

# EASTMAN WELCOME WEEK 2024

## UNDERGRADUATE SCHEDULE

### MONDAY, AUGUST 19

#### **8:00 AM ORIENTATION CHECK-IN • SLC LOBBY, 100 GIBBS ST.**

Pick up your orientation materials starting at 8:00 am in the Student Living Center lobby. Your packet will include your orientation schedule, your Student ID, your orientation small group assignment, and more. International students can pick up their packet at this time if they did not do so during international student move-in.

#### **9:00 AM INTERNATIONAL STUDENT WELCOME SESSION • HOWARD HANSON HALL**

An info session for our new international students to learn about Eastman, academic & campus resources, and to connect with other international students.

#### **12:00 PM LUNCH • DINING CENTER**

Students & families are welcome to enjoy a lunch hosted by Dining Services. Students will use their meal plans & families will receive a free meal tickets during check-in. Lunch served until 2pm.

#### **2:30 PM WELCOME SESSION • KILBOURN HALL**

Your Eastman experience begins with a welcome from Dean Kate Sheeran, followed by introductions to our administration, staff, and student leaders. Students will then go to a meeting with their small groups while parents and families stay in Kilbourn Hall for the next session.

#### **3:00 PM PARENT & FAMILY SESSION • KILBOURN HALL**

An info session just for families of undergraduate students, with an opportunity to have questions answered by deans and staff from Public Safety, Dining Services, University Health Service, and the University Counseling Center.

#### **4:30 PM FAMILY FAREWELL**

At this time, parents and family members should plan on saying goodbye to their student. After this, students will be busy with orientation activities and there are no further events for parents and families.

#### **5:00 PM MEET STUDENT AFFAIRS • HATCH RECITAL HALL**

Meet the Office of Student Affairs and bring your questions about living on campus, getting involved beyond the classroom, and more.

**MONDAY, AUGUST 19 CONTINUED****6:00 PM DINNER • DINING CENTER**

Students will have dinner with their Team Captain & small group. Dinner is served until 7pm.

**9:00 PM FLOOR MEETING • STUDENT LIVING CENTER**

Connect with your RAs and learn about the expectations and policies of the SLC in this important Floor Meeting for all incoming residential students. Your RA will inform you of your meeting spot.

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 20****7:00 AM BREAKFAST • DINING CENTER**

Breakfast is available for all new students who live in the Student Living Center. Students will use their meal plans from this point forward. Breakfast is served until 9am.

**9:30 AM SMALL GROUP MEETING • MULTIPLE LOCATIONS**

Start your day by connecting with your small group to review the day's schedule and ask any questions.

**10:00 AM MEET ACADEMIC AFFAIRS • HATCH RECITAL HALL**

Meet the Office of Academic Affairs and learn about Eastman's academic policies, how we can help you adjust to a new academic environment and access the resources to guide you on your academic journey at Eastman, and otherwise thrive during your time in Rochester!

**12:00 PM LUNCH • DINING CENTER****12:00 PM LUNCH • DEAN'S DINING ROOM  
DUAL DEGREE LUNCH W/ DEAN HAIN AND LOUISE**

While you eat, meet advisors from Eastman, the School of Arts & Sciences, and Hajim and ask questions about the dual degree program. This lunch is open to current dual degree students and students who are interested in adding a second degree program and want to learn more.

**1:00 PM BREAK** Practice, explore campus, take a nap.**2:30 PM EASTMAN DINING SERVICES • HATCH RECITAL HALL**

University Dining Services will facilitate an interactive discussion about the University of Rochester Dining Services, meal plans, student feedback, and more.

**3:30 PM STAYING SAFE @ EASTMAN • HATCH RECITAL HALL**

This session will provide undergraduates with important information on living, learning, and staying safe in downtown Rochester.

**4:30 PM STAYING HEALTHY @ EASTMAN • HATCH RECITAL HALL**

An introduction for undergraduates to University Health Service and University Counseling Center. Learn tips on avoiding illnesses, injuries, and where to go when you need medical assistance.

**5:30 PM DINNER • DINING CENTER**

**7:00 PM LATE NIGHT IN COMINSKY • COMINSKY PROMENADE**

Your Team Captains have prepared some games, activities, and movies for you in Cominsky Promenade. Come hang out and enjoy the festivities!

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21

## RIVER CAMPUS DAY

**7:00 AM BREAKFAST • DINING CENTER**

**8:30 AM SMALL GROUP MEETING • DINING CENTER**

Make sure to get on the bus to River Campus by 8:45am.

**9:00 AM CONVOCATION ON THE RIVER CAMPUS & CLASS ROLL SIGNING • RIVER CAMPUS**

This ceremony signals the start of your academic career at the University of Rochester. It provides the opportunity for University leadership to welcome you as we begin the new academic year.

**12:00 PM LUNCH ON RIVER CAMPUS**

Students will use their meal plans. You will receive instructions on where to eat lunch.

**1:00 PM RESOURCE FAIR • FELDMAN BALLROOM**

Undergraduates students will have an opportunity to meet multiple offices from across the University. The event will take place in Feldman Ballroom.

**2:00 PM RIVER CAMPUS TOUR • RIVER CAMPUS**

Students will have the opportunity to participate in a scavenger hunt tour with their orientation groups and leaders.

**3:00 PM RETURN TO EASTMAN**

Take a breather before diving back into orientation activities; practice, complete other tasks or just rest up.

