

# STUDENT SCHEDULE



## THURSDAY, AUGUST 21: The Welcoming Community of NU

**9:00am–12:00pm**

**Residential Student Check-In**

**Drive-Thru Line**

Students living on campus should check in via our drive-thru line where they'll receive important resources and meal tickets for the rest of the day. Enter through the main campus entrance and follow the staff and signs to our check-in tents.

**9:00am–3:30pm**

**Information and Hospitality Tent**

**GPC Courtyard**

Drop by our Welcome Weekend Information & Hospitality tent to pick up or purchase your meal tickets for the day, get connected with Parent Relations, buy some NU Merch, or meet our University President when he is not busy moving in students. You can even connect with some local businesses for a treat or a picture.

**10:00am–3:30pm**

**Aerie Open**

**Pecota Student Center**

Come enjoy a beverage and a yummy treat at our university coffee shop.

**11:30am–1:30pm**

**Lunch**

**The Caf**

If you moved in between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m., we invite you to join us in The Caf for a meal. Blue meal tickets are required for lunch and found in your Welcome Weekend nametag you received in the drive-thru line. Tickets for family and guests are available for purchase or pickup at our Welcome Weekend Information & Hospitality tent.

**2:30pm–3:30pm**

**Commuter Student Check-In**

**Fee Hall**

Students living off campus should check in outside of Fee Hall where they'll receive important resources, a t-shirt, and a green meal ticket for dinner. Family and Guests can pick up or purchase their meal tickets at our Welcome Weekend Information & Hospitality tent during the community picnic.

**3:45pm–4:45pm**

**Welcome Session**

**Butterfield Chapel**

Help us kick off Welcome Weekend by joining us for worship, a note from our University President and to hear all about what this weekend has to offer.

**4:45pm–6:00pm**

**Information and Hospitality Tent**

**Eagle Fields**

Drop by our Welcome Weekend Information & Hospitality tent to pick up or purchase your meal tickets, get connected with Parent Relations, or buy some NU Merch.

**4:45pm–5:45pm**

**Community Picnic**

**Eagle Fields**

Enjoy a meal with the rest of our incoming students, families, guests, student leaders, staff and faculty. Green meal tickets are required for dinner.

**5:45pm–6:00pm**

**Family Farewell**

**Eagle Fields**

Join us in a time of prayer and goodbyes as we send off students to their Welcome Weekend groups for the rest of the evening and weekend.

**6:00pm**

**Class Photo**

**Eagle Fields**

Take the annual incoming class photo with our mascot, followed by some fun group games.

**6:15pm**

**WW Group Time**

**Eagle Fields**

Meet your WW Group for the first time! This is the group you will be with all weekend.

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**7:15pm**

**Begin your NU Story**

**Butterfield Chapel**

Learn about the people who have come before you as you embark on the beginning of your own NU Story.

**7:45pm**

**S'mingle (S'mores and Mingle)**

**The Green**

Meet new friends and enjoy s'mores outside, during this event hosted by NU's Student Activities Board (SAB).

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## FRIDAY, AUGUST 22: The Community of Academic Excellence

**Wear your new WW t-shirt today!**

**7:00am–9:00am**

**Breakfast**

**The Caf**

Free for all new students. Please show your ID card to the Caf Team upon entry.

**8:00am–8:30am**

**Wake up with Wellness - Walk**

**Meet on the Green**

If you'd like to get your body moving before our first session, join us for a walk through our beautiful watershed park.

**8:45am–9:00am**

**Morning Worship Session**

**Argue HSC Patio**

Join us for a time of worship and prayer, followed by an introduction of the day by the university Provost.

**9:00am–9:50am**

**Pastries with Professors**

**HSC Fireside**

This is a time to grab pastries and meet a professor or dean from your major! Locations will be given out at the morning worship session – you will not want to miss out!

### Academic Excellence Sessions

Hear from our Provost and Academic Success team on the different methods to succeed in our first year at NU. You will attend all three rotations with your identified group.

