

GUSTIES WILL SHINE!

2018 STUDENT ORIENTATION



NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

August 31-September 3, 2018
Gustavus Adolphus College

#GUSTIES22

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No matter how you say it, welcome! We are pleased to receive you as the newest members of our campus community. As you have likely realized already, Gustavus is a stimulating and supportive environment where people both challenge and care for one another. Our “welcome” to you, therefore, is much more than an extension of hospitality. It is an invitation to active participation in the conversations, events, and relationships that bind us together.

I urge all of you to make a personal investment in Gustavus. Get to know faculty members and staff; reach out to fellow students; share with us your talents, insights, experiences, and dreams; in so doing, contribute to the vitality of our campus and local community. In other words, accept the many challenges to grow now before you, confident of our support and sure of our assistance.

We're delighted you've joined us!



JoNes R. VanHecke, PhD
Dean of Students

New Student Orientation is dedicated to facilitating each student's transition to life at Gustavus Adolphus College. The program is designed to provide incoming students and their families with a set of shared experiences and information that will establish the foundation for continued academic success, personal growth, and meaningful connections. The program is designed to reflect the College's five core values of Excellence, Community, Justice, Service, and Faith.

If you have any questions regarding Orientation 2018, contact the Campus Activities Office at 507-933-7598 or ajunso@gustavus.edu.

Persons requesting accommodations in accordance with ADA should contact Disability Services as far as possible in advance of the event. Additional information is available from the Center for Academic Resources and Enhancement (CARE) at 507-933-7227 or cwiebusc@gustavus.edu.



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WELCOME TO GUSTAVUS

The orientation program is focused on helping you with the transition to Gustavus and establishing a sense of belonging in this new college community. We know that feeling connected as a Gustie takes a different amount of time for each person. However, we hope that with the assistance of many members of our community, you will begin to see this as your home.

Consider this booklet your syllabus for the next few days. It contains a complete orientation schedule with descriptions of activities, as well as pieces of crucial information and a few random bits of fun facts. You are strongly encouraged to take part in all orientation activities. You are a college student now, and you'll quickly find that what you get out of college is in direct correlation with what you put into the experience. The orientation schedule is carefully laid out to maximize your first few days here socially, emotionally, and academically. We know it's a busy, stressful time and you may feel tired and overwhelmed. There will be plenty of time (more than you can imagine!) for you to arrange your room and just "hang out" once classes begin. On behalf of the Gustie Greeters and Campus Activities Office, we sincerely hope your orientation experience is positive and affirming of your choice to become a Gustie!

On Friday, August 31 (move-in day), the following offices will be open for your convenience:

Technology Services	Helpline 507-933-6111	8 a.m.–4:45 p.m.
	Residence Halls	11 a.m.–3 p.m.
Health Service	Jackson Campus Center	8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
Financial Aid/ Student Employment	Jackson Campus Center	8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
Post Office	Jackson Campus Center	8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
ID Card	Jackson Campus Center	8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
Center for Academic Resources and Enhancement	Anderson Hall	8 a.m.–4:45 p.m.
Telecommunications	Olin Hall Basement	8 a.m.–4:45 p.m.
Campus Safety	Norelius Hall Basement "Wing A"	24 Hours
Parking Permits*	Norelius Hall "Wing A" <i>*Check your P.O. Box if you registered online.</i>	8 a.m.–1:30 a.m.
Book Mark*	Jackson Campus Center <i>*Did you pre-order your text books online? Stop by the Board Room on the upper level of the Jackson Campus Center during store hours to pick up your order.</i>	10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Student Accounts/ Bill Payment	Jackson Campus Center	8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

GUSTAVUS CORE VALUES

EXCELLENCE

First among the College's shared values is a commitment to high quality and excellence in all that we do. Commitment to excellence calls on all of us to achieve to the very best of our capabilities and exceed our own expectations. Our distinctive heritage demands nothing less than excellence.

COMMUNITY

Gustavus has always prized community. Civility, mutual respect, cooperation, shared governance, and a pervasive sense of concern for every member of the Gustavus community are hallmarks of the College. Freedom to express a broad range of ideas is central to our sense of community.

JUSTICE

Our Swedish and Lutheran heritage leads us to hold up justice as a primary institutional value. We strive to be a just community in all of our actions and to educate our students for morally responsible lives. "Education for the common good" is our objective, and integrity must be one of our defining characteristics.

