Room Key/ID
Inside this booklet is your ID card and an envelope that contains your room key. This booklet also provides important information for getting you off to a great start at Luther!

About Orientation
Orientation is designed to help you make a successful transition into the Luther community. During new-student orientation, you will learn more about Luther and the college’s academic and community expectations; you will have the opportunity to interact in meaningful ways with other new students, faculty, and staff; you will acquire some of the tools necessary to be successful in college; and you will begin to map your future. Orientation is intentionally structured to help you not only meet these goals, but also have some fun along the way!

Throughout this schedule, we have identified core components of the orientation experience with a check mark ✓. These are events we expect you to attend! Events that are repeated are indicated in the schedule; select the date/time that best works for you. We suggest you use the blank □ to assist in planning your personal schedule.

Latin in seal: The word of God abideth forever.
Friday, August 28

The Book Shop in Dahl Centennial Union (main level) is open today, 8:15 a.m.–4:45 p.m.

If you are in town, you can join us in front of Dahl Centennial Union at 7:30 p.m. for a walk to Whippy Dip. Whippy Dip is an ice cream shop that is popular with many college students. It is within easy walking distance and is a great study break in the fall and spring. Remember to bring a little cash! (An ATM is available in the Dahl Centennial Union.)

Saturday, August 29

☐ 7:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m. Nordic Brew (pastry and coffee shop) Dahl Centennial Union lower level
☑ 8:30 a.m. Residence halls open
☐ 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m. ID Photo Dahl Centennial Union lower level
☐ 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m. Technology Help Desk computer consultation See Appendix III for locations/times
☐ 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. Book Shop open Dahl Centennial Union main level
☐ 9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. Applied voice lesson auditions/interviews sign-up begins See Appendix II for details

All new students taking voice lessons must sign up at Jenson-Noble Hall of Music 123. Auditions will run through Tuesday, September 1.

☐ 10:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m. College offices open Dahl Centennial Union, Main Lobby

A representative from the following offices will be available to assist you: Health Services, Residence Life, Student Life, and Financial Aid/Work Study. You will be able to purchase a laundry card, and register your car and/or bicycle.

In addition, the following offices are open: Financial Services (Main Building 118)—pay bill, put money on NordiCash; Financial Aid (Main Building 27)—turn in I-9 and any other appropriate forms; Mail Center/Student Post Office (Dahl Centennial Union main level)—check student post office box (SPO) and pick up any packages; Dining Services (Dahl Centennial Union lower level)—get ID photo taken if haven’t already done so, review meal plan options; Health Service (Larsen Hall, south entrance)—drop off any forms, store medication if necessary.
11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m. Zero Waste Picnic — Bentdahl Commons
Luther is committed to environmental sustainability. The Zero Waste picnic’s goal is to generate as little waste as possible; we will reuse, recycle, or compost what we can. In an effort to promote allergy awareness, the menu for the picnic will be naturally free of milk, eggs, wheat, soy, shellfish, peanuts, tree nuts, and gluten.

There is no charge for the Zero Waste picnic for Luther students on the board plan. For nonstudents, there is a charge of $8.50 for adults, $4 for children ages 5–10, children under 5 free. Meal tickets may be purchased beginning at 10 a.m. in front of Dahl Centennial Union or beginning at 11:30 a.m. at Bentdahl Commons. (Rain location: Dahl Centennial Union Cafeteria).

12:00–2:00 p.m. Instrument checkout — See Appendix II for details
2:30 p.m. A Luther Welcome — Center for Faith and Life (CFL), Main Hall
President Paula Carlson, campus staff, College Ministries, and student orientation leaders will officially welcome you to the Luther community.

3:30 p.m.* Class photo for students — Farwell Clearing
3:30 p.m.* Reception for parents — Bentdahl Commons
*Immediately following the Luther Welcome

5:00 p.m. Brandt: floor meeting followed by dinner — CFL, Main Hall
All Brandt students are expected to be on their floors at this time for a meeting followed by dinner with RA and floormates.

5:00 p.m. Ylvisaker and Olson: dinner followed by floor meeting — CFL, Main Hall
All Ylvisaker and Olson students are expected to be on their floors at this time to go to dinner as a group; floor meetings with your RA and floormates follow.

7:00 p.m. Brandt, Olson, and Ylvisaker floor meetings

8:00 p.m. Lights, Camera, Action, a backstage pass to life at Luther — CFL, Main Hall
Are these professional actors or RAs? You won’t want to miss these hilarious skits and movies. You might even learn a thing or two about our policies and procedures!

