

FIRST-YEAR *Orientation*

STUDENT SCHEDULE

All TCNJ administrative offices are open until 4:30p to meet families and answer any questions you have! Please reference the campus map on the orientation folder for locations, and visit the Lions Resource Fair as several offices and departments will have representatives available there to connect with.

9:00-9:45a Check-In

Brower Student Center Atrium

Pick up your finalized agenda for the day, group information, and your TCNJ ID Card. Students who did not submit an approved photo by the June 30 deadline will have an opportunity to take a photo at this time (card pick-up will take place in the Brower Student Center Lobby starting at 4:00p).

9:00-10:15a Lions Resource Fair

Brower Student Center, Second Floor

Representatives from the following offices/departments will be available to answer questions and share how their corner of campus helps our students live their best lives:

Campus Police; Career Center; Center for Global Engagement; Co-Curricular & Leadership Development; Collegiate Recovery Program; Counseling & Prevention Services (CAPS); Dining Services; Gitenstein Library; Human Resources (Student Employment); P.R.I.D.E. Mentoring Program (PMP); Religious & Spiritual Life; Residential Education & Housing; ROTC; Student Accounts; Student Conduct & Off-Campus Services; Student Health Services; Student Life; Title IX & Sexual Misconduct; Tutoring Center.

9:00-10:15a Campus Tours

Departs from Brower Student Center

Led by the Orientation Leaders, enjoy this brief tour of the academic and student support buildings on campus. This tour will not include residence halls.

10:30-11:15a Morning Meet-Ups

See Handout for Locations

Join your Orientation Leader and other incoming new students for some activities and an overview of the day's events!

11:30a-12:00p Welcome & Advising Overview

Brower Student Center 225

Hosted by your advisors in the Center for Student Success, this session will include reviewing your fall schedule and important information about the upcoming semester.



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12:15-12:45p Future Academic School Sessions

Various Locations

Connect with members of the academic school that you will matriculate into for the Spring 2024 semester and the rest of your time at TCNJ.

School of the Arts & Communication, Art & Interactive
Multimedia 102

School of Business, Business Building Lounge

School of Education, Education 107

School of Engineering, Armstrong 136

School of Humanities & Social Sciences, Library
Auditorium (Lower Level)

School of Nursing & Health Sciences, Trenton Hall 004

School of Science, STEM 102

Center for Student Success (Undeclared- General),
Brower Student Center 225

12:45-1:30p Lunch

Atrium at Eickhoff Hall

Grab lunch in our main dining hall on campus and eat with your group! Don't forget to pick-up a meal ticket in the Brower Student Center from 9:00-10:15a after check-in. Due to our summer schedule, Eickhoff Hall is operating on a limited menu and station rotation.

Afternoon Sessions

Students and families have different needs at this point in the transition, and our goal is to have you leave campus after orientation with your questions answered and concerns eased. Please attend whatever sessions and events listed below will do just that! If you came with guests, we highly encourage you to split up to attend as many as possible.

1:30-4:00p See a Residence Hall Room

Various Locations

Living on campus next year? Orientation Leaders will escort families in small groups, and be available outside to answer questions about life as a residential student. We will show a room in each of the following halls: **Allen; Centennial; Cromwell; Norsworthy; Travers; and Wolfe.** You will not be able to see the specific room you selected during the housing process. Rooms will be shown continuously during this time, however due to high volume please be prepared to wait.

1:45-2:15p Paying The Bill... and More!

Kendall Hall, Main Stage

In addition to collecting tuition and fees, our Office of Student Accounts also manages the billing calendar, parking services, TCNJ ID Card, auxiliary access, and various insurance programs (health and tuition). This session is a must attend to learn more!

2:30-3:00p What Comes Next?

Kendall Hall, Main Stage

Co-hosted by Student Transitions, the Office of Residential Education & Housing, and the Office of Records & Registration, this session will provide helpful information about the rest of the summer transition (Welcome Week), FAQs about move-in and living on campus, and broader academic-related topics (course registration; FERPA; academic calendar; mid-year progress reports; etc.)

3:15-3:45p Career Center Overview

Kendall Hall, Main Stage

We know one of the reasons students and families choose TCNJ is due to our outcomes, and the Career Center is critical to that effort! This overview will include their mission, how they help students, and examples of events and programs hosted throughout the academic year.

3:15-3:45p Building Inclusive Relationships as a First-Year Student

Brower Student Center 225

Finding parts of TCNJ to make it feel more like home is incredibly important. The Division of Inclusive Excellence will share opportunities to explore cultural traditions and experiences that are both new and familiar while, most importantly, understanding the difference between "fitting in" and finding a true sense of belonging to the campus community.

3:45-4:30p Root Beer Floats

Brower Student Center Atrium


Make a float and end your orientation day mingling with other new Lions! Hosted by the Office of Student Life (Recognized Organizations; Fraternities & Sororities; Club & Intramural Sports).


4:00-4:30p ID-Card Pick-Up


Brower Student Center Atrium

If you took a photo on-campus this morning, you may pick up your TCNJ ID Card between 4:00-4:30p.

**SEE YOU IN
AUGUST!**

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