**Group A: WW Groups 1-5**

**Group B: WW Groups 5-10**

**Group C: WW Groups 11-15**

**10:00am–10:30am**

**Rotation 1**

Group A  
Group B  
Group C

Pivotal Steps from the Provost  
Academic Tips and Tricks  
WW Group Time

HSC 104  
Millard Theater  
Various

**10:40pm–11:10pm**

**Rotation 2**

Group A  
Group B  
Group C

Academic Tips and Tricks  
WW Group Time  
Pivotal Steps from the Provost

Millard Theater  
Various  
HSC 104

**11:20am–11:50am**

**Rotation 3**

Group A  
Group B  
Group C

WW Group Time  
Pivotal Steps from the Provost  
Academic Tips and Tricks

Various  
HSC 104  
Millard Theater

**12:00pm–1:00pm**

**Lunch**

**The Caf**

Free for all new students. Please show your ID card to the Caf Team upon entry.

**12:30pm–5:00pm**

**Aerie Open**

**Pecota Student Center**

Come enjoy a beverage and a yummy treat at our university coffee shop. Don't forget to use your Flex Dollars!

**1:00pm–2:00pm**

**Free Time**

**Various**

Enjoy some time off by hanging out with new friends, preparing for classes, or finishing setting up your room!

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**1:00pm–2:00 pm**

**New International Student Meeting**

**Millard Theater**

\*For all incoming international students in CELE, Exchange, or Traditional Undergraduate programs.

**2:00pm–2:40pm**

**Settling in at NU Workshops**

**Various**

A full list of workshops and descriptions can be found on our schedules page and in the Campus Groups app.

**2:45pm–3:30pm**

**Dessert with Campus Leaders**

**The Green**

Grab a treat and meet the staff members who are crucial campus leaders, here at NU.

**3:30pm-4:10pm**

**Student Athlete Orientation**

**Fee 7**

New student athletes-- welcome to campus! Come hear from several of our coaches and returning athletes on an engaging panel about what it is like to balance student life and athletics.

**3:30pm-4:10pm**

**Northwest Music Group Interest**

**HSC 104**

Interested in getting involved in music here at NU? Come to HSC 104 to hear about all the opportunities here at NU including NU worship, Choralons, concert choir, orchestra, and other groups!

**3:30-4:30pm**

**Free Time**

**Library/The Green**

If you'd like to continue to have some fun, head to the Library for some board games or the Green for Beach Volleyball

**4:30pm-6:00pm**

**Dinner**

**The Caf**

Free for all new students. Please show your ID card to the Caf Team upon entry.

## **Experience Kirkland**

Go on this walking tour around Downtown Kirkland with your Welcome Weekend group. Visit local businesses, get some treats, and participate in our annual Welcome Weekend lake jump! Make sure to wear your WW t-shirt.

**Wave A: WW Groups 1-5**

**Wave B: WW Groups 6-10**

**Wave C: WW Groups 11-15**

**6:00pm**

**Wave A**

**Meet on Green**

**6:25pm**

**Wave B**

**Meet on Green**

**6:50pm**

**Wave C**

**Meet on Green**

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## SATURDAY, AUGUST 23: The Community of Empowered Engagement

**7:00am–9:00am**

**Breakfast**

**The Caf**

For those living on campus, swipe your ID card. For commuters, please see the WW Leader to be counted.

**9:00am–9:15am**

**Wake up with Wellness - Stretching**

**The Green**

If you'd like to get your body moving before our first session of the day, join us for some stretching on the green.

**9:30am–11:15am**

**Life in Community Session**

**Chapel**

*Theme: Get Involved*

Our Student Development Team is excited to engage with you about what life in community looks like at Northwest University. Community is not just a word we say – it is one we live out with great intention.

**11:30am–1:00pm**

**Lunch**

**The Caf**

For those living on campus, swipe your ID card. For commuters, please see the WW Leader to be counted.