9:00 p.m.* Celebrate Community! — CFL, parking lot
Music, dancing, food, and friends in the CFL parking lot. Join us for a great Decorah tradition of dancing to the music of Western Home String Band with caller Robin Nelson. Make new friends, enjoy pizza, learn a few steps, or just come and
hang out. Hosted by College Ministries and the Nena Amundson Lifetime Wellness Program. (Rain location: Dahl Centennial Union, Marty’s)

*Immediately following Lights, Camera, Action.

**Sunday, August 30**

- **10:00 a.m.**
  - Sunday morning worship  
  - CFL, Main Hall  
  - Join the Luther Student Congregation for our Sunday morning worship. Every Sunday morning we gather for Scripture, Holy Communion, and music from around the world and across the ages. Meet RAs and other students from your residence hall at your hall’s service center at 9:45 a.m. to walk to worship together.

- **10:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.**
  - Brunch  
  - Dahl Centennial Union, Cafeteria  
  - See Appendix III for details

- **11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.**
  - Technology Help Desk computer consultation  
  - See Appendix III for details

- **11:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.**
  - Book Shop open  
  - Dahl Centennial Union

- **11:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.**
  - Choir auditions begin  
  - See Appendix II for details

- **12:30–4:00 p.m.**
  - Norse Course  
  - Bentsdale Commons  
  - Join your floormates for some fun as you walk the Luther campus to find interesting facts at various locations. Your RA will provide you with instructions as to what time your floor will begin and where to meet. Will last approximately one hour.

- **1:00–4:30 p.m.**
  - Concert Band and Wind and Percussion Ensemble auditions  
  - See Appendix II for details

- **1:00–4:30 p.m.**
  - Varsity Band check-in  
  - See Appendix II for details

- **5:00 and 6:30 p.m.**
  - Welcome social hour  
  - Dahl Centennial Union, Peace Dining Room  
  - This annual event welcomes you to the Luther community and introduces you to President Paula Carlson and other campus leaders. A great opportunity to make new friends and build our community. 5 p.m.—Brandt residents; 6:30 p.m.—Ylvisaker and Olson residents. Dress: business casual.

- **8:00–9:00 p.m.**
  - ComedySportz  
  - CFL, Main Hall  
  - The Student Activities Council (SAC) invites you to share a laugh with them during this fun-filled event featuring the Minneapolis-based ComedySportz team. You will also meet the SAC Executive Board. Free admission.
9:00 p.m. Sunday night worship—Focus Bentdahl Commons (rain location: CFL, Recital Hall)
Join the Luther Student Congregation for Focus, our Sunday night student-led worship! Every Sunday night we gather for music, drama, prayer, and words from a variety of speakers.

Monday, August 31

9:00–10:30 a.m. First Paideia session
This Paideia session will be your first academic class at Luther. Come prepared to get to know your classmates, explore your expectations of a Luther education, and discuss your assigned summer reading, Cristina Henríquez’s *The Book of Unknown Americans*.

10:45–11:45 a.m. Academic advising sessions: major/departmental information
Choose the departmental advising session that most closely reflects your choice of major (at least today). If you are undecided, attend the “undecided” session.

- Accounting, Economics, Management ........................................................................................................... Franklin W. Olin Building 102
- Africana Studies ........................................................................................................................................... Koren 218
- Biology ........................................................................................................................................... Valders Hall of Science 206
- Chemistry ........................................................................................................................................... Valders Hall of Science 375
- Classics, Biblical Languages .......................................................................................................................... Main Building 218
- Communication Studies ............................................................................................................................... Franklin W. Olin Building 208
- Computer Science ........................................................................................................................................ Franklin W. Olin Building 105
- Elementary Education .................................................................................................................................... Koren 217
  (If you are thinking about going into secondary education, you should attend the session related to the field in which you want to teach.)
- English ......................................................................................................................................................... Main Building 111
- Environmental Studies .................................................................................................................................. Valders Hall of Science 367
- Health, Physical Education, and Athletic Training ....................................................................................... Regents Center 218
- History .......................................................................................................................................................... Main Building 112
- International Studies ................................................................................................................................. Larsen Hall Classroom 120
- Mathematics ............................................................................................................................................... Franklin W. Olin Building 106
- Modern Languages (French, German, Russian Studies, Nordic Studies, Spanish) ........................................... Main Building 212
- Music/Music Education ............................................................................................................................... Jenson-Noble Hall of Music, Noble Recital Hall
- Nursing ....................................................................................................................... Valders Hall of Science 262
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- Psychology ............................................................................................................ Main Building 217
- Religion .................................................................................................................. Main Building 217
- Sociology/Anthropology/Social Work .................................................................... Koren 120
- Visual and Performing Arts (Art, Dance, Theatre) .................................................. Center for the Arts 119
- Women and Gender Studies .................................................................................. Koren 117
- Undecided/Still Deciding ....................................................................................... Center for Faith and Life Recital Hall

