



Join the Saint Louis University community back on campus for Homecoming and Family Weekend 2019.

From campus trolley tours and the tailgate to the men's soccer game and the signature fireworks show, there's something for everyone to enjoy! To register and view the full schedule of events, visit alumni.slu.edu/hcfw19

And join the Billiken Parent and Family Association on Facebook!

This association strives to inform and involve parents and families to facilitate student success in achieving their goals and the University in achieving its mission — all toward a higher purpose and a greater good.

 facebook.com/groups/SLUBillikenParentAssociation

Together, we'll support your Billiken from the first day to graduation day!

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Saturday, 8/24	
7 a.m.	Grand Dining Hall: Opens Early If you're an early riser and wish to have a hot breakfast before New Student Day of Service, Grand Dining Hall will open early for meal plan students.
8-9 a.m.	Pre-Service Meetings/Travel In preparation for New Student Day of Service, current SLU students will share thoughts about their own call to service, and offer an inspiring invocation to guide the day's activities. <i>Required for all new students. Please wear closed-toe shoes and bring a water bottle.</i> + Reinert Hall: meet in hall servery + Grand/Griesedieck Complex: meet in Grand Dining Hall + Spring/Marg/Fusz: meet in the AB Auditorium (Cook Hall) + Commuter students: meet in Commuter Lounge (BSC)
Locations	
9 a.m.-Noon Various Locations	New Student Day of Service For our signature service event for new students, groups will be assigned to various sites throughout the greater St. Louis community. Oriflamme Leaders will provide directions for transport. <i>Required for all new students.</i>
2:30-4:30 p.m. Various Locations	Life on Campus: In the Classroom During your second small group meeting, you will have the opportunity to share reactions to your service experience, and begin to dive deeper into the academic expectations of the University. Please bring your course schedule with you. <i>Required for all new students.</i>
5:30 p.m. Residence Halls	Spirit Competition Prep Get Billiken bedazzled with your hall community, RAs, PMs and Oriflamme Leaders on your floor.
6-8 p.m. Hermann Stadium	Spirit Competition @ Men's Soccer v. Missouri State An evening of cheering, face-painting and sign-making. Go Bills!
8:30-11 p.m. Simon Rec	C U @ the Rec: Dance Extravaganza Not only is it a showcase of SLU's own cultural dance teams, but it ends with a favorite Fall Welcome tradition...the SQUARE DANCE!
10:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. Center for Global Citizenship	'90s Late-Night Kickback A late-night kickback to remember! Your favorite childhood cereals and snacks, lots of music videos and tunes, and fun and games will make for a night to remember.
10:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. Bicentennial Plaza	Party on Grand! Head to Bicentennial Plaza for more late night fun! There will be bingo callers, fun prizes, food, music, yard games and SLU's rendition of Carpool Karaoke!

Sunday, 8/25	
9-10 a.m. Pere Marquette (DuBourg Hall)	Presidential Scholar Breakfast An opportunity for SLU's Presidential Scholars to come together for fellowship.
9-10:30 a.m. The Center for Global Citizenship	MLK Scholars First-Year Breakfast Join the Center as we welcome the 2019 cohort of MLK Scholars to SLU. This will be an introductory time for you all as a cohort to meet one another as well as interact with a few of our mentors. Come for breakfast and stay for the fun!
9-10 a.m. On The Quad by DuBourg Rain Location: Simon Rec	Yoga on the Quad! Join us on the quad to start off the morning in a mindful, relaxing and beneficial way. <i>Limited mats provided, so please bring your own mat if possible.</i>
1-2 p.m.	Biology: Hit the Ground Running This is an opportunity to meet your Principles of Biology instructor and fellow classmates, and to get some useful insights into the course. + BIOL 1240-01: Kelley Auditorium (Science Quad) + BIOL 1240-02: Lee Auditorium (Science Quad) + BIOL 1240-03: Carlo Auditorium (Tegeler Hall)
Locations	
1-3 p.m. Hermann Stadium	Women's Soccer v. Indiana State Show your support for SLU's Women's Soccer team as they battle Indiana State!
3-4 p.m. Various Locations	Life on Campus: What Comes Next? As your first weekend on campus comes to a close, you will spend your third small group session talking about your move-in experience, what to expect once classes begin, and how to make the most of your time on campus. This isn't an Oriflamme goodbye, but rather a "see you later" until your paths cross again. <i>Required for all new students.</i>
7:30-8:30 p.m. Residence Halls	Residence Hall Floor Meetings A chance to make more connections with your new neighbors, and learn more about what it means to live on campus! <i>Required for all residential students.</i>
9-10 p.m. St. Francis Xavier College Church	First Mass Join the SLU community for the first student liturgy of the academic year, followed by a cool taste of St. Louis!

