The attached envelope contains your ID card and room key. Students are expected to have their ID in their possession at all times.

This booklet provides important information for getting you off to a great start at Luther! Throughout this schedule, we have identified core components of the orientation experience with a check mark ☑. We expect you to attend these events. The online schedule can be found at: luther.edu/new-students/orientation.

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Dear Neighbor,

Welcome home! On behalf of Luther College, we are so glad you are here! As you begin a new chapter of your life’s journey we would like to remind you that you are uniquely YOU! As Mister Fred Rogers says, “You’ve made this day a special day, by just your being you. There’s no person in the whole world like you; and I like you just the way you are.” We humbly request that instead of comparing yourselves to your peers, you appreciate your own gifts, talents, strengths, and stories you bring to the Luther neighborhood. We encourage you to learn and appreciate difference from your classmates, staff, and faculty.

Mister Rogers was a minister turned American television personality that spoke of kindness and responsibility in the world. Your orientation theme this year is a quote from Mister Rogers: “Look for the helpers. You will always find people who are helping.” At Luther, we want you to look for the helpers in Student Life, Counseling Services, Student Academic Support Center, Disability Services, Residence Life, Safety and Security (the list goes on and on) to assist in your success and transition. We challenge you to engage with resources that can help support you at Luther while navigating personal freedom and responsibility. We hope you pursue your passions as you dedicate yourself to learning. And we pray goodness and blessing upon your new beginning and tenure at Luther College. “Often when you think you’re at the end of something,” Mister Rogers says, “you’re at the beginning of something else.”

Welcome home,
—Your Orientation Staff

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Students auditioning for band, choir, jazz, and/or orchestra please refer to the Music Information section for details about auditions—sign up for auditions as soon as possible in Jenson-Noble Hall of Music.
Saturday, August 31

Trolley rides of the Luther College neighborhood will be available 11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. The trolley will loop from the first-year halls to Dahl Centennial Union.

☑️ 8:30 a.m. Residence halls open

☐ 10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. Technology Help Desk new student assistance See General Information

☐ 10:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m. College office representatives available Dahl Centennial Union, Main Lobby

A representative from the following offices will be available to assist you: Health Service, Residence Life, Student Life, Dining Services (meal plans), and Financial Aid/Work Study. You will be able to purchase a laundry card and register your vehicle.

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, room 8)—get ID photo taken if you 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. Local and sustainable luncheon Dahl Centennial Union lower level, Cafeteria

Please join us for lunch in the Cafeteria as we celebrate the collaboration of local and sustainable foods with our local vendors and farmers. There is no charge for Luther students on the board plan. For non-students, there is a charge of $10 for adults, $5 for children ages 5–10, children under 5 free.

☑️ 2:00 p.m. A Luther Welcome Center for Faith and Life (CFL), Main Hall

President Jenifer K. Ward, campus staff, College Ministries, and student orientation leaders will officially welcome you to the Luther community.

☑️ 3:00 p.m.* Class of 2023 photo Carlson Stadium, Legacy Field

*Immediately following the Luther Welcome

☐ 3:00 p.m.* Reception for parents Bentdahl Commons

*Immediately following the Luther Welcome

Ice cream provided by WW Homestead Dairy. WW Homestead Dairy is nestled in the town of Waukon, Iowa, and provides a variety of local dairy products to Luther College.
5:00 p.m. Brandt: floor meeting followed by dinner
All Brandt students are expected to be on your floors at this time for a meeting followed by dinner with resident assistant (RA) and floormates.