SERVICE

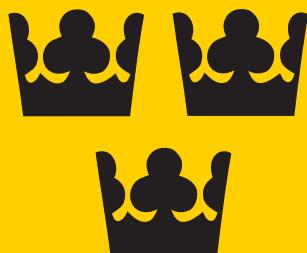
The College highly values service as an objective of life and education. We embrace the notion that authentic leadership expresses itself in service—the classical ideal of a truly liberating education. Education frees us to serve God and humanity to the best of our abilities.

FAITH

Conviction that religious faith enriches and completes learning is the foundation of community, ethics, and service. We are compelled to excel in a divinely ordered world. Without expecting conformity, we encourage an honest exploration of religious faith and seek to foster a mature understanding of the Christian faith.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 31

- 9 a.m.–Noon** **Move into Your Residence Hall**
Please register at the main entrance of your residence hall to receive your keys.
- 9 a.m.–4 p.m.** **New Student Check-In**
Information Desk, Jackson Campus Center
Receive your student ID, advisor meeting locations, student employment assignment, orientation group, and schedule.
- 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.** **Lunch** *Lund Center*
We encourage all new students to join us with their families for lunch. Please pick up your complimentary tickets at the Information Desk or at the event entrance.
- 12:30–2:30 p.m.** **Traditional “Sign” Pictures and Family Legacy Pictures**
Gustavus Adolphus College Sign and Old Main
Come take a traditional family photo at the Gustavus sign. Gustavus Legacy families are also welcome to take family photos near the west entrance to Old Main on Eckman Mall.
- 1–2:30 p.m.** **Selfies with President Bergman** *North Entrance to Christ Chapel*
Come say hello and take a selfie with President Bergman.
- 1:30 p.m.** **Ice Cream Welcome** *Eckman Mall*
Career Development would like to welcome new Gustie families with a frozen treat.
- 3 p.m.** **Convocation for New Students and Families** *Christ Chapel*
A ceremonial welcome and presentation of the entering class.
Dress is casual.
**Families should depart from campus following this event in order to give their students time to gather for dinner. Thank you for the support and hard work that made this day possible!*
- 5 p.m.** **Dinner and a Show**
Pittman & Sohre Halls: Dinner with Res Hall Floor
Evelyn Young Dining Room, Jackson Campus Center
***meet on your floor to walk over*
Norelius: “Can I Kiss You?”
Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall, Johnson Student Union
Presented by Mike Domitrz, healthy relationship expert.
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- 6:15 p.m.** **Dinner and a Show**
Norelius: Dinner with Res Hall Section
Evelyn Young Dining Room, Jackson Campus Center
Pittman & Sohre Halls: “Can I Kiss You?”
Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall, Johnson Student Union
Presented by Mike Domitrz, healthy relationship expert.
- 7:30 p.m.** **Count on Gusties** *Lund Arena, Lund Center*
The goal of this interactive session is to focus on policies and implications related to alcohol use and/or sexual misconduct. This is an opportunity to understand the norms and expectations at Gustavus and to gain knowledge to make healthy choices. The session will also focus on skills to effectively intervene in situations you may encounter as a Gustie.



This symbol originated on a Scandinavian coat of arms in the 14th century. Although the original meaning is not known, some historians believe the insignia symbolizes the three Magi, while others feel it depicts three geographic regions of Sweden. Still others say the crowns represent the Trinity of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

- 8:30 p.m. Orientation to Community Living**
Norelius (Co-Ed) *Christ Chapel*
Pittman/Sohre *Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall, Johnson Student Union*
 During this time you will have the opportunity to meet and interact with the Residential Life staff and your fellow floor/section residents. You will learn valuable information and discuss issues relevant to living on campus.
- 10 p.m. Hypnotist Chris Jones** *Lund Arena, Lund Center*
 This high-energy, interactive show allows you to be the stars. You will remember this performance long after orientation is over!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

- 7 a.m.–5 p.m. Evelyn Young Dining Room open** *Jackson Campus Center*
- 10 a.m. Orientation Group Meeting**
 Refer to your Gustie Greeter group assignment sheet in your check-in day folder.
- 11 a.m.–5 p.m. Music Auditions** *Schaefer Fine Arts Center*
 Learn more about the many opportunities to participate in music at Gustavus. Auditions are open to anyone and any skill level. Join the incredible tradition of ensemble music-making with many strong and meaningful opportunities. See sidebar for more information and a complete schedule.
- 11:30 a.m. Groups 1-22: Lunch with your Greeter Group**
Evelyn Young Dining Room
 During this lunch, Greeters will discuss the topic of sustainability with their Greeter groups. This is a great time to learn a little bit about energy and waste management practices on campus and understand the responsibilities of being a Gustie.
- Groups 23-44: Campus and classroom tours with your Greeter Group**
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- 1:30 p.m. Class of 2022 Annual Bulb Ceremony & Arboretum Exploration** *Linnaeus Arboretum*
 Join your greeter group in the Linnaeus Arboretum to plant your individual “Class of 2022” tulip bulb and explore the Linnaeus Arboretum.
- 2:30 p.m. Orientation large group time** *Meet in the Linnaeus Arboretum*
 Spend this time getting to know students from other orientation groups.

