



Monday, August 13

Optional Activities

- 5- 6 pm **Welcome Reception-** *Location TBD*
- 5:45 pm **Community Welcome Dinners** – *Meeting location TBD*
 Enjoy a free home-cooked meal in the home of a local family with other international students. You will be driven back to your residence around 8:30pm.

Tuesday, August 14

Mandatory Sessions

- 9 – 9:50 am **Orientation Check-In** – *Location TBD*
 All international students must check-in for the orientation program. Don't forget to sign up for evening activities and shopping trips!
- 9 – 9:50 am **Discover CSU Resource Fair** – *Location TBD*
 Learn more about resources that can support your success at CSU.
- 9:50 am – 10:20am **Small Groups with Cultural Mentors** – *Location TBD*
- 10:20 – 10:30am **International Student Orientation Welcome** – *Location TBD*
 Graduate international students receive an official welcome to CSU.
- 10:30 am **Immigration Information** – *Location TBD*
 Leave with your small groups after the welcome to attend this session.
- 11:40 am **U.S. Safety & Laws** – *Location TBD*
 Learn about personal safety and important laws in the U.S.
- 12:15 pm **Lunch** – *Location TBD (nametag required)*
 Enjoy lunch with other new international students.
- 1:30 – 4:50 pm **Group Rotations**– *various locations TBD*
 Attend various sessions with small groups. Presentations will include Academic Success and Integrity, Health Network, and small group activities.
- 4:50 – 6 pm **President's Welcome and Reception** – *LSC Ballrooms*
 Enjoy a welcome from CSU President Tony Frank, Provost Rick Miranda, and other CSU administrators and enjoy cake and punch.

Optional Activity

- 6 pm – 9 pm **Cultural Mentor Game Night**– *Meeting location TBD*
 Meet the Cultural Mentors and other new international students at this social hour. Play lawn games and board games while enjoying pizza and ice cream.



Wednesday, August 15

Optional Activities

- 9 – 10am **Programs and sessions to be determined**—*location TBD*
- 10-11am **Campus Tour and other programs to be determined**—*location TBD*
- 12-1pm **Lunch**—*location TBD*
- 1 – 4 pm **Pick up your RamCard** - *RamCard Office in the LSC*
- times vary **Foothills Hike**— *Meet at Laurel Hall*
 between Enjoy a beautiful hike in the foothills with great views of Fort Collins and the
 2:30 – 5 pm mountains. Get to know the Cultural Mentors, some ISSS staff, and other new international
 students at this social time. Meet at 2:30 or 5:00pm. **Sign up required:**

Thursday, August 16

Optional Activities

- 1 pm – **Public Transportation and Cell Phone Trip** – *Meet at Laurel Hall*
 4 pm Use your free bus pass to ride the Max with the Cultural Mentors to Pavilions Shopping
 Center and Target, or head to Walmart.
- 5:30pm **Dinner and Carnival**— *Meeting location TBD*
 Join the CSU campus community for games, snacks, carnival rides, and live music on the
 Intramural Fields located in front of the Student Recreation Center. We'll meet at Laurel Hall
 first and go to dinner (self-pay), then head over to the carnival as a group.

Required for Sponsored Students only:

- 2 – 3 pm **Sponsored Student Orientation** –*LSC Room 312*
 This additional orientation is required for sponsored students. A sponsored student is
 someone who has a scholarship through a third party, but does NOT include funding
 through CSU, a family member, or friend.

Friday, August 17

Optional Activities

- 10am **Optional Shopping Trip** - *Meet at Laurel Hall*
 Sign up to join us on a 3-hour shopping trip, with free transportation. You can buy all
 your new living needs.
- 5:30 pm **Friday Afternoon Club (FAC): Welcome!** – *meet at LSC Transit Center*
 Join us at this large Welcome BBQ with the CSU and Fort Collins international
 communities. All ages and backgrounds are welcome. FACs occur weekly throughout the
 year and consist of light refreshments, activities, and cultural presentations.
- 7pm – **Ramapalooza** – *Student Recreation Center*
 Midnight Join Campus Activities and other offices at Ramapalooza for endless entertainment! Swim,
 climb, enjoy live music, games at Casino night, caricature portraits, and more.