5:00 p.m. Ylvisaker and Olson: dinner followed by floor meeting
All Ylvisaker and Olson students are expected to be on your 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. Welcome to the Neighborhood 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 Welcome to the Neighborhood

Sunday, September 1

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 student leaders at the following meeting locations at 9:45 a.m. to walk to worship:

- Ylvisaker residents meet at the north entrance to Ylvisaker (facing Valders Hall of Science)
- Brandt residents meet at the west entrance of Brandt (facing Dahl Centennial Union)
- Olson residents meet in front of the Martin Luther statue

11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. Technology Help Desk new student assistance See General Information
12:30–3:00 p.m.  Sustained Dialogue Institute  CFL, Main Hall
New students will work with the Sustained Dialogue Institute on how to transform conflictual relationships and design change processes to improve interpersonal relationships. We define dialogue as “listening deeply enough to be changed by what you learn.” Sponsored by the Center for Intercultural Engagement and Student Success (CIES), SAC, Lecture and Fine Arts Committee, and Vice President for Institutional Equity and Inclusion and Student Success.

3:15 p.m.  Nature Norse  Meet at the Luther Bell
Luther College is located in beautiful bluff country surrounded by the Upper Iowa River, trails, scenic overlooks, and breathtaking views. Take time to explore the nature that surrounds campus with a quick walk to Will Baker Park to take in the Pulpit Rock scenic overlook or Dunning’s Spring Park and Ice Cave Hill. Wear sunscreen and dress appropriately!

3:30–4:30 p.m.  Understanding Perspectives: Being Latinx and the Paideia Summer Read  CFL, Qualley Lounge
This hour-long session is for students whose identity directly relates in any way to the topic of the Paideia summer reading, Francisco Cantú’s The Line Becomes a River: Dispatches from the Border. Sponsored by Latines Unides, Luther’s Latinx student organization, and the Paideia Program, the gathering will provide a safe space outside of the classroom for you to discuss openly your responses to the reading and personal experiences, and to affirm your identity as a member of our community. The session will be facilitated by members of Latines Unides, as well as supportive faculty and staff. Refreshments will be provided.

5:30 and 7:00 p.m.  Welcome social hour  Dahl Centennial Union, Peace Dining Room
5:30 p.m.  Ylvisaker first and second floors; Brandt ground, first, and second floors
7:00 p.m.  Olson first and second floors; Ylvisaker third and fourth floors; Brandt third and fourth floors
This annual event welcomes you to the Luther community and introduces you to President Jenifer K. Ward and other campus leaders. A great opportunity to make new friends and learn more about our community. Plan your dinner around your scheduled time.

8:15 p.m.  Sunday night worship—Focus  Bentdahl Commons
Join the Luther Student Congregation for Focus, our Sunday night student-led worship! Every Sunday night we gather for music, drama, and prayer with a variety of speakers sharing the Good News (rain location: CFL, Main Hall).
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 the expectations of a Luther education, and discuss your assigned summer reading, *The Line Becomes a River: Dispatches from the Border*, by Francisco Cantú.

Find the location of your discussion group using the number following your Paideia section.
*Example: PAID-111D-21 is discussion group 21.*

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10:45–11:45 a.m.  Academic advising sessions: Information on areas of study
Choose the advising session that most closely reflects the areas of study you may wish to pursue. If you are still exploring possible majors/minors, a “still exploring” session is available.

- 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/Data Science ...................................................................... Franklin W. Olin Building 112
- 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 Promotion & Exercise Science ........................................................................................... Regents Center 218
- History ........................................................................................................................................ Main Building 112
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- Mathematics ................................................................................................................................ Franklin W. Olin Building 106
- Modern Languages (Asian Studies [Chinese], French, German, Linguistics, Nordic Studies, Spanish) .. Main Building 212
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- Philosophy ..................................................................................................................................... Main Building 211
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- Political Science ........................................................................................................................... Koren 216
- Psychology ..................................................................................................................................... Valders Hall of Science 362
- Religion ......................................................................................................................................... Main Building 217
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- Visual and Performing Arts (Art, Dance, Theatre) ........................................................................... Center for the Arts 119
- Visual Communication .................................................................................................................. Center for the Arts 120
- Women and Gender Studies ......................................................................................................... Koren 117

☑️ 1:00–2:30 p.m. Creating Ties—first-year service project Regents, Main Gym
Service is a core part of life at Luther. Join SAC Service, College Ministries and your entire first-year class in making about 150 fleece-tied blankets to support assistance to refugees through Lutheran World Relief. Lend a hand as we help serve neighbors near and far.

