



ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

SPRING 2019



UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO

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INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION

Tuesday, January 15

International Student Move-In Day

Thursday, January 17

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

International Student Orientation
McLaren Conference Complex

The mandatory sessions are designed to address the most common questions and concerns that international students have as well as covering important information such as immigration regulations pertaining to your visa, academic expectations, and cultural adjustment.

(Refer to myusf.usfca.edu/iss/new-students/international-student-orientation for a detailed schedule)

NEW STUDENT & FAMILY ORIENTATION

Thursday, January 17

New Student Move-In Day and Start of New Student & Family Orientation

McLaren Conference Complex

SERVICES AVAILABLE

Thursday, January 17

12:00 noon - 3:00 p.m.

Immunization Clinic

University Center 402/403

Thursday, January 17 - Friday, January 18

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

One Card and Campus Security Systems,

Lone Mountain 130

Student Financial Services,

Lone Mountain 203

Office of the University Registrar,

Lone Mountain 217

Undergraduate Admission,

Lone Mountain 251

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Bookstore/University Center, 1st Floor

STUDENT SCHEDULE

Thursday, January 17

1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Campus Tours,
McLaren Complex Lobby

New to USF? Let our Admissions Ambassadors show you around your new home! Bring your walking shoes. No RSVP required.

2:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Orientation Check-In,
McLaren Complex

Get ready to make your college experience real. Begin by checking in to receive your orientation materials.

2:30 - 3:00 p.m.

University Welcome,
McLaren Complex

Your official welcome to USF from Orientation staff and USF President Paul J. Fitzgerald, S.J.

3:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Intro to USF,
McLaren Complex

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4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Welcome Reception,
McLaren Complex

Stop by and chat with faculty and staff and enjoy some evening treats.

5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Spanish Speaking Family Program,
Fromm Hall, Berman Room

This session is for families whose first language is Spanish. Learn about the resources and tips for supporting your student through the eyes of staff, returning students and a family member. Students are encouraged to accompany their families.

Friday, January 18

9:00 - 9:30 a.m.

Orientation Check-In,
McLaren Complex Lobby

Welcome to USF and your new community! Look for the Get Oriented (GO) Team in green shirts to help guide you during this exciting transition.

9:30 - 10:20 a.m.

Professor's Perspective,
McLaren Complex

A USF faculty member will share insight into the intellectual classroom environment at USF.

10:30 - 11:20 a.m.

Talk About it: Dialogue for Change,
McLaren Complex

Learn about social justice in community, as we talk about topics of microaggressions, sexual violence prevention, and upstander intervention. We will tie them into the USF values, and find ways to connect them to our lives and the impact that we can create on this campus.

11:30 - 12:20 p.m.

USF Student Experience Panels: First-Year and Transfers,
McLaren Complex

USF offers students the opportunity to live and learn in one of the most culturally diverse campuses in the country. During this session with the Center for Academic and Student Achievement (CASA), freshmen and transfers will split into different panels and will be given an opportunity to ask questions to current Dons.

12:30 - 1:50 p.m.

Dons Fest/Lunch,
University Center (UC) 1st Floor/UC 2nd Floor Cafe

Check out this resource fair where departments will be on hand to answer your questions and help you and your student learn more at USF. Lunch will be provided in the University Center cafeteria.

2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

School of Management - McLaren 252
College of Arts and Sciences - McLaren 250/251
School of Nursing and Health Professions - Cowell 212

Join the faculty of your college/school for a personalized welcome and introduction to your academic career, including an orientation to your major. Key faculty and staff will introduce themselves and guide you through essential information about your specific academic major/program, including a section for all undeclared majors.

8:00 p.m.

Game Night,
UC "UnderCaf" First Floor

Wind down after a long day and come hang out with new friends. From board games to video games to tasty snacks, Game Night is sure to have something for you.

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Health Promotion Services,
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Learn more about Health Promotion Services (HPS) and the full range of services and opportunities dedicated to promoting the health and wellness of the USF student body, and fostering a vibrant and safe campus community for student success.

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Transitioning Your Student to College,
Fromm Hall, Maraschi Room
Discuss ways for parents and family members can support students as they adapt to college, manage issues as they arise, and care for themselves as they start a new chapter!

11:40 - 12:20 p.m.

Financing Your Student's Education,
Fromm Hall, Maraschi Room
Speak to a financial aid representative about tuition, financial aid, or any money matters. The session will conclude with a Q&A opportunity.

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Student Support & Success,
Fromm Hall, Maraschi Room
During this session, parents and family members will receive an overview of resources that set the expectations for student success at USF. Presenters will also review available campus resources and share tips that support student well-being and overall student success.

3:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Safety in the City,
Fromm Hall, Maraschi Room
Hear from our Campus Public Safety office about how to be empowered upstanders, understand the expectations around conduct and civility, and some basic tips and strategies about being safe both on campus and in the City of San Francisco.

3:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Living On & Off Campus,
Fromm Hall, Maraschi Room
Staff from Student Housing and Residential Education (SHaRe) & Off-Campus Student Services (OCSS) will share information about living and learning on and off campus. The session will conclude with a Q&A opportunity.

4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Family Hospitality Area,
Fromm Atrium
After a long day, use this time to wind down with other new USF families. Orientation staff will be available to answer any lingering questions that you might have about USF.

SPRING 2019 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Dates apply primarily to Arts and Sciences, Education, Management, and Nursing & Health Professions.

Saturday, January 19

Women's & Men's Basketball Game

Tuesday, January 22

Classes/Late Registration Begin

Monday, January 28

Late Registration Ends/Last Day to Add

Thursday, January 31

Spring Involvement Fair

Friday, February 8

*Census Date***

Monday, February 18

Presidents' Day Holiday (No classes)

Thursday, February 14

Study Abroad Fair

Friday, March 1

JOB FEST Career & Internship Festival

Monday, March 11-Friday, March 15

Spring Break

Saturday, March 23

CAB Concert: DONAROO

Thursday, April 18

*Easter Holiday begins at 4:00 P.M. **

Friday, April 19

Easter Holiday (No classes)

Friday, April 26

*Holy Thursday Canceled Classes Meet **

Monday, April 8

Last Day to Drop Courses or Withdraw

Monday, April 8-Friday, June 21

Fall Continuing Student Registration

Thursday, May 9

Last Day of Classes

Friday, May 10

Study/Review Day

Saturday, May 11-Thursday, May 16

Final Examination Period

Thursday, May 16

Commencement Mass

Thursday, May 16-Saturday, May 18

Commencements

Thursday, May 23

Last Day to Submit Grades

Please note all dates and events are subject to change. Please visit myusf.usfca.edu/registration/academic-calendar for the University Academic Calendar, including the final exam schedule and visit myusf.usfca.edu/policies for information regarding policies and procedures.

** Census dates vary by class. To find the census date for a specific class, please view the online Class Schedule at usfca.edu/schedules.

* Classes end at 4pm on Holy Thursday; if to be rescheduled for next Friday evening please work with Deans' Offices to arrange time and place.