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8 a.m.-6 p.m. Residence Halls	New Student Move-In
9-11 a.m. Carlo Auditorium (Tegeler Hall)	Honors Program Fall Orientation Honors Program staff will share information about program requirements and expectations, and new students will collaborate with their LINK mentors on a team-building task. <i>Required for all incoming Honors Program students.</i>
4-8 p.m. Wool Ballrooms (Busch Student Center)	Learning Community Orientation The Learning Community Orientation is the introduction to the amazing community you are entering for the year. Following the breakout, students, faculty and staff will have their first community dinner. <i>Required for all Learning Community students.</i>
6:30-8 p.m. BSC and Amphitheater	Parent and Family Jazz Reception Join fellow new Billiken families for a relaxing evening of music, food and drinks. Hosted by Dr. Kent Porterfield, Vice President for Student Development, and the Billiken Parent & Family Association.
6:30-7:30 p.m. BSC 253 A-D	Commuter Student Meet & Greet All commuters students are invited to attend a special welcome meeting, sponsored by the Commuter Assistants.
7:30-8:30 p.m. BSC 253 A-D	Transfer Student Meet & Greet All transfer students are invited to attend a special welcome meeting, sponsored by the Transfer Mentors.
7:30-9:30 p.m. St. Louis Room (BSC)	Community Dinner: Commuters and Transfers Following the meet and greet meetings, commuter and transfer students are invited to an intimate community dinner.
8:30-9:30 p.m. Residence Halls	First Floor Meeting Join your RAs, Peer Mentors and fellow Billikens for your first official floor meeting of the 2019-20 year! <i>Required for all new residential students.</i>
9:30-11 p.m. Grand Hall Bicentennial Plaza	Fitz's First-Year Floats Wrap up your first official day as a Billiken by joining Oriflamme for ice cream floats, courtesy of Fitz's, a St. Louis favorite!

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	Friday, 8/23
9-10:30 a.m. Chaifetz Arena	Convocation Members of the SLU community come together to celebrate new beginnings and new Billikens with a special processional ceremony, outstanding speakers and an inspirational message from SLU's 33rd President, Dr. Fred Pestello. Students will arrive at the arena with their Oriflamme leaders and RAs.
11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	College and School Orientation Immediately following Convocation, students and families are encouraged to join their college or school for a brief orientation program where you will meet deans, academic advisors, faculty and staff. <i>Lunch will be provided.</i>
School and College Locations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + College of Arts and Sciences - Simon Recreation Center + College of Public Health and Social Justice - Sinquefield Room (DuBourg Hall) + Doisy College of Health Sciences - Chaifetz Pavilion + Parks College of Engineering, Aviation and Technology - Busch Student Center, Wool Ballrooms + Richard A. Chaifetz School of Business - Cook Hall + School of Education - Pere Marquette (DuBourg Hall) + School of Nursing - Busch Student Center, Saint Louis Room
12:45-1:45 p.m. Cook Hall Anheuser-Busch Auditorium	BIZ1000 Kickoff Join your fellow new business students in meeting your instructors and getting to know each other in a fun, informal environment. <i>Required for all BIZ 1000 students</i>
12:45-1:45 p.m. Biology Dept	Biology: Hit the Ground Running Meet your Principles of Biology instructor and fellow classmate to get some useful insights into the course.
2- 2:30 p.m. Chaifetz Arena	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Locations: BIOL 240-04 - Kelley Auditorium (Science Quad); BIOL 1240-05 - Lee Auditorium (Science Quad); BIOL 1240-06 - Tegeler Auditorium + Sections BIOL 1240-01, 02, 03 will meet on 8/25
	Meet the Deans (of Students) Billikens, here's your chance to meet the folks from the Dean of Students Office, and receive some special SLU swag!

	Friday, 8/23 cont.
2:30-3:30 p.m. Chaifetz Arena	"Live the Oath" Begin to learn about SLU's Oath of Inclusion and join the Student Government Association as we dive into what it means to "Live the Oath."
3:30-5 p.m. Various Locations	Life on Campus: Real Talk Spend some time with your Oriflamme leaders as you reflect about what it means to be a student at Saint Louis University. <i>Required for all new students.</i>
5:45-7 p.m. Center for Global Citizenship	Family First Kickoff This celebration for new students of color and their families is first in the Family First series. Come and celebrate with us as we welcome you to SLU! <i>Food and beverages will be provided.</i>
7-7:30 p.m.	Family Farewell Families, take a few minutes to offer well wishes, share last-minute advice and hug your Billiken! Our Family Farewell is designed to be personal and private, so no formal program is planned.
8-11 p.m. Olive-Compton Garage	Paint SLU! PaintSLU returns with a live DJ, dancing and neon-colored fun! Basically, it is a cross between a live concert and a color run... with real paint! We recommend wearing clothes you don't mind getting wet from our bio-degradable and water-soluble paint. There will be shower caps provided for those who wish to have their hair remain paint free. There will also be alternative activities that don't involve paint or dancing.

Visit the SLU Bookstore

Located on the 2nd Floor of the Busch Student Center.

Special Fall Welcome Hours:

- 8/22** 9 a.m.-7 p.m.
- 8/23** 9 a.m.-6 p.m.
- 8/24** Noon-4 p.m.
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Friday 8/23 1-1:30 p.m. Busch Student Center, Wool Ballrooms	Letting Go Meet SLU's Dean of Students Office staff and learn about their commitment to your student's personal and academic success. They will also talk about how to trust the process, embrace the change to coaching your college student, and how to be a partner in your student's SLU experience.
Friday 8/23 1:30-2:15 p.m. Wool Ballrooms (BSC)	What would YOU do? Practical tips from SLU's own faculty and staff who've navigated sending a child to college, and lived to tell about it!
Friday 8/23 2:30-3:15 p.m. Wool Ballrooms (BSC)	The First Semester: The Family Experience You've likely heard a lot about what your student's experience will be like at SLU, but what about the experience for our Billiken families? Learn how to support your student through their transition on campus.
Friday 8/23 3:15-4 p.m. Wool Ballrooms (BSC)	No Students Allowed! Close out the afternoon with a chance to meet members of SLU's Billiken Parent and Family Association (BPF) without your students or other University staff. This is a time for families to share experiences and connect with the SLU family network.
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