☐ 2:45–3:45 p.m. Ultimate Frisbee Bell green lawn
Meet members of LUFDA (men’s team), Pound (men’s team), and Freya (women’s team) as they introduce you to this popular Luther pastime!
4:30 p.m. Orchestra string players mandatory meeting Jenson-Noble Hall of Music, Orchestra Room
See details in Music Information section.

6:45 and 8:15 p.m. CORE (Culture of Respect and Empowerment)—Norse Care CFA, Jewel Theatre
6:45 p.m. Ylvisaker first and second floors with Brandt ground, first, and second floors
8:15 p.m. Olson first and second floors with Ylvisaker third and fourth floors and Brandt third and fourth floors
Watch student actors perform on topics of consent, healthy relationships, substances, mental health, diversity and inclusion, and being an active bystander. On- and off-campus supports available during and after the performance. Mini snapshot performances will continue monthly throughout the year in the residence halls.

9:50 p.m. Twilight Tours of Luther College Meet at the Luther Bell
See campus in a new light. Explore Luther College with orientation leaders to discover where classrooms are as a nighttime Norse. There may also be glowsticks involved!

10:50–11:15 p.m. Be the Light and Ring the Bell Bentdahl Commons
Join us for a candlelight ceremony as part of a new Norse tradition. Each new student will have the opportunity to ring the bell as your journey begins at Luther College.

Tuesday, September 3
9:00–9:45 a.m. Meet your advisor See below for your location
Please bring your calendar to this meeting so that you are prepared to schedule additional individual and group meetings.

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M 10:00 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.

M 10:00 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.

M 11:00 a.m.–12:30 pm. SAC Activities and Student Organizations Fair Luther Bell Green
Find your passion at Luther! Meet representatives from SAC and other members from a variety of organizations on campus. Sponsored by SAC Executive Board (rain location: Dahl Centennial Union main lobby).

R 1:00–2:30 p.m. Look FOUR the Helpers CFL, Main Hall
Four presentations (20 minutes each) will help you to better understand Luther programs, supports, policies, and their connection to yourself during your time at Luther.

1. Respect and Responsibility in the Neighborhood: CORE Wellness Resources
2. Staying Safe while Being a Good Neighbor
3. Money-wise in Ten Easy Steps
4. “The greatest gift you ever give is your honest self”: Academic Integrity and the Honor Code

R 5:45–6:30 p.m. Namaste Norse Carlson Stadium, Legacy Field
Well-being is an essential foundation for you to be at your best as a student. Join us for a relaxing sunset yoga session with yoga instructor Laree Schouweiler. Laree is the owner of Reefuel in Decorah, where she offers a variety of yoga and indoor cycling classes. In Laree’s spare time she is a mom to two little ones and is the number one fan of the women’s Norse soccer team (rain location SRC, Regents Center)!
Wednesday, September 4

☐ 7:30–8:30 a.m.  First-day-of-school photos by the Bell  Luther Bell
Join Norkie (Luther College Mascot) for a selfie in front of the Bell to remember your first day as a Luther College student! Trust us, your mom will love it! Sponsored by Student Athletic Advisory Committee.

☑ 8:00 a.m.  Classes begin

☐ 10:30–10:50 a.m.  Weekday chapel (MWF)  CFL, Main Hall
Join us as we gather in community to begin the semester with a blessing of the blankets made during Monday’s service project. 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, prayer, and renewal. Faculty, staff, students, and guests share their gifts as chapel speakers, musicians, and artists.

☑ 7:30 p.m.  On-stage Interview with Francisco Cantú, author of The Line Becomes a River  CFL, Main Hall
The author will hold a conversation with an interviewer from the Paideia faculty, based on questions that students and community members have submitted ahead of time. A book signing will follow in the CFL lobby.

Thursday, September 5

☑ 9:30 a.m.  New-student procession  Farwell Clearing
All first-year and new transfer students are asked to gather on the lawn in front of Preus Library 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. Francisco Cantú, author of the summer reading The Line Becomes a River: Dispatches from the Border, will be this year’s convocation speaker. Please note that this is also the first Paideia lecture of the year.
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 provided.