MUSIC AUDITIONS

Audition times are pre-assigned:

- If you registered for lessons or ensembles you should have received an email (to your ____@gustavus.edu account) in August with complete information including appointment times in the areas which you have indicated interest.
- If you have questions, need to change a time, or did not receive a pre-assigned audition time, contact an Audition Assistant after your arrival on campus. Assistants can be contacted in the Music Office on Friday (FAM 318, x7364) and then throughout the Music Building at check-in tables on Saturday and Sunday. General information is also posted in the second floor lobby of the Music Building.

General Schedule: Saturday, September 1

- Piano
 11 a.m.–1:30 p.m. | *Björling Recital Hall*
- Brass
 11 a.m.–2 p.m. | *FAM 106*
- Percussion
 2–4 p.m. | *FAM 106*
- Winds
 4–8 p.m. | *FAM 106*
- Strings
 11 a.m.–2 p.m. | *FAM 308*
- Jazz Saxophones
 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m. | *FAM 103*
- Jazz Trumpets/Trombones
 2–4 p.m. | *FAM 103*
- Voice
 11 a.m.–4:30 p.m. | *FAM 214*

Sunday, September 2

- Remaining Voice Auditions
 11 a.m.–5 p.m. | *FAM 214*
- Guitar
 Noon–1 p.m. | *FAM 202*

Other:

- Handbells | Tuesday, Sept. 4
 7 p.m. | *Christ Chapel*
- Jazz Vocalists | Wednesday, Sept. 5
 6:30–8 p.m. | *FAM 103*

If you will be taking lessons it is essential that you contact your instructor with your academic class schedule to arrange an individual lesson time. Lessons and rehearsals will typically begin the first week of classes. Refer to your conductor/instructor for specifics.

GUSTAVUS LINGO

Chances are you are already familiar with some of these Gustavus terms; before you know it, you'll be talking like a seasoned Gustie!

- the Caf: Evelyn Young Dining Room/Cafeteria
- the Arb: Linnaeus Arboretum
- the Dive: Johnson Student Union, Dive
- the Den: Jackson Campus Center, Gustie Den
- C in CC: Christmas in Christ Chapel
- POs: Post Office boxes
- Co-ed: Norelius Hall
- Alumni: Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall
- 7 mile: 7 mile park (south on HWY 169)
- the Rock: the rock outside of Old Main
- Complex: Sorensen, North, and Gibbs Halls
- Admin: Edgar M. Carlson Administration Building
- Reslife: Residential Life Office
- 3 Flags: the three flags directly outside of the Jackson Campus Center
- Ring Road: the road around campus
- P-ball: President's Ball
- the Grib: online search engine of all Gusties
- the Lib: Library
- CAB: Campus Activities Board
- Con/Vic: Confer/Vickner hall
- the Blue: Lund Athletic Center Forum

- 3:30–4:15 p.m. Theatre/Dance Orientation & Audition Information Session** *Anderson Theatre, Schaefer Fine Arts Center*
Find out more about the many opportunities to participate in productions at Gustavus. This orientation is open to anyone interested in any aspect of theatre or dance at Gustavus.
- 5 p.m. President's Banquet** *Evelyn Young Dining Room*
A dress-up occasion (semi-formal) to honor new students. College Fellows will escort residents.
- 8 p.m. Square Dance** *Olin Parking Lot* (Lund Center in case of rain)
You don't want to miss this Gustavus TRADITION. Legend has it you may meet your Gustie soul mate!
- 9:30 p.m. Playfair** *Lund Forum, Lund Athletic Center*
Playfair is totally unlike anything else you have ever experienced. It's entertainment! It's fun! It's the perfect way to make new campus friendships! Playfair is a team-building experience that has a long-lasting effect on the members of your class.
- 10:30 p.m. Mismatched Dive Dance** *The Dive, Johnson Student Union*
Join your fellow classmates for a mismatched Dive Dance. Dress in your favorite mismatched outfit to win prizes.
- 10:30 p.m. Bonfire** *Complex Fire Pit*
Several Christian student organizations welcome you to join them for fun, fellowship, and s'mores around the fire.
- 10:30 p.m. Get to know other Gusties**
Get to know the other Gusties you'll be living with this year during hall activities coordinated by your CFs. Meet on your floor/section to gather for a special event just for the residents in your building.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

