



PARENTS PREVIEW 2011

Wednesday, August 24

- 8:30am – 5pm **Bookstore Open House***
Visit the College Bookstore to browse the merchandise. Use the discount coupon in your packet to purchase any Lewis & Clark insignia apparel, plus a variety of residence hall necessities and school supplies.
Templeton Campus Center
- 10am – 3pm **Campus Tours***
Tours depart every thirty minutes beginning at 10am. The last tour will depart at 2:30pm.
Templeton Campus Center, Second Floor Foyer near Council Chamber
- 10am – 3pm **Bank Account Representatives Available***
Five local banks will be on campus TODAY ONLY! The first session of NSO for your student begins at 4pm, so you will want to make your banking arrangements as early in the day as possible.
Pamplin Sports Center Foyer
- 11:30am – 1:30pm **Lunch***
You are welcome to join your student for lunch. If you miss lunch, the Trail Room in Templeton Campus Center is open for cash purchases with a full range of lunch items until 2pm today and Maggie's Café, adjacent to East Hall, is open from Noon until 4pm with coffee and snack items.
Templeton Campus Center, Fields Dining Room
- 1 – 3pm **Student Account Services Open House**
Wondering what it means to "settle" your student's account? Have questions about paperless billing for student accounts? Hoping to meet your student's account specialist? Enjoy light refreshments and visit with staff during our open house on the garden level of Templeton. Staff from Student Financial Services will also be available to answer questions you may have about your son or daughter's financial aid.
Templeton Campus Center, 1st Floor Foyer
- 1pm, 2pm, 3pm **Pamplin Sports Center Tours***
Tours depart at 1, 2 and 3pm today from Pamplin's main entrance.
Pamplin Sports Center, Main Entrance
- 1pm, 2pm, 3pm **Watzek Library Tour & Coffee Social***
Please join your student on a walking tour of the Library, a place where they will spend a good deal of time over the next four years.
Aubrey Watzek Library, Circulation Desk
- 2:30pm **Student Athlete Information for Winter & Spring Sports**
To help kick off the 2011-12 academic year PAC Parents (Pioneer Athletic Club) is hosting an event that gives parents of our newest student-athletes the opportunity to meet other parents as well as those individuals who will directly support their student-athletes not only on the field, court or pool but in the training room and classroom.
Pamplin Sports Center, Room 10

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Wednesday, August 24 (Cont.)

3:45pm

Student Health Insurance Information Session

Lewis & Clark requires that all degree-seeking and visiting undergraduate students carry medical insurance comparable to that offered under the school's Student Health Insurance Plan. Students are automatically enrolled in the plan (offered in partnership with Aetna Student Health) each year unless they complete a waiver. This session will review what parents need to know about the Aetna Student Health Insurance plan, including information about how to waive the coverage.

Council Chamber, Templeton Campus Center

4:30 – 6pm

Parents Welcome Reception

The Office of Alumni and Parent Programs cordially invites you to join them for an evening reception. (Parents only, please.) Take this opportunity to meet President Barry Glassner, and mingle with other parents. Refreshments and hors d'oeuvres will be available. Dress is casual.

Academic Quad between JR Howard Hall and BoDine

Your student will be involved in Orientation programming beginning at 4pm today. It is vitally important to their successful transition to the institution that they be fully engaged in the program.

Thursday, August 25

8:30am – 5pm

Bookstore Open*

Templeton Campus Center

8:30 – 9:15am

Continental Breakfast & Service Fair

Several student service areas will be represented at the Fair. Take this opportunity to connect with staff from the Office of Multicultural Affairs, International Students & Scholars, Student Transitions & Experiences, Career & Community Engagement, Health & Counseling Services, Health Promotion & Wellness, Student Support Services, Campus Safety, Campus Living, Bon Appétit Food Service, Chapel, Athletics, Student Employment, Information Technology, Bookstore, Institutional Advancement and Alumni & Parent Programs.

