

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION SPRING 2009

International Student Orientation Headquarters: 1500 Pine, Academic Support Services Office, Suite 102. Please report here for any questions regarding event information, campus and residential issues, or any other questions. There will always be someone here to help and provide handouts with details about International Student events and issues. Student Services, 3rd Floor, Gershman Y Building, will also be able to help if needed.

International Student Orientation Schedule: Sunday, January 11th-Tuesday, January 13th

Sunday, January 11th: ARRIVAL & MOVE-IN, 1500 Pine Street

9 AM - 4 PM, Arrival and Welcome: REQUIRED for those living in Dormitory.

Arrival at 1500 Pine Street, Residential Life Office and Academic Support offices.

- Check-in for orientation; receive Orientation packet with important updates and event locations
- Retrieve your student ID (as long as you have sent or emailed your photograph)
- Transportation provided to transport you and your luggage to your dormitory. Unpack, relax
- Document Registration

Dormitory Residences' Dinner

Location: 1500 Pine, Academic Support Services Office

Time: 6:00 – 8:00 PM

Monday, January 12th : MANDATORY INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PRE-ORIENTATION

REQUIRED Breakfast

F-1 Visa Regulations Meeting ·Document Registration ·Strategies for Adapting to life in Philadelphia and at UArts: stories and advice by current international students

Location: 1500 Pine, Academic Support Services

Time: 10:00 AM- 12:00 PM

Trolley Tour of Philadelphia & Shopping trip

Location: Meet in lobby of Gershman Y at 12:45.

Time: 1:00-4:00 PM

Art and Cocktail Party, International Students and Parents

Location: Levitt Auditorium

Time: 5:00-7:00 PM

Tuesday, January 13th: INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION

**PARENTS of INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS BRUNCH GATHERING AND
INFORMATIONAL SESSION**

10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Location: 1500 Pine Street, Academic Support Services

ESL & INTERNATIONAL STUDENT TESTING

10:00 AM-12:00 PM: Testing, International Corridor, 4th Floor Gershman

12:00-1:00 PM: Lunch, Hamilton Hall

2:00-4:00 PM: Testing, International Corridor, 4th Floor Gershman