Friday, September 6

- **10:30–10:50 a.m.**  Weekday chapel  CFL, Main Hall
- **7:45–8:30 p.m.**  Sophomore panel  CFL, Recital Hall
  Have so many questions and want answers? Join us (and several sophomore panelists) for an informal conversation to answer those burning questions, like: What happens if I get locked out of my room? Where do I do my laundry? What is the difference between Nordicash and Dining Dollars?
- **8:45 p.m.**  SAC Cinema outdoor film: Aladdin  Bentdahl Commons
  What is better than a free movie and popcorn? A free movie and popcorn outside! Grab a blanket and some friends and join us (rain location: Valders Hall of Science 206)!

Saturday, September 7

- **11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.**  Destination Decorah  Meet in front of Dahl Centennial Union to register for a Book Shop giveaway!
  Decorah, population 8,000, is a warm and vibrant town that offers a charming downtown filled with restaurants, shops, ice cream parlors, and boutiques. As part of a close-knit neighborhood, these shop owners welcome you to stop in, say hello, and maybe even get a free sample or two while you see what services and opportunities they provide. For those in need, a van will be available.
- **7:30–8:45 p.m.**  Dr. Jim Wand  CFL, Main Hall
  Enjoy some fun entertainment and maybe go on stage with this well-known college-circuit hypnotist! Free with Cocurricular Activites Fee (CAF) or $10 without. For tickets, present your ID at the Center for Faith and Life Ticket Office. Sponsored by SAC Entertainment.
Sunday, September 8

- **9:45 a.m.** Walk to Church worship  
  Gather by residence halls listed below  
  The Luther College Student Congregation invites students to “Walk to Church” with President Jenifer K. Ward. The procession will begin at Ylvisaker at 9:45 a.m. and we’ll walk around campus, picking up additional students until we arrive at the CFL for 10:00 a.m. worship.
  
The tradition of walking together to church on the first Sunday of the academic year dates back to Luther’s early history, when the student body met at the president’s house on Sunday mornings to walk to church. Join the campus community as we come together for Walk to Church Sunday!

Join the procession at the following locations: Ylvisaker, Miller, Dieseth, Baker Village, and College Apartment residents meet at the north entrance to Ylvisaker (facing Valders Hall of Science); Brandt, Prairie House, Sustainability House, and off-campus residents meet at the west entrance of Brandt (facing Dahl Centennial Union); Olson, Larsen, and Farwell residents meet in front of the Martin Luther statue.

- **4:00 p.m.** Faculty Showcase  
  CFL, Main Hall  
  Faculty members from the Music Department are featured in a recital.

- **8:00 p.m.** Sunday night worship—Focus  
  Bentdahl Commons  
  (rain location: CFL, Main Hall)

Thursday, September 12

- **9:45 a.m.** Advising session  
  Your advisor will provide details

  This is a required meeting with your advisor. In addition, the last date for students to add a class for the semester is Friday, September 13, so if you are contemplating any change in your schedule, you should consult with your advisor at this time.
Saturday, September 14

2:00 p.m. Welcome to Norse Nation Carlson Stadium, Legacy Field

As part of the Norse Nation, you are invited to come cheer on the Norse down in the Valley in concurrence with Community Day. Wear blue and consider making your favorite Norse a sign (materials available in the Student Organization Suite, Dahl Centennial Union 102). The first 200 students will receive free Norse sunglasses (show proof of student ID upon entrance). Sponsored by Student Athletic Advisory Committee and Luther College Development Office.

Want more? At halftime students from the class of 2023 are encouraged to gather at the south side of the stadium (the walkway between Farwell and the football stadium, near the track) and wait to be presented on the field for a round of applause!

Orientation questions?

Call Student Life (563) 387-1020 or email students@luther.edu.
General Information

Bike registration
Bicycle registration is free and can be completed at the Welcome Center, Dahl Centennial Union first floor. Registration can assist with recovery in case of theft, and is required for all bikes placed in winter storage at Luther. Keep your bicycle locked to a bike rack with a good quality lock.