☐ 11:45 a.m.–12:45 p.m. Student accompanist auditions begin See Appendix II for details
☐ 11:45 a.m.–12:45 p.m. Jazz Orchestra and Jazz Band auditions begin See Appendix II for details
✓ 1:00–3:30 p.m. The Luther Way See below

A series of three programs you will rotate through to learn more about the Luther community and what it means to be a part of this special place. Hear from members of the Luther community—students, faculty, and staff.

Rotation A: What is consent? The Sexual Misconduct Policy
Center for the Arts (CFA), Jewel Theatre
Rotation B: How do you live your life at Luther?
Valders Hall of Science 206
Rotation C: Working with academic integrity and the Honor Code at Luther
CFL, Recital Hall

Brandt East, Brandt Third Center, and transfer students begin with Rotation A in the CFA Jewel Theatre, then B, C.
Ylvisaker residents begin with Rotation B in the Valders Hall of Science 206, then C, A.
Brandt West and Olson residents begin with Rotation C in CFL Recital Hall, then A, B.

☐ 4:00–5:00 p.m. Regents Center tour Regents Center, Main Lobby
Learn about the general facilities at the Regents Center, court usage, swimming pool, intramurals, and recreational services.

☐ 4:00–4:30 p.m. String players mandatory meeting See Appendix II for details
☐ 5:00–5:30 p.m. Legends Center tour Regents Center, North Lobby
Visit the Legends Center and learn about weight training, cardiovascular equipment, and the climbing wall.

☐ 5:30 p.m. Ultimate Frisbee Farwell Clearing
Meet members of LUFDA (men’s team) and FREYA (women’s team) as they introduce you to this popular Luther pastime.
Thursday, September 1

**7:30–9:00 p.m.**  “Building the Luther Community”—Dr. Maura Cullen  CFL, Main Hall
We are caught in times of political correctness, where saying the right thing is worlds away from doing the right thing. You will explore race, gender, sexual orientation, age, socioeconomic class, religion, ability, and size discrimination in a lively and interactive format. Dr. Maura Cullen is a favorite of many colleges and universities year after year. Sponsored by the Center for Ethics and Public Life.

**9:00–11:00 p.m.**  Welcome to Luther Dance  Dahl Centennial Union, Marty’s
A great way to meet new friends and relax with a night of music and dancing! Sponsored by Student Activities Council (SAC) Service; free admission.

**Tuesday, September 1**

**8:45 - 9:30 a.m.**  Meet your Advisor—advisor with last name A–K  Dahl Centennial Union, Peace Dining Room
Conversation with your academic advisor, who will explain the role of a college advisor and the expectations for meeting during the fall semester. Your advisor’s last name is on the label on the front of your orientation booklet, or you may call the Registrar’s Office at 563-387-1167 to find this name. The advisor you meet with this morning will remain your advisor for the fall semester. Bring your fall calendar and a pen to make note of two things: the time of your one-on-one meeting with your advisor later this week, and the times your advisor will set aside to meet with the entire group throughout the fall. Advisors’ times will vary; overall you should plan on meeting with your advisor 3–4 times throughout the semester.

**9:45 - 10:30 a.m.**  Meet your Advisor—advisor with last name L–Z  Dahl Centennial Union, Peace Dining Room

**10:30 a.m.**  Dining Services student workers mandatory meeting  various locations
All new students who have a work assignment in any Dining Services food venue are required to attend. Report to the location of your work-study assignment.

**10:30 a.m.**  Custodial student workers mandatory meeting  Valders Hall of Science 206
All new students who have a work assignment in Custodial Services are required to attend.