**5:00 PM DINNER • DINING CENTER**

**8:00 PM RESIDENTIAL LIFE GAME NIGHT • SLC**

Your RAs will host a game night just for you!

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

**7:00 AM BREAKFAST • DINING CENTER**

**9:00 AM SMALL GROUP MEETING • MULTIPLE LOCATIONS**

Meet your orientation group and Team Captain to get ready for the day.

**9:30 AM EASTMAN VIP TOUR • MILLER CENTER & MAIN BUILDING**

With your small group, you will visit several important offices and locations across the school to meet the staff and learn about the resources they will provide you during your time at Eastman.

**Sibley Music Library, Eastman Bookstore, George Walker Center for Equity & Inclusion, Office of the Registrar, Financial Aid Office, Institute for Music Leadership, Concert Office, Technology & Media Production, Writing Center, Ensemble Library.**

**12:00 PM LUNCH • DINING CENTER****12:00 PM TRANSFER STUDENT LUNCH • DEAN'S DINING ROOM**

All new transfer students should join the Office of Academic Affairs for lunch in Dean's Dining Room, as students can bring questions they have about transfer student advising, scheduling, registration, and their transition to Eastman.

**1:00 PM BREAK** Practice, explore campus, take a nap.**3:00 PM INTRO TO EQUITY & INCLUSION @ ESM • KILBOURN HALL**

This session will introduce you to the George Walker Center for Equity and Inclusion in Music, and show how we can all strive to embrace the tenets of equity and inclusion in our daily lives as members of the Eastman community. This session will include breakout sessions with your small groups.

**5:00 PM DINNER • DINING CENTER****8:00 PM FLOOR MEETING • STUDENT LIVING CENTER**

Your RA will inform you of your meeting spot.

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 23****7:00 AM BREAKFAST • DINING CENTER****9:30 AM SMALL GROUP MEETING • MULTIPLE LOCATIONS****10:00 AM STRONG MUSEUM • ROCHESTER, NY**

Spend the morning visiting the Strong Museum, which includes exhibits such as the National Museum of Play, the National Toy Hall of Fame, and the World Video Game Hall of Fame.

**1:00 PM LUNCH • DINING CENTER****2:00 PM TITLE IX TRAINING TO PROMOTE A SAFE CAMPUS • TBA****5:00 PM DINNER • DINING CENTER**

**8:00 PM NEW STUDENT SEMI-FORMAL • WILDER ROOM**

Get dressed up for an exciting night of fun, music and food with the Eastman New Student Semi-Formal Dance.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 24****7:00 AM BREAKFAST • DINING CENTER****12:00 PM LUNCH • DINING CENTER****1:00 PM YELLOWJACKET SUPPLIES RUN**

Students are invited to take a day of rest before the finale of welcome week activities or get on a bus to Target to shop for school or room supplies.

**2:00 PM BREAK**

Take a breather before diving back into orientation activities; practice, complete other tasks or just rest up.

**5:00 PM DINNER • DINING CENTER****5:30 PM EXPLORE ROCHESTER • VARIOUS LOCATIONS****7:00 PM CELEBRATE DIVERSITY • KODAK HALL**

Celebrate the global community at the University during our annual Celebrate Diversity event through performances by our amazingly talented students from Eastman and the River Campus colleges. Sit back and enjoy a unique evening filled with song, dance, poetry, and music!

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 25**

There are no formal orientation activities scheduled on Sunday, as we want you to have some time to get ready for the start of classes tomorrow. While nothing formal is scheduled for the entire class, some teachers and departments may schedule some activities for some of you, so watch your email for information about any instrument/major-specific events this day.

The Dining Center begins its normal schedule today, so don't forget to eat!

**MONDAY, AUGUST 26****FIRST DAY OF CLASSES**

The first step on your journey at Eastman officially begins!

**2:30 PM CONVOCATION • KILBOURN HALL**

The ceremony signals the start of your academic career at Eastman and the University of Rochester. It provides the opportunity for University leadership and Eastman faculty & staff to formally welcome you to Eastman as we begin the new academic year.

**YELLOWJACKET WEEKEND @ EASTMAN****THURSDAY, AUGUST 29****4:00 PM CLUB EASTMAN OPEN MIC • BETTY'S CAFE**

Club Eastman is an initiative sponsored by the Office of Student Activities that endeavors to bring faculty, staff, and students together in meaningful ways. Join us for the first Club Eastman of the 2024-2025 academic year! Refreshments will be served, and you can enjoy music by members of the Eastman community while you mix and mingle with people from across the school.

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 30****8:30 PM MOVIE NIGHT IN THE COURTYARD • SLC COURTYARD**

All students are invited to a special movie night in the Eastman Commons courtyard. Dress down in your comfy clothes and enjoy a night of relaxation after your first few days as a student!

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 31****11:30 AM STUDENT ACTIVITIES FAIR • SLC LOBBY**

All students are invited to attend the student activities fair to learn more about different clubs and organizations at Eastman.

**12:00 PM YELLOWJACKET CARNIVAL @ EASTMAN • SLC COURTYARD, LOT F**

Celebrate your first weekend after classes have started with Games, Food, and Fun Activities!

**7:00 PM CAB GAME NIGHT • DEAN'S DINING ROOM**

Come to Dean's Dining for games and food with our Campus Activities Board!

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1****12:00 PM YELLOWJACKET WEEKEND FOOD TRUCKS • SLC/EASTMAN COMMONS**

Close out the weekend with food trucks right outside the Student Living Center.