ROAD
May 2016 Registration, Orientation, and Advising Day
Luther College, Decorah, Iowa

REGISTRATION ACTIVITIES
FOR ALL STUDENTS
8:45–9:15 a.m. Check-in and Orientation
Center for the Arts Atrium
Jenson-Noble Recital Hall
to the Academic Experience
Hear an overview of a liberal arts education, with specific comments on choosing a major, understanding the role of a faculty advisor, and regulations covered by FERPA (Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act).

9:30–10 a.m. Group Advising Session
In a small-group setting, you will be introduced to Luther’s academic program with specific information about the fields of study listed below. You should attend the session that will best answer questions you have about potential courses for your first year.

- Business ................................................................. Location TBD
  (Accounting, Economics, Management)
- Elementary Education ............................................ Location TBD
  (If you are interested in Secondary Education, you should attend the meeting for the academic field in which you want to teach.)
- Health, Physical Education, Athletic Training ........ Location TBD
  (Exercise Science, Wellness)
- Humanities ............................................................. Location TBD
  (Art, Classics, English, Philosophy, Religion, Dance, Modern Languages, Theatre, Intermedia Arts)
- Mathematics and Computer Science ....................... Location TBD
- Music ................................................................. Location TBD
  (Includes Music Education, all levels)
- Nursing ................................................................. Location TBD
- Science ................................................................. Location TBD
  (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)
- Social Science ....................................................... Location TBD
- Still deciding ....................................................... Location TBD

TAKE TIME TO EAT!
All dining options are available for students, parents, relatives, and friends. Meals are on your own.

Student Cafeteria
Dahl Centennial Union lower level
Breakfast (7–8:30 a.m.), $6/person
Lunch (11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.), $6/person
Dinner (5–6:30 p.m.), $8.35/person

Lunch tickets are for sale downstairs in the Dahl Centennial Union at 8 a.m.

Oneota Market
Dahl Centennial Union ground level
7:30 a.m.–3 p.m.
A la carte items
REGISTRATION ACTIVITIES FOR ALL PARENTS

8:45–9:15 a.m. Welcome and Introduction  Dahl Centennial Union, Peace Dining Room

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9:15–10 a.m. Preparing for a Successful Transition  Dahl Centennial Union, Peace Dining Room

The Dean for Student Life will welcome you to the Luther family and share ideas about trends related to young adults. Most importantly, you will be provided key insights on how to best prepare for your student’s transition to Luther and your transition to being a Luther College parent. Additionally, you will be provided general information about New Student Orientation.

REGISTRATION ACTIVITIES FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS

8:15 a.m.–4:45 p.m. Book Shop  Dahl Centennial Union

Have you purchased the Paideia I Summer Reading book, We Are All Completely Beside Ourselves by Karen Jow Fowler?

12–4 p.m. First-Year Residence Halls Open House

You will be notified of your room assignment the first week in August.

10:15 a.m. Campus Tour  Dahl Centennial Union, Admissions Office

STUDENTS, AS FITS YOUR SCHEDULE

8–8:45 a.m. ID/Access Card Photo  Dahl Centennial Union, and 10:15 a.m.–4 p.m. Dining Services Suite (lower level)

INFORMATION TABLES

These offices and services will be represented in the Preus Library from 10:15 a.m.–4 p.m.

- **Book Shop**—Textbook ordering information and explanation of the online price comparison tool. Both topics result in student savings. Copies of the summer reading text is available for purchase in the library and in the Book Shop.

- **Computers and Technology**—Learn about buying a computer, getting onto the internet via ResNet, and utilizing technology at Luther. Pick up a Welcome Guide with steps to get free anti-virus and your computer on Luther’s network.

- **Connect for Success**—Learn about this three-day pre-orientation seminar. It is an orientation to Luther’s academic and campus culture, and a great start to a successful college experience.

- **Custodial Services**—If assigned to custodial services, leave your schedule and contact information at this table.

- **Dining Services**—Information about meal-plan options, dining dollars, campus dining locations, special dietary accommodations, sustainability, local foods, and student work, if assigned.

- **Disability Services/Academic Support**—Information on transitioning to college with an IEP, 504, chronic health condition, or other accommodation requests. Learn about tutoring, time management, and academic skill building through the Student Academic Support Center.

- **Financial Aid/Student Employment**—Turn in financial aid documents. If assigned work, pick up and complete Section I of the I-9 form. A staff member will complete Section II. You must present two forms of identification. The list of acceptable documents can be found on the Federal I-9 form link at www.luther.edu/work-study/forms/. State and Federal W-4 forms will also need to be completed at this time.

- **Office for Financial Services**—Drop off Work Credit and Monthly Payment Plan forms. Staff members can answer questions about your Statement of Account and can receive payments.

- **Residence Life and Health Service**—Answers to questions regarding first-year housing, residence hall basics, roommate selection process, room assignments and suggested items to bring or leave at home.

- **Luther College Center for Sustainable Communities**—Make a smaller footprint! Explore the Driftless area and learn how you can get involved at Luther creating a more sustainable campus and world for us all! At this table you will find lots of information on Luther’s local food initiatives, transportation alternatives, green energy commitments, and zero-waste initiatives. Interested in learning more about the natural landscape? Love adventure? Here you will also find information on the pre-orientation Immersion Trips. Sign up to receive ongoing information for student work and leadership programs in Sustainability.