FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

9 a.m.–5 p.m. Welcome to the ‘Ville  S  P
This is your first step as a Yellow Jacket! The registration process will take you through the Doden Field House and set you up for success. Registration includes everything from receiving your residence hall key to getting your ID!

Doden Field House

11 a.m., 2 and 4 p.m. Campus Tour  S  P
Incoming Yellow Jackets and their families can participate in a guided tour to scout out campus and learn their way around academic, administrative, and residential buildings. Space may be limited. To reserve your spot, please visit the Campus Tour table in the Field House.

Doden Field House

11 a.m. It’s Academic  P
Learn the essentials of University academic policy: degree requirements, grades, privacy regulations, registration, and more.

Dixon Ministry Center, Recital Hall

11 a.m. Student Employment Meeting  S
Many students want to work on campus. Learn about various jobs on campus, sign up to work in the dining hall, and get registered with Payroll.

Stevens Student Center, DeVries Theatre

12, 1, 2, 3, and 4 p.m. Technology at the ‘Ville – Students  S
Learn about Cedarville’s latest technology resources, available software, University expectations for technology use, and connecting your personal devices to the campus network. Space may be limited. To reserve your spot, please visit the Technology Table (K) in the field house.

Tyler 101, 102, 106, and 210

11 a.m. Life Outside the Classroom: The Role of Student Life in Your Student’s Education  P
We will address a variety of issues about how experiences outside the classroom will enhance your student’s education and how you can stay involved.

Stevens Student Center, DeVries Theatre

1 p.m. You, Your Student, and University Medical Services  P
Our University Medical Services will explain the medical services available on campus.

Dixon Ministry Center, Recital Hall

2, 3, 4 p.m. Technology at the ‘Ville – Parents  P
Learn about parent access to student information, emailing students, connecting student-owned computers, tablets, and phones to the campus network, and University expectations regarding network use.

Center for Biblical and Theological Studies, Room 104

2 p.m. Four Years From Now: Jobs and Graduate School  S  P
Cedarville is intentional about equipping your student for success beyond college. The return on your investment at Cedarville is worth it.

Dixon Ministry Center, Recital Hall

2 p.m. Parenting From a Distance  P
We will address how parents and their college student can adjust to changing roles.

Stevens Student Center, DeVries Theatre

3 p.m. Academic Preview  P
Meet with faculty from your student’s department or school and enjoy a special time of Q-and-A.

Various Locations, See Registration Packet

4 p.m. Honors Orientation  S  P
For students accepted into the honors program, receive an introduction to the program. Parents are welcome to attend.

Stevens Student Center, DeVries Theatre

5:30 p.m. Second Generation Dinner (RSVP required)  S  P
Hosted by Alumni Relations, this dinner allows you to kick off Getting Started Weekend with fellow second generation students and parents! Registration begins May 15. RSVP required.

Stevens Student Center, Event Rooms

7 p.m. Q-and-A with Dr. White  P
While your student is having a great time at the New Student Party, you will have a time for Q-and-A with the President of Cedarville University, Dr. Thomas White.

Dixon Ministry Center, Jeremiah Chapel

7:30 p.m. Jacket Fest (New Student Party)  S
This is the first major activity of Getting Started, and you will not want to miss it! Get to know the members of your small group and your small-group leaders while meeting other new students. The New Student Party has music, refreshments, and all sorts of activities.

Parking Lot Between the Stevens Student Center and Dixon Ministry Center

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

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Dixon Ministry Center, Recital Hall

11 a.m. Missionary Kids (MK), Third Culture Kids (TCK), and International Student/Parent Meeting

Meet other Missionary Kids (MK), Third Culture Kids (TCK), and International Students and talk with faculty and staff who advise our MK and international student organizations.

Dixon Ministry Center, Room 164

12 p.m. The Multicultural Experience

The Office of Intercultural Leadership sponsors an informational session for parents and students with a unique multicultural connection. This session will help you prepare for the new experience of college life uniquely looking at multicultural opportunities at Cedarville University. This lunch time session is facilitated by Rev. Gregory Dyson, the Director of Intercultural Leadership.

Health Sciences Center, Room 105

12 p.m. You, Your Student, and University Medical Services

Our University Medical Services will explain the medical services available on campus and discuss medical services.

Dixon Ministry Center, Recital Hall

1 p.m. It’s Academic

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Stevens Student Center, DeVries Theatre

2:30 p.m. New Commuters Meeting

All new students (single and married) who will be commuting are expected to attend. The Getting Started schedule, chapel expectations, campus involvement, and other important matters related to academics and student life will be discussed.

Dixon Ministry Center, Room 164

4 p.m. Academic Preview

Meet with faculty from your student’s department or school and enjoy a special time of Q-and-A.

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6 p.m. Freshman Class Student Picture

Each freshman class carries on the tradition by huddling for a freshman class photo followed by the Jacket Jaunt!

Outside Stevens Student Center, Lower Level

6:30 p.m. Jacket Jaunt

Current students, faculty, and staff line the sidewalk outside the Stevens Student Center (SSC) to cheer on the new Yellow Jackets and welcome them to the Cedarville Family as they walk together to the Dixon Ministry Center (DMC) for the official Getting Started Program.

Outside Stevens Student Center, Lower Level

7 p.m. Getting Started 2016 Program

New Students will join their small-group leaders in the Jeremiah Chapel to hear different speakers describe expectations for Cedarville students, emphasizing the importance of the Gospel, the University’s core values, leadership, and involvement at Cedarville University.

Dixon Ministry Center, Jeremiah Chapel

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

10 a.m. Sunday Morning Service

Please join us in the Jeremiah Chapel for a time of worship and a message from Dr. Thomas White, President of Cedarville University.

Dixon Ministry Center, Jeremiah Chapel

1 p.m. Debate Team Auditions

Get involved in Cedarville’s intercollegiate debate team! Refer to the Getting Started Arrival Guide online for details and audition information.

Stevens Student Center, Room 241

2–5 p.m. Housing Check-ins

Returning students and late-arrival new students can pick up their residence hall keys at the Information Desk in the upper level of the Stevens Student Center.

Stevens Student Center, Information Center

2 p.m. Speech Team Informational Meeting

Interested in joining the University speech team? Come learn more about this competitive group. Refer to the Getting Started Arrival Guide online for details and audition information.

Stevens Student Center, Room 240

6:30 p.m. Calculus Readiness Exam

The calculus readiness exam will be in the Health Sciences Center (HSC) classrooms. All potential engineering, biology, math, computer science, pre-pharmacy, physics, science, and chemistry majors are required to attend. (Not required for nursing majors.)

Health Sciences Center classrooms

9 p.m. Praise Time with Student Government Association (SGA)

Enjoy a time of praise and worship with both new and continuing students.

Dixon Ministry Center, Jeremiah Chapel