- 7 a.m.–8 p.m. Evelyn Young Dining Room open** *Jackson Campus Center*
- 9:30 a.m. Orientation Group Meeting** *Meet in regular location*
- 10:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship** *Christ Chapel*
A home away from home, the Christ Chapel Worshiping Community is a group where you can feel welcome whoever you are, wherever you are, however you are. On Sundays during the academic year, we gather to pray, sing, explore sacred texts, share communion, and be community together. We invite you to come experience God's abundant love in this beautiful space that is your chapel.
- 11 a.m.–5 p.m. Music and Voice Auditions** *Schaefer Fine Arts Center*
See sidebar on page 5 for more information and a complete schedule.
- 11:30 a.m. Groups 23-44: Lunch** *Evelyn Young Dining Room*
Have lunch with your Orientation Group.

A SAMPLING OF THE 140 STUDENT CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

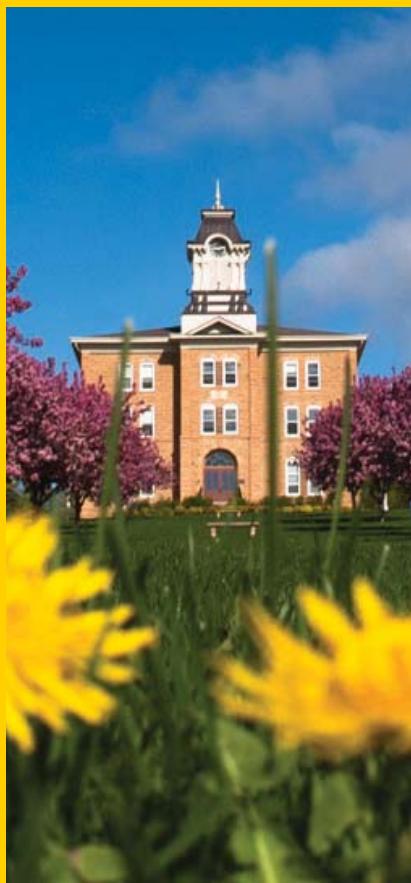
Check out all of these and more at the Involvement Fair on September 11, 2018, 4-6:30 p.m. on Eckman Mall.

- Big Partner/Little Partner Mentoring Program
- Building Bridges Diversity Conference
- Campus Activities Board
- College Democrats
- College Republicans
- Dance Team
- Fraternities and Sororities
- Gustavus Band, Choir, Orchestra
- *Gustavian Weekly* (student newspaper)
- Gustavus Greens (environmental awareness)
- Gustavus Youth Outreach
- Habitat for Humanity
- Hmong American Cultural Outreach
- International Cultures Club
- Pan-Afrikan Student Organization
- ROTC
- Student Senate
- Swing Club
- Womyn's Awareness Center

For more information, visit gustavus.edu/studentorgs.