Vehicle registration
If you brought a vehicle to campus, you need to register it and pick up a parking permit at the Welcome Center, Dahl Centennial Union first floor. Failure to do so will result in your vehicle being ticketed.

Health information
Registration is not considered complete until you have on file at the Health Service a record of a comprehensive physical examination (sports physicals will not be accepted) and up-to-date required immunizations, along with a signed legal consent form. The physical exam must be done within one year prior to college entrance. The meningococcal vaccination is a required immunization. Vaccinations are available through the Luther College Health Service, call (563) 387-1045, fax (563) 387-1053.

ID photo
If you have not had your ID photo taken, please go to the Dining Services Office in the lower level of Dahl Centennial Union, room 8.

Technology Help Desk assistance
Get assistance with technical issues common among new students, including connecting to the wireless and wired networks, setting up 2-Step Verification, installing an anti-virus, and using Luther’s printers. Technology Help Desk personnel will be available in the lobbies and service center areas of Brandt, Ylvisaker, and Olson Halls Saturday, August 31, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Sunday, September 1, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Assistance is also available in Preus Library and by phone at (563) 387-1000; or see luther.edu/library/about/facilities/hours. Assistance is first-come, first-served and is also available to returning students. Visit luther.edu/helpdesk/newstudent for more information and self-help guides.
Dining Services, Book Shop Hours

**Thursday, August 29**
Cafeteria Dahl Centennial Union lower level
Breakfast 7:00–8:30 a.m.; lunch 11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.;
dinner 5:00–6:30 p.m.
Oneota Market Dahl Centennial Union main level
7:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m. (soup/salad bar, grab-and-go items)
Book Shop Dahl Centennial Union main level
8:15 a.m.–4:45 p.m.
ID Photo Dahl Centennial Union lower level,
8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

**Friday, August 30**
Cafeteria Dahl Centennial Union lower level
breakfast 7:00–8:30 a.m.; lunch 11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.;
dinner 5:00–6:30 p.m.
Oneota Market Dahl Centennial Union main level
7:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m. (soup/salad bar, grab-and-go items)
Book Shop Dahl Centennial Union main level
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ID Photo Dahl Centennial Union lower level,
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**Saturday, August 31**
Cafeteria Dahl Centennial Union lower level
7:00 a.m.–7:00 p.m.
Nordic Brew Dahl Centennial Union lower level
7:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m. (pastry and coffee shop)
ID Photo Dahl Centennial Union lower level,
8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m. Dining Services Office (room 8)
Book Shop Dahl Centennial Union main level
9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

_The Book Shop offers more than just textbooks. Stop in to see the selection of fair trade items, Luther apparel, personal items, tasty treats, and school supplies._

Marty’s Dahl Centennial Union lower level
11:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m.

**Sunday, September 1**
Cafeteria Dahl Centennial Union lower level
10:00 a.m.–7:00 p.m.
Book Shop Dahl Centennial Union lower level
11:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

**Monday, September 2**
Cafeteria Dahl Centennial Union lower level
7:00 a.m.–7:30 p.m.
College offices Dahl Centennial Union lower level
throughout campus
8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

**Pre-ordered textbooks**
Pick up your pre-ordered textbooks in the Mott–Borlaug Room on the first floor of the Dahl Centennial Union on Thursday and Friday, August 29–30, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.; Saturday, August 31, 9 a.m.–5 p.m.; or Sunday, September 1, 11 a.m.–5 p.m.
Music Information—Vocal

All events happen in Jenson-Noble Hall of Music.

**Choir auditions**

No individual sign-up needed for choir auditions. Auditions will be held on Sunday, September 1.

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 [luther.edu/music/ensembles](luther.edu/music/ensembles). 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 SSAA choir (Aurora) or the first-year TTBB choir (Norskkor), keep the following times free on your class schedule: MWF 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Please attend the audition 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.

