Schedule of Events

11:00 – 11:30 a.m.  CHECK-IN, John C. Myers Convocation Center, Lobby
Check-in at the table to receive your Orientation Guidebook and have your picture taken for your Eagle Card ID.

11:30 – 11:40 a.m.  WELCOME, Trustee Room, John C. Myers Convocation Center

11:40 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.  UNDERSTANDING YOUR SCHEDULE, Trustee Room, John C. Myers Convocation Center
During this session we will cover the ins and outs of the Ashland University Core Curriculum, Global Passport Strategies (GPS) requirement, fall class schedule and other academic expectations.

12:15 – 12:55 p.m.  LUNCH, Faculty Room, John C. Myers Convocation Center

1:00 – 1:30 p.m.  NAVIGATING ASHLAND UNIVERSITY, Trustee Room, John C. Myers Convocation Center
During this session you will learn about campus services and programs that will become valuable tools to aid you in your transition to college life at Ashland University. During this session, you will hear from Financial Aid, Student Accounts, and the AU Campus Store.

1:35 – 1:55 p.m.  EXPLORING RESIDENTIAL LIFE and COMMUTER SERVICES
During this session, we have two presentations to choose from based on your living needs. This session will highlight services that will truly make Ashland your home away from home whether you will be residing on campus or commuting from home.

A.) On Campus Living at Ashland: Student Center Auditorium
B.) Commuter Student Services: Trustee Room, John C. Myers Convocation Center

2:00 – 2:30 p.m.  CAMPUS TOUR
Take a guided walking tour of campus with an Orientation Leader. During your tour, we will highlight some of the main buildings such as the Student Center, the Recreation Center and the Academic Buildings. Our goal is to make sure you feel comfortable navigating campus so you can truly make Ashland your home away from home whether you will be residing on campus or commuting from home.

2:30 – 3:10 p.m.  STUDENTS: HANDS ON TECHNOLOGY, Dauch 107/108, College of Business Computer Labs
Ashland University hosts several online programs for campus communication and classroom instruction. During this session, students will learn how to navigate MyAU Portal, AU Gmail, WebAdvisor and Blackboard Learn with ease.

PARENTS/GUESTS: SUPPORTING YOUR STUDENT, Hawkins-Conard Student Center Auditorium
Family members play a large role in supporting a student in college whether it’s academically, socially and/or emotionally. During this session we will address transitional challenges that students encounter, how family members can aid in this transition as well as the support services provided to students. After the presentation, please join us in the Piano Lounge for refreshments.

3:15 – 4:00 p.m.  MINI INFORMATION FAIR, Conference Rooms, Hawkins-Conard Student Center
Key campus departments will be available to answer your questions. This is also a great time to visit our Campus Store located on the first floor of the Student Center that will be open until 4 p.m.

- Class Schedule Questions
- Student Life
- Recreational Services
- Career Services
- Residence Life
- Commuter Services
- Student Health Center
- Financial Aid (Scholarships, Aid Packages)
- Business Office (Student Account/Tuition Payments)
- Forms Return Station