
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION
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Office Hours

Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. We are closed on all federal and state holidays.

Important Dates/Upcoming Events

August 28th – Tuition and Fees are due
September 7th – Labor Day (No Class)
October 12th – Fall Breather (No Class)
October 13th – Faculty Inservice (No Class)
October 19th – Registration Advising Begins
October 24th – Family Day
November 25th – 27th – Fall Break (No Class)
December 9th – Study Day Only Night Classes Meet

Diplomat List

Do you have a question about life in the U.S. concerning weather, living off campus, shopping, clothing, etc.? Ask anyone of our wonderful, outstanding Diplomats listed below. They will be more than happy to answer your questions.

Now, if you have questions regarding immigration regulations or policy please refer them to Greg wymegr@mstate.edu or Janet hohenst@mstate.edu

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Sunday, August 16th
King Hall 110

1:00pm

Check – In

Please bring passport, I-20 or DS-2019, visa and I-94. We will be filling out paperwork and making photocopies for your social security application and your file. (extra help to make copies)

Introduction

Introduction of International Programs Staff, Diplomats, and SOCs?

Q & A

Questions and Answers to and from the Diplomats and ISO Board members. Time for the unanswered questions you have been waiting for.

Immigration Basics

Greg will speak up about the immigration basics of staying in status while here

Life in the US

Jobs on and off campus, Social Security Credit Cards and Money, Health care.

5:00pm

Dinner

(Let students know to bring check, money and paperwork with them in the morning for the Business Office. Also, to bring their immunizations forms, records and X-rays if you have done the TB test in your country.)

Monday, August 17th
King Hall 110

9:00 – 12:00 am

Accuplacer Testing
Mandatory for all students.

Location to be announced

12:00 noon

Lunch

1:00pm – 1:30pm

Public Safety
Mike Parks, Director of Security
Weather alerts, parking and general safety issues

1:30pm – 2:00pm

Plagiarism
Belle Nelson will give a great informational session on plagiarism

2:30 pm – 3:00pm

Affinity Tour: Open checking accounts and ask questions. If you want to open accounts at this time bring Student ID, Passport, Money and I-20.

4:30

Pizza

More information to follow please keep checking back as page will be updated.

Subject to change and be updated.