



Prescott College

For the Liberal Arts, the Environment, and Social Justice



On-Campus Undergraduate (OCU) Program Fall 2021 Orientation

STUDENT SERVICES HOURS

Department	Tuesday - Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Academic Operations	8:00a – 4:00p	CLOSED	CLOSED
Mailroom	9:00 – 3:00p Closed for Lunch 12:30-1:30p	CLOSED	CLOSED
Café Online Ordering Available	8:00a – 2:00p	CLOSED	CLOSED
Learning Technologies email elearning@prescott.edu	By Appointment	By Appointment	By Appointment
Library	8:00a-6:00p	10:00a-4:00p	12:00p-6:00p
Student Solutions Center (Registrar, Financial Aid, and Student Accounts) Click Here for Online Help	8:00a – 5:00p Online Preferred Click Here for Online Help	By Appointment Click Here for Online Help	CLOSED

[Click Here for Online Campus Map](#)

IMPORTANT COVID-19 INFORMATION:

Beginning Fall 2021, we will be requiring all undergraduate and graduate students who plan to be on campus to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 at the start of the semester. The CDC criteria for fully vaccinated individuals is as follows:

- 2 weeks after their second dose in a 2-dose series, such as the Pfizer or Moderna vaccines, or
- 2 weeks after a single-dose vaccine, such as Johnson & Johnson's Janssen vaccine

Reasonable accommodations for medical and religious exemptions from vaccinations will be accepted. Accommodation requests can be directed to Mari Longpre at mari.longpre@prescott.edu. All students planning on attending in person classes Fall 2021 can upload proof of vaccination [here](#). We appreciate your continued effort in mitigating the transmission of COVID-19 and helping take the steps necessary to return to more face to face engagement. For more information or if you have any questions, please contact Kristine Preziosi at kpreziosi@prescott.edu.

Thursday, August 19 Check-In for All OCU Students & College Housing Move-in

<i>All meals on your own. Prescott College Café open.</i>	
9:00a – 4:00p	Check-in for All Incoming OCU Students & Move-in for Students Living in College Housing Please contact the Housing Department with questions: housing@prescott.edu
Welcome Center	Students can check-in to receive Registration Paperwork Packets. Parking available in the Western Avenue lots.
Penstemon Building Student Solutions Center	Registrar & Veteran Support & Student ID's
Crossroads Community Room	Student Accounts & Financial Aid
Alder Building	Housing Check-in & Move-In

Friday, August 20 OCU Housing Info Sessions & Community Building

<i>Prescott College Café open.</i>	
8:00a – 5:00p	Student Solution Center Open for Completing Outstanding Paperwork
Penstemon Building Click Here for Online Help	Opportunity to attend to last minute paperwork with the Registrar
8:00a - 9:30a	Financial Aid and Student Accounts Office - Drop-in appointments & coffee and donuts!
Prescott College Café Courtyard	Check-in with our financial aid staff and clear any outstanding holds or paperwork so you can participate in classes.
9:30a – 11:30a	Residence Hall Meetings & Living and Learning Communities - MANDATORY for village residents
Village Residence Halls	Students will attend residence hall meetings to establish community agreements and learn about college housing policies and norms. There will also be various RA-led community building activities. Specific times, locations, and activities will be announced in residence hall meetings.
12:00p - 1:00p	Community Lunch - Get to Know Your Core Curriculum Faculty!
Prescott College Café Courtyard	Get to know some of our faculty by joining us for lunch!
1:00p - 3:00p	Community Foundations Workshop: Mental Health & Wellness - MANDATORY for all students
Crossroads Community Room	Community workshop for all incoming students to learn about on-campus and local mental health resources, establish community agreements regarding mental health and wellness, and to assist students in building tools for the social and academic transition into Prescott College.