Templeton Campus Center, Stamm Dining Room

9am – 12:30pm

Campus Tours*

Tours depart every thirty minutes beginning at 9am. The last tour will depart at Noon.

Templeton Campus Center, Second Floor Foyer near Council Chamber

9:30 – 11am

An Introduction to Student & Academic Life

Many new students at L&C share similar victories as well as issues and challenges as they become part of our campus community. Join Interim Dean of Students, Latricia Brand, and Dean of the College, Tuajuanda Jordan, as they discuss how the liberal arts tradition at Lewis & Clark shape students' lives, both in and out of the classroom.

Agnes Flanagan Chapel

11 – 11:15am

Coffee Break

Chapel Bridge

11:15am - Noon

The Residential Living Experience

The Director of Campus Living, Director of Housing & Orientation and the four Area Directors will provide a useful overview of the mission of the residential education at the College and the importance of student engagement in the residential experience. There will be time for your questions at the program's conclusion.

Agnes Flanagan Chapel

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Thursday, August 25 (Cont.)

- 11:30am – 1:30pm **Alumni Open House***
Meet leaders of the Student Alumni Association over refreshments! SAA is a student organization dedicated to creating and strengthening connections in the L&C community by developing meaningful programs for students and alumni. SAA helps students connect to alumni to find mentors, learn about career paths, find advice on general life questions, and learn about past and present College life. Members of the Alumni & Parent Program staff, and local members of the Board of Alumni will be on hand!
Alumni Gatehouse
- 11:30am – 1:30pm **Lunch for Parents and Students***
Lines will be long today so please be patient. We have plenty of food to go around. Overflow seating provided in Stamm Dining Room.
Templeton Campus Center, Fields Dining Room
- 1pm, 2pm, 3pm **Watzek Library Tour & Coffee Social***
Aubrey Watzek Library, Circulation Desk
- 1:30 – 2:15pm **Keeping Students Healthy and Safe**
Most students will have health needs sometime during their college career. In today's world, students and parents have become more concerned about the safety of college campuses. Representatives from the Student Health Service, Counseling Service, Health Promotion and Wellness, and Campus Safety will be on hand to answer your questions around these important topics.
Evans Music Building, Auditorium
- 2:15 – 2:30pm **Refreshment Break**
JR Howard, South Patio Entrance
- 2:30 – 3:15pm **“What’s it like in the Classroom?”**
Take this opportunity to get a preview of what your student has in store this year in the common first year course, *Exploration and Discovery*. Your class size will likely be a little larger than your son or daughter will experience during the semester. Refer to the enclosed sheet for session location.
Various Classroom Locations
- 3:30 – 4:15pm **Fitting the Pieces Together: A 3CE Primer**
The liberal arts education is designed to create life-long learners and engaged citizens of the world. Learn how to support your student in making the most of their experience by engaging both in and out of the classroom. The director of the Center for Career and Community Engagement (3CE) will look at student development as it relates to career and life planning with a focus on the challenges of first-year students.
Evans Music Building, Auditorium
- 4:30pm **Opening Convocation***
Please join us in celebrating the official opening of the 2011-2012 academic year. Parents, please go directly to the stadium for seating in the grandstands. Students will be gathering in the gymnasium at 4:15pm to participate in a formal procession to the stadium.
Griswold Stadium
You may want to pre-plan a meeting location with your student following the Convocation so you can go to dinner together. Lines will form on the walk adjacent to Pamplin Sports Center. (In the event of rain, proceed to Pamplin.)
- 5:45 – 7pm **Community Picnic***
Please join your student, along with faculty, staff, and alumni for a picnic dinner. The buffet lines in front of Pamplin Sports Center will be long but totally worth the wait. Cool jazz provided by Dan Balmer '80 and Go By Train.
The Glade
- 7:15pm **Say Good-Bye!***
Family Farewells (on your own).

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