- **Soprano A–H** .... 9:00 a.m. ... Noble Recital Hall (NRH)
- **Soprano I–P** .... 10:00 a.m. .................. NRH
- **Soprano Q–Z** .... 11:00 a.m. ........... Sundt Organ Room
- **Alto A–H** ........ 3:15 p.m. .................. NRH
- **Alto I–P** ............ 3:30 p.m. .................. NRH
- **Alto Q–Z** ............ 4:15 p.m. .................. NRH
- **Tenor** ............ 10:30 a.m. ............... Sundt Organ Room
- **Tenor** ............ 3:30 p.m. ............... Sundt Organ Room
- **Bass** .............. 11:30 a.m. ............... Sundt Organ Room
- **Bass** .............. 3:30 p.m. ............... Sundt Organ Room

Tenor and Bass students: show-up to one of the two times

Callbacks are on Monday, September 2 at 11:45 a.m. in the Noble Recital Hall.

**Voice lesson studio placement auditions**

Sign up for your audition time as soon as possible after arrival on campus, Room 123. An audition is required whether or not you have a voice scholarship. Auditions start Saturday, August 31, at 9:30 a.m. and run through Tuesday, September 3.

The purpose of this audition is to place you with a voice teacher and to give you guidance in your vocal study. You should bring a copy of your prepared selection to the audition. An accompanist is provided.
Music Information—Instrumental

Sign up for your audition time as soon as possible after arrival on campus. All events happen in Jenson-Noble Hall of Music.

Instrument checkout (band)

Students needing to use a Luther College instrument should check in with the music faculty member in their studio on Saturday, August 31, between 12 noon and 2:00 p.m. See room assignments below.

Concert Band and Wind & Percussion auditions

Audition sign-ups at the studio listed below. Auditions are Sunday, September 1, 3:15–5:00 p.m.

- Clarinet, saxophone	Studio 192
- Flute	Studio 170
- Horn	Studio 171
- Oboe, bassoon	Studio 169
- Percussion	Studio 168
- Trombone, euphonium, tuba	Studio 166
- Trumpet	Studio 167

Callbacks—posted on the door of studio 168—will be on Tuesday, September 3.

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, September 1 from 3:15–5:00 p.m.

Jazz Orchestra and Jazz Band auditions

Audition sign up at Studio 163. Auditions will consist of prepared jazz excerpts, a sight-reading example, and improvisation on a jazz standard or blues tune. Prepared excerpts are available as PDFs from your applied instructor or luther.edu/music/jazz-orchestra. Contact Juan Tony Guzmán, guzmanto@luther.edu, or Jon Ailabouni, ailajo01@luther.edu, with questions.

- Bass and drums	Sperati Band Room
- Saxophone, round 1	Studio 195
- Trombone	Sperati Band Room
- Trumpet	Sperati Band Room
- Saxophone, round 2	Sperati Band Room
- Piano and guitar	Sperati Band Room
- Combined rhythm sections	Sperati Band Room
Orchestra placement auditions
Sign up for an audition time at the Orchestra Room. Auditions will take place in the Orchestra Room.

- Flute, oboe, clarinet, bassoon, horn, percussion ............... Tuesday, September 3 ........................................... 3:00–5:30 p.m.
- Violin, viola, cello, double bass ........................................ Wednesday, September 4 ...................................... 2:45–7:00 p.m.
- Trumpet, trombone, tuba ................................................... Wednesday, September 4 ................................. 8:30–10:30 p.m.
- Violin, viola, cello, double bass ..................................... Thursday, September 5 ....................................... 2:45–7:30 p.m.

String players mandatory informational meeting
Meet in the Orchestra Room on Monday, September 2, at 4:30 p.m. for a brief Q&A session with members of Luther’s string faculty. Topics 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.

Music Information—Other
Sign up for your audition time as soon as possible after arrival on campus. All events happen in Jenson-Noble Hall of Music.

Student accompanist auditions
Sign up, audition information, and auditions all take place in Studio 157. Students interested in serving as accompanists with the music department are encouraged to sign up.