- 11:30 a.m. Groups 1-22: Learn to Live**
Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall, Johnson Student Union
The Counseling Center and Health Service are pleased to share a free online service designed to help address the stress that accompanies life as a college student. Join us to learn simple but powerful tools to use throughout college.
- 12:15 p.m. Groups 1-22: Lunch** *Evelyn Young Dining Room*
Have lunch with your Orientation Group.
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- 1:15 p.m. An introduction to Faith and Interfaith** *Christ Chapel*
Through this interactive session, students from a variety of religious and spiritual traditions and philosophical backgrounds will share their stories of practicing, exploring, questioning, and navigating communities of meaning and purpose while at Gustavus. Together we will consider how to create and sustain opportunities for communication and cooperation.
- 2:30 p.m. Target Takeover!**
Join some of the Gustie Greeters at 3 Flags (outside of the Jackson Campus Center) to take a bus to Mankato for a trip to the River Hills Mall and Target to grab any last minute items you may still need or forgot. Bus will return at 4:45 p.m. Seating limited to the first 100 students.
- 2:30 p.m. Outdoor games** *Eckman Mall*
Join your classmates and the Gustie Greeters for some outdoor games on the mall. Learn how to play Kubb (Swedish yard game), 9 square in the air, bags, sand volleyball, or bocce ball.
- 3-4 p.m. Dining Service student employment orientation**
Banquet Room, Jackson Campus Center
Become familiar with the Evelyn Young Dining Room and Market Place
**Only for Dining Service student employees (must attend one of the two sessions)*
- 3-4:30 p.m. Auditions for Gustavus Dance Company & Apprentice Dance Company**
Kresge Studio, Schaefer Fine Arts Center
Audition for the dance companies at Gustavus. Students do not need to prepare anything in advance for the audition but should arrive at the studio dressed to take a dance class (bare feet preferred).
- 5:30 p.m. Groups 23-44: Dinner with your Orientation Group**
Evelyn Young Dining Room
- 5:45 p.m. Groups 1-22: Dinner with your Orientation Group**
Evelyn Young Dining Room
- 7-9 p.m. "You. Me. We." Lund Arena**
"You. Me. We." is a social justice initiative built to provide new students with a forum to discuss the transition to college as it relates to social issues and pluralism. Through a performance presented by the GTC dramatic dialogues, you will have an opportunity to see how culture shapes our identities and to discuss how our common, yet varied human spirits impact the lens by which we see the world.

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Old Main was the only building on the Gustavus campus upon its completion in 1876. It has served the school in many capacities since that time—kitchen and dining rooms, student rooms, classrooms, and office space. Totally remodeled in 2005, it is now the home of the Classics, Philosophy, Political Science, and Religion departments as well as the Chaplains' Office. Some “surprises” that popped up during the renovation process were rediscovering the box where the rope that rang the clock tower bell once hung, the arched doorways in the hallways on the second and third floors, and two large cisterns underground in the basement.

9 p.m. Diversity Center Open House

Diversity Center, Lower Level, Jackson Campus Center

We invite you to stop by the Diversity Center. During your visit, you will have an opportunity to learn more about the various student organizations whose missions align with the fundamental principles of social justice, including efforts that promote diversity, equity, and inclusion.

10 p.m. Blackout Improv

Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall, Johnson Student Union

Blackout Improv is a mix of comedy, social justice, and arts access. The performers seek to create comedic dialogue around serious truths. We promise a comedy show that will entertain you while we address current events.

11 p.m. Grocery Bingo *Evelyn Young Dining Room, Jackson Campus Center*

Traditional Bingo with extra fun and prizes!

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

7 a.m.–8 p.m. Evelyn Young Dining Room open *Jackson Campus Center*

9:30 a.m. Final Orientation Group Meeting *regular group location*

11-11:30 a.m. Academic Success Sessions (Session BLOCK 1)

Classes begin tomorrow! Are you prepared? Choose one of these sessions to get you on the right track. Feel free to grab lunch from the Market Place and bring your tray.

Impressing Your Profs *Heritage Banquet Room*

A panel of faculty will share their expertise about what it takes to do your best in college and answer questions you have about how to do well in your first semester of college.

“How I Get Good Grades” *Three Crowns Banquet Room*

An upperclass student panel of high achievers in the classroom will share tips and answer questions on how they maintain their commendable GPAs, balance schoolwork and a personal life, and survived their transition to college-level academics.

Organizing Your Time and Your Backpack *St. Peter Banquet Room*

Center for Academic Resources and Enhancement (CARE) staff will teach you some practical time management tips and stress-reducing organization skills, building on what you have found works in the past and what upperclass students recommend.

Writing Your Way to Success *President's Dining Room*

Writing papers can be difficult and frustrating for many students throughout their college careers. The Writing Center is here to help. Meet the writing tutors, learn how to make appointments, and play games that will help you know what to expect for collegiate writing.

11:45 a.m.–

12:15 p.m. Academic Success Sessions (Repeated)

The same sessions are offered in the same locations (see above) so you can attend more than one. Feel free to grab lunch from the Market Place and bring your tray.

SUSTAINABILITY AT GUSTAVUS

How do our actions and utilizations of resources affect not only ourselves in the here and now, but those around the world and in the future? Living sustainably is not only an individual effort, but a local, regional, and global community effort. Here at Gustavus, sustainability is an essential part of our college's core values of service, community, justice, excellence, and faith.

What does this look like at Gustavus?

