# **2024 FLYTE ORIENTATION WEEKEND INFO PACKET**



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## **Introduction**

This information packet has everything you need to know about FLYTE Orientation Weekend. If you have any questions, please email us at FLYTE@du.edu or call our main line at 303-871-2372.

Recommended: Utilize the [interactive Campus Map](https://map.concept3d.com/?id=64#!ce/827?ct/829,831,832?s/), [PDF Parking Map](https://www.du.edu/sites/default/files/2023-08/parking-map.pdf), or a navigation app (like Google Maps).

There will be meal options for vegan, gluten-free, and nut free dietary needs.

## **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1**

### **Sunday, September 1 Move-In Loading & Parking Information**

Utilize street parking or park in the below lots by using the QR code (sent separately to your email).

**Centennial Halls:** Load on S High St. and park in [Lot 103N (access from S High St).](https://maps.app.goo.gl/moLVgZHMpsdhuALa6)

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**Dimond Family Residential Village:** Load on S Race St or E Asbury Ave. Park in [Lot E (access from S High St).](https://maps.app.goo.gl/YCJFSJqXXTNKaxfT6)

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**J-Mac (Johnson-MacFarlane):** Load on E Iliff Ave. Park in [Lot H2 (the bottom ramp, access from E Iliff Ave)](https://maps.app.goo.gl/ipkRah2Uwt98DfAH8).

[Please see more information about these and OTHER dorm Loading Zones on Parking Services’ website.](https://www.du.edu/parking/parking-locations-and-maps)

You may park in Lot 103N, H2 or E if you are moving into a different dorm (ex: TLC or Nagel).

### **Sunday, September 1 Schedule**

#### Key:

KRH = Katherine A. Ruffatto Hall (the building where the L.E.P. lives)

CCOM = Community Commons (where the dining hall is located)

#### Scheduled Events:

**9:00 AM – 12:00 PM: Move-In**.

*Description: You must start moving into your dorm between 9:00 and 12:00. Pick up your dorm keys at the front desk of your dorm. Pick up your FLYTE folder outside your dorm at our table.\**

*\*If you are moving into TLC or Nagel, we will have your folder for you at our Sturm welcome table before Welcome to the L.E.P. (around 12:30pm).*

*12:00 – 1:00 PM: Free Time. Eat lunch at a local restaurant, continue to move in, or do what you need to do.*

**1:00 – 2:00 PM: Welcome to the L.E.P.**

*Description: L.E.P. leadership will welcome you to campus and provide information about the L.E.P. and FLYTE.*

Location: [Sturm](https://maps.app.goo.gl/6eWYkymx5QKBzwJo7) 248 - Davis Auditorium

*2:00-2:30 PM: Transition Time*

##### Students Sunday Afternoon Schedule

**2:30 – 3:00 PM: Peer Leader Cohort Meetings**

*Description: Meet your Peer Leader and cohort and learn about the afternoon rotations.*

Location [KRH](https://maps.app.goo.gl/CPTTqd9iFFA7Cs1d8) Rooms

**3:00 – 4:30 PM: Student Rotations – in KRH**

*Description: Rotate through 3 sessions of your choice from:*

* **Mindfulness**
	+ *Description: Mindfulness and meditation activities for neurodiverse students. These sessions are offered throughout the term, so come see what they're like!*
	+ Location: KRH 401
* **Let’s Walk About It**
	+ *Description: Explore your new surroundings and make connections with peers, all while promoting emotional well-being, boosting mood, energy, and alertness and decreasing stress!*
	+ Location: KRH 105
* **There’s a Time and a Place for Everything**
	+ *Description: Manage your academic, social, and personal commitments with ease. You’ll find that there’s time and a place for everything you want to do at D.U.*
	+ Location: KRH 409
* **College Decision Making 101**
	+ *Description: College is a new experience. There is a lot of pressure and anxiety to fit in. Reflect on assumptions about college life, set goals, and think about how to be your most authentic self at D.U.*
	+ Location: KRH 408
* **Craft 1: Bracelets**
	+ *Description: Make a friendship bracelet.*
	+ Location: KRH 302
* **Craft 2: Paper Crafts**
	+ *Description: Make a name sign, coloring pages, or fold origami.*
	+ Location: KRH 304

*4:00 – 6:00 PM: Free Time.*

**6:00 – 8:00 PM: Peer Leader Cohort Dinners**

*Description: Get to know your Peer Leader cohort, navigate the dining hall, and share a meal.*

Location: CCOM Dining Hall

##### Families Sunday Afternoon Schedule

**2:30 – 3:35 PM: Family Rotations – in Sturm**

*Description: Check folder for your PINK or YELLOW schedule for the following sessions:*

* **Executive Function Skills in College**
	+ *Description: Join the L.E.P. Executive Function Coach, Jesse Ruderman, as he presents information about Executive Function Skills in College.*
	+ Location: [Sturm](https://maps.app.goo.gl/6eWYkymx5QKBzwJo7) 248 - Davis Auditorium
* **Supporting Your Student’s Independence**
	+ *Description: Meet L.E.P. leadership and learn how to support your student’s independence in college.*
	+ Location: [Sturm](https://maps.app.goo.gl/6eWYkymx5QKBzwJo7) 251

**3:45 – 4:30 PM: Family Round Table**

*Description: Engage in a facilitated conversation with other families about the transition to college.*

Location: [Burwell Center](https://maps.app.goo.gl/qZ4EXPYrdgGtpicaA) 120, 220, 340 *(Check folder for your GREEN, BLUE, or PURPLE schedule)*

## **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2**

### **Monday, September 2 PARKING INFORMATION**

Utilize street parking or park in the below lots by using the QR code (sent separately to your email).