**11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.**  Activities Fair  Bell Green, near Bentdahl Commons
Learn about the various clubs and organizations on campus. Group members will be present to explain the purpose and activities of their organization. Sponsored by Student Activities Council. (Rain date: Thursday, September 3).
1:00 or 2:00 p.m. Show of Hands...Be Counted! Valders Hall of Science 206
Required for all first-year students. What are your expectations as you begin college? Luther faculty and staff want to know! Complete The CIRP Freshman Survey, designed especially for you to share your expectations. Olson, Ylvisaker, and all fall athletes, regardless of your residence hall, should attend at 1:00 p.m.; Brandt Hall will attend at 2:00 p.m.

1:00 or 2:00 p.m. Financial information session CFL, Main Hall
Required for all students. Attendance will be verified. This session will provide important information on work study, financial aid renewal, academic progress requirements, and rights and responsibilities for loan recipients. Brandt Hall and transfer students should attend at 1:00 p.m. Olson and Ylvisaker Halls will attend at 2:00 p.m.

☐ 4:00–6:00 p.m. Orchestra placement auditions begin See Appendix II for details
☐ 4:00–5:30 p.m. Ballroom/Swing dancing CFA, Atrium
Members of Luther Ballroom/Swing Club will provide a brief lesson to get you dancing!

4:30 p.m. Disc golf Meet at the sand volleyball courts next to Ylvisaker Hall
Check out Luther’s disc golf course! Discs will be provided.

7:00–8:30 p.m. Desserts in Decorah various locations in the community
One of the favorite orientation events of students, faculty, and staff. Students are invited into the homes of members of the Decorah community for a fun meet-and-greet gathering. This is an excellent opportunity for students to make early connections and learn more about Decorah. Your RA will provide additional information regarding meeting and host locations.

Wednesday, September 2

☐ 8:00 a.m. Classes begin

☐ 10:30–10:50 a.m. Weekday chapel (MWF)—“With Good Courage” CFL, Main Hall
Join us as we gather in community to begin the semester with a chapel conversation titled “With Good Courage,” reflecting on all the biblical encouragement to not be afraid. Built right into the class schedule, weekday chapel is at the heart of Luther’s mission as a community of faith and learning—a time for community building, dialogue, and renewal. Faculty, staff, students, and guests serve as chapel speakers, musicians, and artists.
Do you have questions about why the novel ends the way it does? Or what the author imagines happens to the characters? Or how the author chose to tell the stories that she did? Come with those questions and join Cristina Henríquez, author of *The Book of Unknown Americans*, in a lively and engaging discussion of the book. A book signing will follow the discussion.

Thursday, September 3

- **9:30 a.m.**  
  New-student procession  
  Bentdahl Commons  
  All first-year and new transfer students are asked to gather at Bentdahl Commons near the Center for Faith and Life for a new-student procession to Opening Convocation. (In case of inclement weather, go directly into the CFL and be seated on the main floor in the center sections.)

- **9:40 a.m.**  
  Opening Convocation  
  CFL, Main Hall  
  The community gathers to mark the beginning of the new year with a faculty procession and official welcoming of new students into the community. Cristina Henríquez, author of the acclaimed novel *The Book of Unknown Americans*, will be this year’s convocation speaker. *Please note that this is also the first Paideia lecture of the year.*

- **8:30 p.m.**  
  Student Senate information sessions  
  Brandt, Olson, and Ylvisaker Hall main lounges  
  Student Senate is the primary means for student participation in the governance of the Luther College community. One first-year student representative from each of the first-year halls (Brandt, Olson, and Ylvisaker) is elected to Student Senate. If interested, attend the information session for your specific residence hall. Election applications will be available.

Friday, September 4

- **10:30–10:50 a.m.**  
  Weekday chapel  
  CFL, Main Hall

- **7:00 p.m.**  
  Women’s Soccer vs. UW–LaCrosse  
  Soccer Pitch

- **7:30–9:00 p.m.**  
  Dr. Jim Wand  
  CFL, Main Hall  
  Enjoy some fun entertainment and maybe be on stage with this well-known college-circuit hypnotist! Free with Cocurricular Activities Fee (CAF) or $10 without. For tickets, bring your ID to the Center for Faith and Life Ticket Office.