Renewable energy sources: solar thermal, solar electric, and wind electric installations found at various buildings around campus

Recycling: Single sort bins in all academic buildings and dorms; discount when using reusable mugs/to-go containers in the Caf and Courtyard Cafe

Composting: All food waste and compostable containers are processed in our full composting facility, located at the Big Hill greenhouse

Big Hill Farm: Student-run garden, greenhouse, aquaponics, and hydroponics located on campus, fully functioning year-round and providing the Marketplace with fresh produce.

What can you do?

THINK before you throw - where should this go?

KNOW what energy you are using, make an effort to turn off lights/excess sources, and take advantage of energy-savers, such as Gusties on the Go bike rental

USE and REUSE the GustieWear containers available in the Marketplace if you need food to go

REMEMBER that special items have specific recycling places - batteries to the library, cardboard broken down next to bins, compost in the Campus Center

CONNECT with campus departments and orgs, such as Gustavus Greens, Climate Justice Coalition, Linnaeus Arboretum to learn more!

12:15–
1:20 p.m. **Student Employment Orientation and Training**
Meet with your new supervisor to learn the ins and outs of your student employment position and take care of the initial scheduling of your shifts. See your assignment card for your meeting location.

1:30 p.m. **Reading in Common Discussion**
Orientation Group Meeting Location
Join your group, Gustie Greeter, and FTS/Three Crowns faculty member to discuss the Reading in Common book selection. This session will help you get acclimated to classroom discussion.

2:30-5 p.m. **First Term Seminar and Three Crowns Curriculum Meetings & Advising**
Orientation Group Meeting Location
** Three Crowns Curriculum will meet in the Three Crowns Banquet room.*

5 p.m. **Class of 2022 Group Photo** *Hollingsworth Field*
(rain location: Lund Center)
Celebrate your status as an official member of the Class of 2022 with a group photo! The Office of Alumni and Parent Engagement invites you to join us on the football field to receive your complimentary, exclusive Gustavus Class of 2022 t-shirt. Your class will then put on their shirts and get together for a class picture together on the field.

8 p.m. **The Life of a Gustie Athlete** *Beck Hall*
This session is for all student-athletes who plan on participating in a winter and/or spring sport. Come meet your future teammates and athletes from other sports and learn about ways first-year athletes can succeed as college student-athletes.

YOU MADE IT! Spend this evening relaxing and preparing yourself for classes tomorrow. Although orientation is over, your relationship with your Gustie Greeter is not. Continue to utilize them as a resource and friend throughout this first year. Your Greeter will stay in touch with you and will plan more activities for your orientation group to enjoy. Check "Your First 100 Days" calendar for opportunities to connect with others and acclimate to the Gustavus community!

INTRODUCING YOUR GUSTIE GREETERS

A Gustie Greeter is an experienced Gustavus student who serves as a student member of the orientation staff within the Campus Activities Office. As a staff member of the Division of Student Life, Gustie Greeters have the responsibility of acclimating new students and their families to Gustavus Adolphus College, including, but not limited to, the following activities:

- promoting engagement with the College and its various resources
- encouraging academic excellence
- communicating College expectations
- creating an inclusive environment
- serving as a support person to new students and families as necessary

Success of Gustavus's orientation program is dependent upon the performance of each Gustie Greeter as they fulfill responsibilities and support other staff members and students.



Johnson Student Union was originally a gymnasium at the College, completed during the 1921-1922 school year. The current first floor was a regulation-sized basketball court. Above the court was a balcony for spectators and above that was a third level with a running track. A handball-squash court and swimming pool were in the lower level, currently The Dive, and portions of the original walls are still in place. Come and check out this little piece of Gustavus history.



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Philosophy



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Senior 2019
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Carrie Bather

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Communication Studies



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Edina, Minn.
Environmental Studies and
Religion



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Junior 2020
Alexandria, Minn.
Elementary Education



Adam Bogen

Senior 2019
Wausau, Wis.
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Noah Carlson

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LALACS



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Sophomore 2021
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Elementary Education



Zach Croonquist

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Religion



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Junior 2020
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History



Greta Dupslaff

Junior 2020
Harris, Minn.
Geography and LALACS



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Environmental Studies



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Lawrence Hiquiana

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Political Science



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Environmental Studies



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Biology



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Music Education



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Statistics



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Mankato, Minn.
Communication Studies



Carly Miller
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Brainerd, Minn.
Biochemistry and Spanish



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Senior 2019
Okoboji, Iowa
Communication Studies and
Theatre



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Apple Valley, Minn.
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Spanish