**1:00pm–2:15pm**

**Life in Community Session**

**Chapel**

*Theme: Healthy Community*

Our Student Development Team will continue in this afternoon's session to talk about healthy ways to live in community and how you contribute to this. Important resources will also be shared.

**2:00pm–5:00pm**

**Aerie Open**

**Pecota Student Center**

Come enjoy a beverage and a yummy treat at our university coffee shop. Don't forget to use your Flex Dollars!

**2:15pm–2:30pm**

**Snack Break!**

**Secrist Plaza**

### Workshop Rotations

A full list of workshops and descriptions can be found on our schedules page and in NU Connect App.

**2:45pm–3:25pm**

**Workshop Rotation 1**

**Various**

**3:30pm–4:10pm**

**Workshop Rotation 2**

**Various**

**4:15pm–5:00pm**

**Free Time**

**Various**

**5:00pm–6:30pm**

**Dinner**

**The Caf**

For those living on campus, swipe your ID card. For commuters, please see the WW Leader to be counted.

**6:30pm–8:00pm**

**New Student Bingo!**

**GPC Courtyard**

Come to the GPC courtyard for a fun night hanging out with new friends and winning prizes that are perfect for you!

**8:15pm–9:30pm**

**Home Team Huddle**

**Various**

Where you live matters, but more importantly, it is who you live with. The Home Team Huddle allows you to get to know the people who live on the floor with you or within your building. We'll disperse you by floor from Bingo. Commuters – even though you do not live on campus, we have some important people for you to meet who will plan your time together! This is a great way to begin getting involved!

On Campus Residents  
Commuters

Meet in your hall  
Meet in Pecota Lounge

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## SUNDAY, AUGUST 24: The Community of Spiritual Vitality

We encourage all students to attend a local church with their Welcome Weekend group.

**11:30am–1:30pm**

**Lunch**

**The Caf**

For those living on campus, swipe your ID card. For commuters, please see the WW Leader to be counted.

**1:00pm–5:00pm**

**Aerie Open**

**Pecota Student Center**

Come enjoy a beverage and a yummy treat at our university coffee shop. Don't forget to use your Flex Dollars!

**1:00pm–3:00pm**

**Package Pick-Up Window**

**Lower Barton/IT**

Did you get a package/book delivered to Northwest over the weekend? Come by Print and Mail Services to pick up any packages for which you received an email about.

**2:00pm–2:30pm**

**WW Group – Final Time**

**The Green**

Meet with your WW groups one last time to reflect on the weekend and ask any questions before school starts.

**2:30pm–3:00pm**

**WW Groups – Classroom Exploration**

**Start on the Green**

Embark on a classroom tour to find your classes with your WW leaders for the first day of classes tomorrow. Don't forget your class schedule.

**3:00pm–5:00pm**

**Rec Fest**

**Around the Green**

Join us on the Green for a fun time of outdoor games. If you are interested in beach volleyball, pickleball, outdoor basketball, spike ball, or enjoy watching sports, this is a great event for you! If card games are more your style, we will have those too!

**5:00pm–7:00pm**

**Dinner**

**The Caf**

For those living on campus, swipe your ID card. For commuters, please see the WW Leader to be counted.

**6:00pm–7:00pm**

**Honors Program Dessert**

**Pavilion Lawn**

If you are an honors student, come to the pavilion lawn to enjoy ice cream and meet other honors students.

**7:00pm–8:00pm**

**Ignite: Worship Service**

**Secrist Plaza**

Join us as we close out Welcome Weekend and kick off the beginning of the year with a worship and prayer service, igniting our hearts, minds, and lives to Christ. This is one of the most beloved events of the year.

**8:15pm**

**On-Campus Mandatory Meetings**

If you live in the residence halls or student apartments, you are required to attend our annual On-Campus Mandatory Meetings. You will meet your Resident Assistant (RA), Area Coordinator (AC), and learn more about living on campus!

Guy, Perks & Crowder

Butterfield Chapel

Gray & Beatty

Millard Theater

Student Apartments

HSC 104

\*FIRs Apartment Residents do not need to attend Mandatory Meetings.