**OPTION 1:** [Lot E (access from S High St).](https://maps.app.goo.gl/YCJFSJqXXTNKaxfT6)

**OPTION 2:** [Lot C (access from S High St)](https://maps.app.goo.gl/RFRW5qRFaAKXTaxaA).

### **Monday, September 2 Schedule**

**Scheduled Events**

8:00 – 9:00 AM: Optional Breakfast in the Dining Hall. Pick up a breakfast ticket from us inside the main CCOM door (east entrance).

**9:00-10:00 AM: L.E.P. Tutoring 101**

*Description: Hear an overview of LEP Tutoring services, Expectations of Students, and how to schedule tutoring from our Tutoring Coordinator, Kendra Richard, and LEP Tutors.*

Location: [Sturm](https://maps.app.goo.gl/6eWYkymx5QKBzwJo7) 248 – Davis Auditorium

10:00 – 11:30 AM: Drop-In Sessions

* **Campus Partner Tabling Event**
	+ *Description: Learn more about D.U. campus partners who work with L.E.P. students. Included option: Campus tours.*
	+ Location: [KRH](https://maps.app.goo.gl/CPTTqd9iFFA7Cs1d8) Outdoor Classroom
* **L.E.P. Tutoring Meet & Greet and Accudemia Tech Support**
	+ *Description: Meet L.E.P. Tutors and learn how to use Accudemia.*
	+ Location: [KRH](https://maps.app.goo.gl/CPTTqd9iFFA7Cs1d8) 305, 306

**11:30 – 1:00 PM: Lunch in the Dining Hall**. *Pick up a lunch ticket from us inside the main CCOM door (east entrance).*Peer Leader Cohorts will eat lunch together. Families are invited to connect with each other!

##### STUDENTS MONDAY AFTERNOON SCHEDULE

**1:00 – 2:00 PM: "What I Wish I Knew” Student Panel**

*Description: Ask anonymous questions to a panel of L.E.P. Peer Leaders who will share stories, tips, and “what they wish they knew” before arriving at D.U.*

Location: [KRH](https://maps.app.goo.gl/CPTTqd9iFFA7Cs1d8) 106

**2:00 – 3:30 PM: “Get Plugged In” Drop-In Sessions and Tech Support**

*Description: Explore our Peer Leaders’ favorite activities on and around campus and find ways to get connected.*  *Learn how to use RTD for free, get to the mountains to ski, find other sports fanatics and much more!*

Location: [KRH](https://maps.app.goo.gl/CPTTqd9iFFA7Cs1d8) 4th Floor

*3:30 – 6:00 PM: Free Time.*

**6:00 – 9:00 PM: LEP@Night**

*Description: Eat dinner, hang out, and play yard games and tabletop games with other L.E.P. students and Peer Leaders.*

Location: Outside Dimond and KRH

##### FAMILIES MONDAY AFTERNOON SCHEDULE

**1:00 – 2:00P M: L.E.P. Q&A Panel**

*Description: Ask your questions to a panel of L.E.P. Academic Counselors and a Peer Leader.*

Location: [Sturm](https://maps.app.goo.gl/6eWYkymx5QKBzwJo7) 248 – Davis Auditorium

**2:00 – 3:30 PM: Family Reception**

*Description: Mingle with L.E.P. Director, Jim Bailey, and Interim Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs and Inclusive*  *Excellence, Stu Halsall, as well as other L.E.P. families, over dessert. “Cash” bar – credit card only!*

Location: [CCOM](https://maps.app.goo.gl/4mDNkTSL4z9ubdKc7) 4th Floor Overlook

## **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3**

**Tuesday, September 3 Parking Information**

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**Parking Options** ([Check the Move-In Day webpage for additional information](https://studentaffairs.du.edu/housing/move-day))

Note: D.U. is turning High St into a one-way northbound street with no parking from Evans Ave to Buchtel Blvd on Tues, Sept 3. We strongly encourage you to take an alternative route to avoid the traffic and long lines on High St on Tues, Sept 3.

1. Free street parking available in surrounding neighborhoods
2. Many lots will be open for parking due to move-in
3. Pay to park in [visitor lots or meters around campus](https://www.du.edu/parking/parking-locations-and-maps)

### **Tuesday, SEPTEMBER 3 SCHEDULE**

**Scheduled Events**

**8:00 AM – 2:00 PM: Meet and Greet with Your Academic Counselors** (KRH Offices)

*Specific 15-minute time slots will be assigned to each student and communicated via email. Families are welcome to attend these meetings.*

*Available from 9:00 PM – 2:00 PM:*

* **Waiting room – KRH 450A**
* **Student Disability Services Drop-in Support – KRH 435**
* **Executive Function Office Hours with Jesse Ruderman – KRH 417 (Jesse’s office)**
* **Tutoring Office Hours with Kendra Richard – KRH 442 (Kendra’s office)**

[Check out the Discoveries Orientation Schedule](https://studentaffairs.du.edu/orientation/discoveries) – programming starts on Tuesday afternoon.