Nicholas Piram
Senior 2019
Eagan, Minn.
Biology



Paige Reiners
Junior 2020
Stillwater, Minn.
Chemistry and Music



Amy Rose
Junior 2020
Minnetonka, Minn.
History



Lindsey Schmidt

Junior 2020
Bloomington, Minn.
Nursing



Michelle Simms

Senior 2019
Inver Grove Heights, Minn.
Biology and Religion



Caitlin Steffen

Senior 2019
Baxter, Minn.
Music and Communication
Studies



Rebecca Steffen

Sophomore 2021
South Saint Paul, Minn.
Mathematics and Statistics



Joren Tengesdal

Senior 2019
Appleton, Wis.
Psychological Science



**Alexander Theship-
Rosales**

Senior 2019
Chanhassen, Minn.
Environmental Studies



Riley Thoen

Senior 2019
Bloomington, Minn.
Biology



**Grace Tibben-
Lembke**

Junior 2020
Reno, Nev.
Environmental Studies

CONSULT YOUR FIRST 100 DAYS CALENDAR

for more information and a schedule of events throughout the fall semester!



TICKETS

Many campus events will require a ticket for admission. To receive complimentary or student-priced tickets, you must first set up an account by visiting gustavustickets.com. Log in on the left hand side using your Gustavus e-mail and password.

INFORMATION FOR YOU

The Book Mark *Campus Center, Lower Level*

Hours during Orientation

Friday, August 31	10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Saturday, September 1	10 a.m.–4 p.m.
Sunday, September 2	10 a.m.–4 p.m.
Monday, September 3	10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Tuesday, September 4	8:30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Did you pre-order your books online? Stop by the Board Room on the upper level of the Jackson Campus Center during store hours to pick up your order.

Health Service *Campus Center, Lower Level*

Regular Hours (Call x7630 or stop in to schedule appointments)

Monday–Friday	8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
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Urgent and Emergency Services

The River's Edge Hospital and Clinic offers Urgent Care Services.

Urgent Care Hours

Monday–Friday	12–7:30 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m.–4 p.m.

The St. Peter Clinic (Mayo Health Systems), the Daniels Health Center (Mankato Clinic), and River's Edge Clinic are also available to see students. Appointments can be made at the St. Peter Clinic by calling 507-931-2110, or the Daniels Clinic at 507-934-2325, or River's Edge Clinic at 507-931-2200.

Students should be prepared to show their insurance card at any location.

Student Employment

Look...

for a Student Employment Assignment card in your orientation check-in folder. If the assignment card says you need to do an I-9 or W-4, see Financial Aid staff in the Jackson Campus Center during their regular business hours (8 a.m.–4:30 p.m. daily).

Meet...

your supervisor on Monday, September 3, at 12:15 p.m. for further information and employment orientation. Dining Service employees must attend one of two sessions offered Sunday. Then, sign up for shifts on Monday at 12:15 p.m.

Parking Permits

Campus Safety *Basement of "A" Wing, Norelius Hall; ext. 8888*

All students who wish to park on campus are required to register their vehicles and display a current parking permit. Never park in a visitor's lot; you are a student now!

You will need your Gustavus email user name and password, and your vehicle license plate and description. Permits are \$270 each. Permit parking enforcement begins 7 a.m. on the first day of classes, Tuesday, September 4. If you applied online for a parking permit, you will find it in your campus mailbox.

Campus Safety is reachable 24/7. Call 933-8888 with any questions.

Gustavus is a tobacco-free campus.

Paying Fees

Student Accounts Office *Jackson Campus Center*

Regular business hours, including check cashing services

Monday–Friday 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

Three Crowns ID Card Office

Campus Center Upper Level, Dining Service Office Suite

Hours during Orientation

Friday, August 31 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

Regular business hours

Monday–Friday 9–11:30 a.m.

Technology Services (computer) assistance

Gustavus Technology Services is here throughout orientation and beyond to help you with all your technology needs. Staff will be available in Residence Halls or by telephone helpline at x6111 or at 507-933-6111.

Friday, August 31	Helpline 507-933-6111	8 a.m.–4:45 p.m.
	Residence Halls	11 a.m.–3 p.m.
Saturday, September 1	Helpline 507-933-6111	10 a.m.–4:45 p.m.
Sunday, September 2	Helpline 507-933-6111	11 a.m.–6 p.m.
	Residence Halls	2:30 p.m.–5 p.m.
Monday, September 3	Helpline 507-933-6111	8 a.m.–8 p.m.
	Residence Halls	12–5 p.m.

