Guest overnight accommodations can be reserved and paid through the online registration system.

Overnight accommodations are only available for Transfer Sessions 2 and 3. Overnight accommodations can also be arranged upon arrival based on availability. Any siblings under the age of 12 attend for free but are charged the $35 fee if they are staying in housing the night prior to orientation. Siblings between the ages of 12 and 17 have a fee of $25 plus the additional $35 if they are staying in housing.

NOTE: Pack separately; guest rooms may be in a different section of the residence hall.
Orientation
Registration Opens
March 4 at 8:30 a.m.
Open for important details.