

Fall 2021 Orientation Schedule

Saturday, August 21 In Person Orientation Sessions

All Saturday and Sunday sessions will be in the tent at the MCAD Lawn unless otherwise noted.

9:00 a.m. (Students & Families)

Orientation Registration

Register for orientation and enjoy muffins, coffee, and juice compliments of Student Affairs. Plus, create a lasting image with your family at the photo booth! The photo booth will be open from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m. (Students & Families)

Welcome

Opening remarks presented by Sanjit Sethi, MCAD President. Cartoonist Robert Algeo talks about creativity and succeeding at MCAD.

11:00 a.m. – in Auditorium 150 (Students)

Student Life

Assistant Director of Student Activities Brett Smith, Housing Director Nate Lutz, and your fellow students offer a glimpse of some of the exciting extracurricular options available to you. From student government (the Student Union) and a host of student clubs to sports, and more. There's plenty to get yourself involved in around here!

11:00 a.m. (Families)

A Student View of MCAD

A panel of current MCAD students will share their perspectives about going to college at MCAD, living in the Whittier neighborhood, internships, working, etc... Bring your questions and concerns.

12:00 p.m. (Students & Families)

Lunch

Compliments of Student Affairs. Make sure to visit the photo booth in the MCAD Gallery before it closes at 1:00 p.m.

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1:00 p.m. – in Auditorium 150 (Students)

Meet your Mentor

You have met them online, now say hello in person! An introduction to the MCAD Peer Mentor Program; current students who are your resource for questions throughout orientation and the academic year.

1:00 p.m. (Families)

College Bound

Orientation can be stressful for families too! MCAD Counseling Psychologist, Beth Stockinger and Vice President of Student Affairs, Jen Zuccola will offer a few words of wisdom and answer any questions you have regarding what to expect in the coming year both for your student and for yourself.

2:00 p.m. (Students & Families)

Thriving at MCAD

MCAD has a strong support system for students. In this session you will become familiar with tutoring, accommodations, and counseling on campus. Say 'hello' to Beth Stockinger, Counseling Psychologist, and Timothy Gardner, Director of the Learning Center. They will cover resources and scheduling appointments for assistance.

3:00 p.m. (Families)

Campus Tour

An Informal tour designed families and guests to learn about the MCAD Campus. Incoming students will receive a more in depth tour later in orientation.

6:00 p.m. (Students)

Ice Cream Mountain

An ice cream truck and a big bounce pad. Get a sugar high, then jump it off!

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Sunday, August 22, 2021
In Person Orientation Sessions
Students only!

11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (Students)

Hello MCAD!

Start with music and Food, then get the MCAD lowdown from your peer mentor. Get acquainted with the campus and get to know your fellow incoming students.

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