Banking

Saint Peter has four local banks in the downtown area. Mankato has branch offices of TCF, US Bank, and Wells Fargo among others. If you wish to set up a new account, you may visit any of the locations.

Cable Television

Students may sign up for service with Mediacom, the cable television provider for campus. Also available free of charge is online streaming television through the Gustavus website at gustv.gac.edu. This service provides local networks only.

Print and Mail Services *Campus Center Lower Level*

You have been assigned a campus post office box. Your post office box assignment and combination were emailed to you and are available through WebAdvisor.

Regular business hours, including package pick up:

Monday–Friday 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.

TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS

For a ride in Saint Peter:

The Saint Peter Transit provides service from campus to various stops within Saint Peter. Discounted tickets are available to students. Stop by the Information Desk to learn about transit options.

For a ride to the airport:

Mankato Land to Air provides service to/from the Minneapolis/St. Paul airport with multiple shuttles daily. Discounted tickets for students and a complete schedule are available at the Information Desk.

For a ride to the Twin Cities:

Use the Land to Air service mentioned above to be dropped off at the airport. You don't need to be flying to use this service. From the airport, catch mass transit or arrange for someone to pick you up!

Weekend Shuttle:

This service provides multiple stops on campus and in Saint Peter from 10 p.m. –1:30 a.m. on Friday and Saturday nights. Sponsored by Student Senate.

ACADEMIC SUCESS SESSIONS

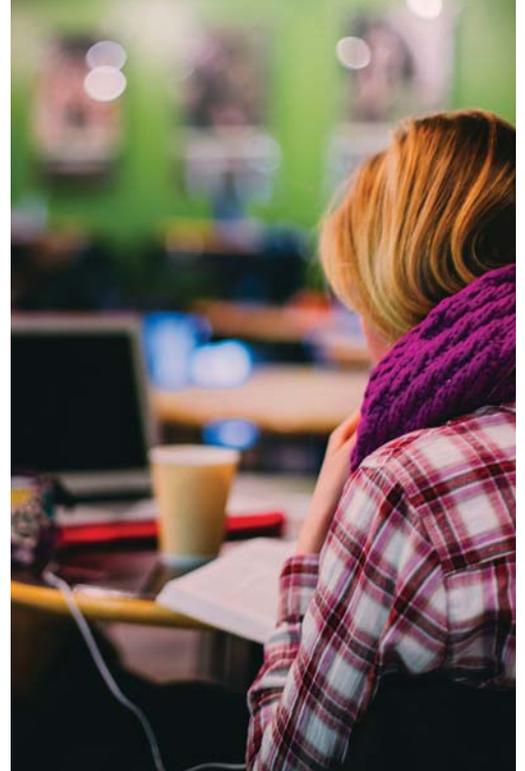
REFLECTION AND NOTES

Impressing your Profs _____

How I Get Good Grades _____

Organizing your Time and Your Backpack _____

Writing Your Way to Success _____



GUSTIE ACTIVITIES AND TRADITIONS

With an average of 50 events organized by the College during any given week and 100+ active student organizations, students have many avenues to express their ideas, stretch their minds, and find a niche at Gustavus.

Weekly Campus Activities and Conversations Can Include:

- Academic and career panels and lectures
- Student, faculty, and visiting artist music recitals
- Religious services: Lutheran, Catholic, as well as ecumenical, interfaith, and contemplative opportunities
- Popular music bands
- Multicultural and foreign language film series
- Intramural and intercollegiate athletic events
- Open microphone nights for student poetry, music, and comedy
- Visiting scholar lecture series
- Dances in the Dive
- Volunteer opportunities

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Campus Activities Office
800 West College Avenue
Saint Peter, MN 56082
507-933-7598 | gustavus.edu

SAVE THE DATES



OUTDOOR CONCERT

Harbour

Friday, September 7

8 p.m. | Eckman Mall



SATURDAY NIGHT IN LUND

Headphone Disco

Saturday, September 8

10 p.m.-1 a.m. | Lund Arena

Free food and drinks!

Various student groups sponsor fun, late-night activities in Lund Center on Saturdays.



INVOLVEMENT FAIR

Student Involvement Fair

Tuesday, September 11

4-6:30 p.m. | Eckman Mall

Over 100 student organizations will showcase what they do on- and off-campus and ways to get connected.



OUTDOOR MOVIE

Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom

Friday, September 14

9 p.m. | Arboretum near the Borgeson Cabin

Free popcorn and drinks!

CAB sponsors free movies twice a month in Wallenberg Auditorium, Nobel Hall. Showings are at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday nights.