- Monday, September 2 ........11:45 a.m.–12:45 p.m. and 4:30–6:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, September 3 ....... 11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

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. Questions about theory placement should be directed to Amy Engelsdorfer, engeam02@luther.edu, or (563) 387-1399.

All music students should have taken an online piano placement exam prior to registration. Questions about piano placement or about the piano program should be directed to Du Huang, huandu01@luther.edu, or (563) 387-1056.
# Athletic Events

These are the August and September home events. For full schedules of each sport go to [luther.edu/sports](luther.edu/sports).

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*streamed at [luther.edu/sports/media](luther.edu/sports/media)
An Insider’s Guide to Key Terms, Acronyms, and Abbreviations

Aurora—choir for first-year sopranos and altos
Bellfie—a Luther Bell selfie; yearly bellfies are encouraged
Bleed Blue Fridays—a tradition to wear blue on Fridays for pride
Bulletin—bi-weekly newsletter emailed to students
The Caf—Luther’s dining hall
CAF—Cocurricular Activities Fee
CAL—Christmas at Luther
CATALYZE—near-peer coaching to help students access resources on campus
CEPE—Center for Ethics and Public Engagement
Chips—Luther’s student-run newspaper
CFA—Center for the Arts
CFL—Center for Faith and Life
CGL—Center for Global Learning
CIES—Center for Intercultural Engagement and Student Success
CORE—Culture of Respect and Empowerment
CRH—Center Recital Hall (in CFL)
FREYA—Norse Goddess of love, beauty, gold, and war; women’s Ultimate Frisbee team
ITS—Information Technology Services
KATIE—Luther’s web-based learning-management system
KWLC—AM—Luther’s student-run radio station
LUFDA—Luther Ultimate Flying Disc Association—men’s Ultimate Frisbee team, competes nationally
NordiCash—money that can be used at a variety of places on campus with your student ID card
Norkie—name of the Luther College Mascot
NorseKey—your student username and password
Norskkor—choir for first-year tenors and basses (translates as “Norwegian choir”)
Orange Day—a cafeteria fave *(macaroni, chicken nuggets, tomato soup, grilled cheese and goldfish)*
NRH—Noble Recital Hall (in Jenson-Noble)
PAC—Performing Arts Committee
Paideia—the ancient Greek word for “education”; Luther’s core academic program
POUND—men’s Ultimate Frisbee team; competes regionally
RA—resident assistant
SAC—Student Activities Council
SAAC—Student Athletic Advisory Committee
SASC—Student Academic Support Center
SOS—Student Organization Suite
SPO—Student Post Office
SRC—Sports and Recreation Center (in Regents Center)
TRIO—program that helps first-generation and income-eligible students reach their potential
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Luther Norse.
I am a citizen of the world.
I am inclusive and compassionate to all.
We value and recognize all faiths.
We are a diverse Community.
I engage in learning beyond my interests.
I display integrity through my actions.
We hold ourselves and each other accountable.
We project Leadership.
I am determined to make the world sustainable.
I possess an open mind.
We show reverence for individuals.
We demonstrate Respect.
We are learning to be well-rounded people.
We are becoming more.
We Are Luther.

Signature Date

Honor Code

PREAMBLE

We, the members of the student body of Luther College, believe that one of the basic functions of an institution dedicated to the Christian faith and engaged in higher education is the development of academic integrity and responsibility. We therefore hereby resolve to uphold individually and collectively the honor of the college by doing all that is within our power to prevent any form of dishonesty in our academic work and our college life.

HONOR CODE

All academic work is based on the understanding that everyone engaged in academic discourse, in research, and in teaching is truthful, diligent, and respectful of the work of others. Without this, no academic community can flourish. Academic integrity is the moral code that builds trust between scholars.

Because of this, students at Luther College first adopted an honor code in 1962 and have affirmed its importance for the academic life at Luther ever since. It is every student’s responsibility to observe the college’s Honor Code by not violating academic integrity, and to protect the Honor Code by reporting any possible cases of violation.

Signature Date

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