- **9:15 p.m.**  
  SAC Cinema outdoor film: *Pitch Perfect 2*  
  Bentdahl Commons  
  What is better than a free movie and popcorn? A free movie and popcorn outside! Come join SAC Cinema at Bentdahl Commons.
Commons. After a humiliating command performance at Lincoln Center, the Barden Bellas enter an international competition that no American group has ever won in order to regain their status and right to perform. Grab a blanket and some friends and join us! (Rain location: Valders Hall of Science 206)

* Immediately following Dr. Jim Wand

**Saturday, September 5**

A good day to gather with new friends and enjoy yourself on campus and around Decorah; take a walk to Whippy Dip, play disc golf or volleyball, bike or walk Decorah’s Trout Run Trail, tube down the Upper Iowa River, walk to Dunning’s Spring or Pulpit Rock. Come show your Norse support for home athletic events—be sure to wear your Luther gear! Get complete sport schedules at www.luther.edu/sports/schedule.

- **9:00 a.m.** Women's Tennis vs. College of St. Benedict  
  Wulfsberg Tennis Courts
- **11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.** SAC Fest  
  Farwell Clearing
  Fun activities and picnic lunch. (If raining, SAC Fest will be canceled and lunch will be in the cafeteria.) Sponsored by the Student Activities Council.
- **12:30–2:30 p.m.** Shopping shuttles  
  Meet in front of Dahl Centennial Union
  Hop on a shuttle to explore the many unique shopping opportunities in vibrant downtown Decorah. This shuttle also includes a stop at Walmart. Shuttles depart every 30 minutes.
- **1:00 p.m.** Men’s Soccer vs. UW–Superior  
  Soccer Pitch
- **3:00 p.m.** Women’s Tennis vs. Loras College  
  Wulfsberg Tennis Courts
- **7:30 p.m.** SAC Spotlight presents Hembree  
  Dahl Centennial Union, Marty’s
  Hembree is a five-piece indie rock band from Kansas City. Perhaps the most accurate way to describe Hembree’s sound is that of a 1980s pop band that decided to start an Americana rock band, but they forgot to tell the keyboard player. The result is a compelling and infectious sound. Free with CAF or $10 without.
Sunday, September 6

☐ 9:45 a.m.  Walk to Church worship
   Gather at Bentdahl Commons
   Walk to Church marks the first Sunday that all students have returned to campus. President Carlson and the Rev. Dr. Schattauer will lead a procession into worship from Bentdahl Commons. Meet at your residence hall’s service center at 9:40 a.m. to walk to Bentdahl Commons and then walk into worship as a community.

☑ 12:30 and 1:30 p.m.  Pay it Forward—Together at Luther
   Each year first-year students participate in a community service opportunity. This is our way of connecting you to the community you will call home. You will join your RA and other new students in service to the community Saturday or Sunday, September 12, 13. We know the Luther and Decorah community will be grateful for your efforts! This introductory session will serve as the first step of your service learning opportunity. Your RA will provide you with additional details. Brandt residents at 12:30 p.m.; Ylvisaker and Olson residents at 1:30 p.m. This program is assisted by the Center for Sustainability.

☐ 2:00 p.m.  Men’s Soccer vs. Webster University
   Soccer Pitch
☐ 4:00 p.m.  Women’s Soccer vs. Gustavus Adolphus College
   Soccer Pitch
☐ 4:00 p.m.  Faculty Showcase
   CFL, Main Hall
   Faculty members from the Music Department are featured.

☐ 6:00–7:00 p.m.  Varsity Athletics Fall Kickoff Picnic
   Regents Center Circle (outside)
   All varsity athletes are invited to attend a picnic to meet other athletes and coaches. Your coaches will grill hamburgers and brats; the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) will host the event. Your ID will be swiped for one meal. Come show your Norse spirit! (Rain location: Regents Center, North Gym)

☐ 9:00 p.m.  Sunday night worship—Focus
   CFL, Main Hall

Friday, September 11

☐ 7:30 p.m.  SAC Spotlight presents Dred I Dread
   Dahl Centennial Union, Marty’s
   Dred I Dread is a Minneapolis, Minn. based Reggae Band. The Band features talented musicians that come from Jamaica, New Orleans, Minnesota, and Turkey. Free with CAF, or $10 without.
Saturday, September 12

- 9:00–11:30 a.m. Pay it Forward Activity—Group A
- 11:30 a.m. Cross Country All-American Invitational
- 1:00–3:30 p.m. Pay it Forward Activity—Group B
- 1:00 p.m. Football vs. St. Olaf College

Valders Hall of Science 206
north of Regents Center
Valders Hall of Science 206
Carlson Stadium

Sunday, September 13

- 1:00–3:30 p.m. Pay it Forward Activity—Group C

Valders Hall of Science 206

Tuesday, September 15—Secondary Education Information

- 9:45 a.m. Secondary education

Koren 217

Anyone interested in teaching history, science, mathematics, or English to middle or high school students should attend. Please note: this session is not for students who plan to major in elementary education and get a middle school endorsement.