Saturday, August 21 OCU Family Orientation

<i>All meals on your own. Prescott College Café open.</i>	
10:00a - 12:00p	Community Foundations Workshop: Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion - MANDATORY for all students
Crossroads Community Room	Community workshop for all incoming students to learn about DEI and to begin building inclusive, anti-racist and anti-sexist living and learning communities at Prescott College.
1:00p - 2:00p	Family Orientation – Virtual Open House – All family members and students Zoom Address: https://prescottcollege.zoom.us/j/99778259646
1:00 – 1:20p Online	Virtual Tour of Campus with Admissions Staff
1:20 – 1:30p Online	The Frantz Fanon Community Strategy Center
1:30 – 1:40p Online	The Center for Sustainability
1:40 – 1:50p Online	Advising Center & Learning Commons
2:00p – 3:00p	Virtual Family and Student Orientation – All family members and students Zoom Address: https://prescottcollege.zoom.us/j/99778259646
2:00 – 2:15p Online	Welcome to families from the President’s office.
2:15 – 3:00p Online	Faculty and Staff Q&A Panel for Parents
2:30 – 3:00p	Orientation Q&A Panel for Students
Amphitheater by Butte Creek on Campus	Students will meet up to ask <i>in-person</i> questions about Orientation - get your questions answered!

Sunday, August 22 OCU Wilderness & Community-Based Orientations

<i>Light breakfast available. Lunch and dinner provided.</i>	
8:30a	Breakfast
Crossroads Community Room	Light welcome breakfast available.
9:00a	Welcome and Introduction: Wilderness & Community Based Orientation Begins!
Crossroads Community Room	Welcome from the Orientation Director & Meet your Orientation instructors. If you are on Wilderness Orientation, please bring all of your required gear for your course!
10:00a – 12:00p	Planning and Prep in Orientation Groups
TBA	You will be assigned a break-out space and will be planning and prepping with your orientation group. Please refer to the Prescott College map located on www.prescott.edu to locate your orientation space for the week.
12:00p -1:00p	Lunch with Orientation Groups
Crossroads Café	Eat with Orientation Groups
1:00p - 5:00p	Planning and Prep in Orientation Groups
TBA	You will be assigned a break-out space and will be planning and prepping with your orientation group. Please refer to the Prescott College map located on www.prescott.edu to locate your orientation space for the week.
5:30p	Dinner with Orientation Groups
Crossroads Café	Eat with Orientation Groups
6:30p – 9:00p	Activities, planning, and prep with Orientation Groups

Monday, August 23

OCU Academic Foundations & Advising

<i>Breakfast and dinner on your own. Lunch provided. Prescott College Café open.</i>	
8:00a – 10:00a	One-Stop Open for Completing Outstanding Paperwork
Penstemon Building	Final opportunity to clear your student account and financial aid holds in order to register and participate in fall courses.
10:00a – 11:00p	Academic Foundations – MANDATORY FOR ALL INCOMING STUDENTS
Crossroads Community Room	Introduction to the Academic Journey and meet the faculty.
11:00p – 12:00p	Academic Engagement and Achievement Info Sessions - Join the appropriate session based on the info below.
Crossroads Community Room	First Year Students (0-30 credits)
Chapel	Sophomores (30-45 credits)
Library Commons	Juniors and Seniors (45-60 credits)
12:00p -1:00p	Lunch with Faculty Advisors
Crossroads Community Room	Join faculty for informal advising and lunch.
1:00 – 3:00p	Academic Advising – MANDATORY for all incoming students. Advising by departments and areas of study in small groups. Students will visit three separate sessions based on areas of interest - see locations below.
1:00 - 1:10	Academic Advising Introduction
Crossroads Community Room	All Students meet here for introduction to the following sessions. Please be prompt as these sessions will transition quickly
1:15 - 1:45	Academic Advising Session A
Crossroads	Environmental Studies
Chapel	Arts and Humanities
Library Commons	Adventure Education
Cicada	Sustainable Food Systems/Sustainable Community Development
Café Courtyard	Social Justice Studies
1:55-2:25	Academic Advising Session B
Crossroads	Environmental Studies
Chapel	Sustainability Management
Library Commons	Psychology and Human Development
Cicada	Education
Café Courtyard	Social Justice Studies
2:30 - 3:00	Academic Advising Session C
Crossroads	Adventure Education
Chapel	Education
Library Commons	Psychology and Human Development
Cicada	Sustainable Food Systems/Community Development
Café Courtyard	Arts and Humanities
3:00p – 4:00p	Library Orientation Session A – MANDATORY for all incoming students Zoom Address: https://prescottcollege.zoom.us/j/98000080578
Online	Please check your registration packet for your session info.
4:00p – 5:00p	Library Orientation Session B – MANDATORY for all incoming students Zoom Address: https://prescottcollege.zoom.us/j/98000080578

Online	Please check your registration packet for your session info.
5:30p - 6:30p	Students of Color Welcome Dinner
Crossroads Café	Please join the faculty and students of color on campus for a community-building welcome dinner. All are welcome! Contact racial_justice_and_inclusion@prescott.edu with questions.

