

Orientation Program for New Students – Fall Semester 2018

Day	Date	Time	Event	Location
Thursday	August 23	Starts at 8:00 a.m.	Residential Halls Open (Check in)	AUS Campus
		9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	File Completion and General Information Tables	Rotunda, Main Building Senate Room
Friday	August 24	3:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Student Affairs, Student Residential Life (dorms) information tables	Rotunda, Main Building
		5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Welcome Session for New Students and parents	Main Building, Ground Floor Main Auditorium
		6:30 p.m.	Reception/Information Tables	Rotunda, Main Building
Saturday	August 25	9:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Placement Tests (Multiple Sessions)	Testing Center, Library Building
		10:30 p.m. – 1:00 P.m.	TOEFL Test	
		12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Office of Student Affairs Open House Activities: competitions, video games	Student Center Atrium
Sunday	August 26	9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Academic Life at AUS • Welcome by the Vice Provost • Presentations by AUS Library, IT, Academic Support Center, and Office of International Exchange Programs • Academic policies	Main Auditorium, Main Building
		11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Parent Awareness Session Presentation on transitioning from high school to college, college terminology, getting information about student progress, support services for students, due process	Main Auditorium, Main Building
		11:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Placement Tests (Multiple Sessions)	Testing Center, Library Building
		1:00 pm & 1:30 p.m.	Library Tour: Win an iPad Mini	Library
		6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Student Affairs Freshman Dinner Reception	Student Center Atrium
		Monday-Thursday	August 27-30	9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
		10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (every 30 minutes)	Library Tour: Win an iPad Mini	Library
Monday	August 27	9:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Placement Tests (Multiple Sessions)	Testing Center-Library Building
		12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Club activities: Movie and popcorn	TV Lounge, Student Center
		5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Student Affairs: City Tour–Sharjah*	Gathering at Student Center
Tuesday	August 28	9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Placement Tests (Multiple Sessions)	Testing Center-Library Building
		1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Succeeding at AUS Presentation on personal responsibility, AUS's expectations of students, time management and AUS resources	Main Auditorium, Main Building
		2:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	College Guidance Program	College of Architecture, Art and Design (CAAD) AD1, CAAD Building College of Arts & Sciences (CAS) Hall B, Main Building College of Engineering (CEN), Main Auditorium, Main Building School of Business Administration (SBA) Hall A, Main Building
		2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Club activities: Talent show, karaoke and baby foot competition.	Student Center Atrium
		2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Student Council Treasure Hunt	Starts at Student Center
		4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	New Student Athletics Orientation	Sports Complex
		Wednesday	August 29	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
		11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	New Student Registration	Academic Buildings
		2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Club activities: PS FIFA Tournament	Student Center Atrium
		5:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Student Affairs: City Tour–Dubai*	Gathering at Student Center
		6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Club Activities	Student Center
Thursday	August 30	9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	New Student Registration (continued)	Academic Buildings
		2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	New International Students (From outside UAE) information Session	Main Building, Main Auditorium
Sunday	September 2	As scheduled	First Day of Classes	Academic Buildings
All Week	August 27-30	10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Student Affairs: Tour Facilities and Sports Teams Registration	Sports Complex

*New students who wish to join the Sharjah and Dubai City tours must register at the Student Center Information Desk and collect their ticket. Students must bring their tickets and AUS IDs on the day of the trip to be able to board the bus.