Orientation Questions?
Call Student Life (563) 387-1020 or email students@luther.edu.
## Appendix I—Paideia Information

Paideia Sessions locations

**Monday, August 31, 9:00–10:30 a.m.**

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Appendix II—Music Information

Applied voice lesson auditions/interviews
All new students taking voice lessons must sign up at Jenson-Noble Hall of Music 123. Sign up for an audition/interview time as soon as possible after arrival on campus; appointments begin Saturday, August 29, at 9 a.m. and run through Tuesday, September 1. All new voice students at Luther must have a brief voice audition/interview—it is required, whether or not you have a voice scholarship. The purpose of this audition/interview is to place you in a studio and to give you guidance in your vocal study. You should have a prepared selection for the audition. An accompanist will be provided; bring a copy of your selection to the audition.

Choir auditions—general information
The selection for choir auditions is the hymn “My God, How Wonderful Thou Art,” Evangelical Lutheran Worship Book #863. A pdf file of the hymn is available online at www.luther.edu/music/auditions/ensembleauditions. Scores will be available at the audition; it is not necessary to obtain one beforehand.

Be certain you check the exact time for choir auditions listed. If you are planning to audition for the first-year women’s choir (Aurora) or the first-year men’s choir (Norsemen), keep the following times free on your class schedule: MWF 1:30–2:30 p.m. Some women may be invited to audition for Cantorei, which rehearses Monday, 4:00–5:00 p.m. and Tuesday and Thursday, 4:15–5:15 p.m.

Choir auditions schedule
Choir auditions will be held on Sunday, August 30, and Monday, August 31, in Jenson-Noble Hall of Music. Please attend the audition date and time for your specific voice part and the first letter of your last name. If you have a conflict during your scheduled time, attend one of the other sessions. The room locations are listed below.

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Instrument checkout
Students needing to use a Luther College instrument, should check in with the music faculty member in their studio on Saturday, August 29, between 12 p.m. and 2 p.m. See room assignments below.

Varsity Band information
Varsity Band students do not need to audition, but must check in with the music faculty member in their studio on Sunday, August 30, between 1 and 4:30 p.m.

Concert Band and Wind and Percussion Ensemble auditions
Stop by the studio listed below for specific instructions and to sign up for your audition.

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<th>Sunday, August 30, 1–4:30 p.m.</th>
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<td>Clarinets, Saxophones</td>
<td>Jenson-Noble Hall of Music 192</td>
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<td>Trumpets</td>
<td>Jenson-Noble Hall of Music 167</td>
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Please note: Some students may be requested to participate in a band audition on Tuesday, September 1. Sign-up sheets will be posted on the studio 168 door.

String players mandatory informational meeting
Meet in Jenson-Noble Hall of Music Orchestra Room on Monday, August 31, at 4 p.m. for a brief Q & A session with members of the Luther College string faculty. Topics will include orchestra placement auditions, orchestra rehearsal schedules, private lessons, registering for lessons, studio seminars, chamber music, instrument lockers, practice room policies, and music scholarships. Attendance is required for all first-year and transfer string players.

Orchestra placement auditions
Sign up for an audition time at Jenson-Noble Hall of Music 213. Auditions will take place in the Orchestra Room in Jenson-Noble Hall of Music.

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<th>Tuesday, September 1</th>
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<td>flutes, oboes, clarinets, bassoons, French horns (Symphony Orchestra and/or Chamber Orchestra)</td>
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Wednesday, September 2  2:45–7:00 p.m.  violins, violas, cellos, string basses
   (Symphony Orchestra, Chamber Orchestra or Philharmonia)
Wednesday, September 2  8:30–10:30 p.m.  trumpets, trombones, tubas, percussionists
   (Symphony Orchestra and/or Chamber Orchestra)
Thursday, September 3  2:45–7:30 p.m.  violins, violas, cellos, string basses
   (Symphony Orchestra, Chamber Orchestra or Philharmonia)

**Jazz Orchestra and Jazz Band auditions**
Sign up for an audition time at Jenson-Noble Hall of Music 163. Auditions will take place in the locations listed below.