Tuesday, August 24 OCU Wilderness & Community-Based Orientation

<i>Breakfast and lunch on your own. Dinner provided. Prescott College Café open.</i>	
ALL DAY	Orientation Planning and Activities inclusion@prescott.edu
	Planning and prepping with your assigned orientation group - Refer to your group's schedule.
5:30p	Dinner with Orientation Groups
6:30p – 9:00p	Activities, planning, and prep with Orientation Groups

Wednesday, August 25 OCU Wilderness & Community-Based Orientation

<i>Breakfast and lunch on your own. Dinner provided. Prescott College Café open.</i>	
ALL DAY	Orientation Planning and Activities
	Planning and prepping with your assigned orientation group - Refer to your group's schedule.
5:30p	Dinner with Orientation Groups in Crossroads Café
6:30p – 9:00p	Activities, planning, and prep with Orientation Groups

Thursday, August 26 OCU Wilderness & Community-Based Orientation

<i>Breakfast and lunch on your own. Dinner provided. Prescott College Café open.</i>	
ALL DAY	Orientation Planning and Activities
	Planning and prepping with your assigned orientation group - Refer to your group's schedule.
5:30p	Dinner with Orientation Groups in Crossroads Café
6:30p – 9:00p	Activities, planning, and prep with Orientation Groups

Friday, August 27 OCU Wilderness & Community-Based Orientation

<i>Breakfast provided. Prescott College Café open.</i>	
7:00a	Breakfast and Wilderness Orientation Groups Depart for the Field
Crossroads Community Café	Breakfast with your group and then WO depart for the field.

Wednesday, September 1 OCU Wilderness Orientation Specific - Resupply Mail

DEADLINE FOR RESUPPLY MAIL DELIVERY	
Student Name 220 Grove Avenue Prescott, AZ 86301	Mail, packages and/or supplies must be received at the Mailroom by noon for delivery to the Wilderness Orientation resupply sites.

Wednesday, September 15 OCU Wilderness & Community-Based Orientation

9:00a – 4:00p	Wilderness Orientation Gear De-issue
Warehouse	Group Gear De-issue with Warehouse Staff
9:00a – 4:00p	All Orientation Groups - Self-Evaluations and Signature Assignments
TBA	Upload self-evaluations and signature assignments with the help of Learning Technology.
4:30p - 5:45p	All Orientation Groups - Student Group Debriefs

TBA	Orientation students will meet with their Course Directors to debrief Orientation and provide feedback for the program and Instructors.
6:00p - 8:30p	Dinner and Closing Ceremony
Crossroads Café	Dinner for All Orientation Students in Groups & Closing Ceremony.

Thursday, September 16 Community Resource & Information Sessions

9:00a - 10:00a	Welcome Back! Tour of Campus with Community Based Orientation Students
Meet at the Village Parking Lot	Join the CBO students to eat donuts and some sun teas from the garden and learn about your new campus home!
10:00a - 11:00a	General Scholarship Strategies with Financial Aid
Online	Join Financial Aid Staff to learn about available scholarships and navigating financial aid. https://prescottcollege.zoom.us/j/92274039561
11:00a – 11:30p	Tools for Academic Success at Prescott College
Learning Commons	Academic Advising staff will introduce Academic Support services and tools for student success. Get your questions answered by our experts!
11:30a -12:30p	Career Services Info Session
Learning Commons	Join Rich Ormond, the director of Career Services at Prescott College, to learn more about work study opportunities, internships, and other career support services that we offer.
1:30p - 2:30p	Sustainability at Prescott College - Workshop and Garden Walk
Meet at the Café	Join the Sustainability Coordinator to learn about how you can be involved in our sustainability initiatives on-campus and in the community!

Thursday, September 16 - Sunday, September 19 Residential Life FUN Events!

Stay tuned for information on residential life events and programming for new students!