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<th>Time</th>
<th>Instrument</th>
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<td>Monday, August 31</td>
<td>11:45 a.m.–12:45 p.m.</td>
<td>bass and drums</td>
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<td>3:15–5:00 p.m.</td>
<td>trumpets</td>
<td>Noble Recital Hall</td>
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<td>5:15–7:00 p.m.</td>
<td>trombones</td>
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<td>Tuesday, September 1</td>
<td>10:45 a.m.–12:45 p.m.</td>
<td>saxophones</td>
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<td>piano and guitar</td>
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<td>5:30–6:30 p.m.</td>
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**Music theory testing, ear training, and piano placement information**
Students enrolling in MUS 121 or MUS 131 should have taken an online music theory placement exam prior to registration. Test scores determine the appropriate theory section for each student. If you have not yet taken the exam, please do so prior to any further class registration by logging in at [http://road.luther.edu](http://road.luther.edu). Questions about theory placement should be directed to Brooke Joyce, brooke.joyce@luther.edu, (563) 387-1386.

Students interested in piano should have taken an online piano placement exam prior to registration. If you haven’t taken the exam please do so by logging in at [http://road.luther.edu](http://road.luther.edu). Questions about piano placement or about the piano program in general should be directed to Du Huang, huandu01@luther.edu, (563) 387-1056.

**Student accompanist auditions**
Students interested in serving as accompanists with the music department are encouraged to sign up at Jenson-Noble Hall of Music 157 for an audition time. Audition information is posted outside Room 157, where the auditions will take place.

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Appendix III—General Information

Bike registration
Register your bike to help with recovery in case of theft. You can register online at www.luther.edu/sustainability/transportation/bikeregistration. Bicycle registration is required for all bikes placed in winter storage at Luther. Keep your bicycle locked.

Car registration
If you brought a car to campus, you need to register your vehicle and pick up a parking permit at the Welcome Center in Dahl Centennial Union. Failure to do so will result in your vehicle receiving a ticket(s).

Health information
Registration is not considered complete until students have on file at the Health Service a record of a physical examination and up-to-date immunizations, along with a signed legal consent form. The physical exam must be done within one year prior to college entrance. Meningococcal vaccination is strongly recommended for college students living in residence halls, particularly first-year students. Vaccinations are available through the Luther College Health Service, call (563) 387-1045.

ID photo
If you have not yet had your ID photo taken, please go to the Dining Services Office in the lower level of Dahl Centennial Union.

Technology Help Desk computer consultation
Technology Help Desk personnel will be available at the following times in the lobbies and service center areas of Brandt, Ylvisaker, and Olson halls to provide individual consultation on Internet connections in the residence halls: Saturday, August 29, 9 a.m.–3 p.m., and Sunday, August 30, 11 a.m.–1 p.m. All assistance after Sunday, August 30, will be provided by appointment. Contact the Help Desk at (563) 387-1000. Visit www.luther.edu/helpdesk/resnet for more information and self-help guides.

Pioneer photo book
Please stop by the Student Activities Office, main level Dahl Centennial Union, for upcoming portrait dates.
An Insider’s Guide to Key Terms, Acronyms, and Abbreviations

The Caf—Luther’s dining hall
CAF—Cocurricular Activities Fee
CAL—Christmas at Luther
Chips—Luther’s student-run newspaper
CFA—Center for the Arts
CFL—Center for Faith and Life
CRH—Center Recital Hall (in CFL)
FREYA—Norse Goddess of love, beauty, gold, and war (Women’s Ultimate Frisbee)
KATIE—Luther’s web-based Learning Management System (LMS)
KWLC-AM—Luther’s student-run radio station
LIS—Library and Information Services
LUFDA—Luther Ultimate Flying Disc Association (Men’s Ultimate Frisbee)
NordiCash—money that can be used at a variety of places on campus with your student ID card
NorseKey—your student username and password
NRH—Noble Recital Hall (in Jenson–Noble)
PAC—Performing Arts Committee

Paideia—the ancient Greek word for education; Luther’s core academic program
RA—Resident Assistant
SAC—Student Activities Council
SASC—Student Academic Support Center
SOS—Student Organization Suite
SPO—Student Post Office
SRC—Sports and Recreation Center (in Regents Center)
SSS—Student Support Services