

Dear Student,

On behalf of the Office of Student Affairs, welcome to the Pitzer community! We are excited to have you on campus in a few short months. The New Student Orientation (NSO) program is designed to introduce you to the many aspects of life at Pitzer and provide you with all you need to know to get off to a good start.

Below you will find preliminary information about NSO and what to expect this summer. This email is just meant to give you a taste of what's ahead so don't worry, we will be in touch with deadline reminders, additional resources, and program updates.

Important Dates

Late May | Information Technology (IT) will email you with your Pitzer email address, single sign-on (SSO) login credentials, and Pitzer ID number. Be sure to set up your account as soon as you get this email so you'll have everything in place to complete your remaining summer tasks below.

Early June | You'll gain access to Sakai, Pitzer's course management platform, which will serve as your guide to all NSO pre-arrival tasks and details. This will be the starting point for your orientation experience!

July 1 | Deadline to complete pre-arrival tasks.

Late July | Housing, Orientation Adventure (OA) trip, and First Year Seminar (FYS) placements will be released via email.

August 2023

- August 19 - **New Student move in** timeslots will be assigned by last name. More detailed info will be released later this summer.
- August 20-27 - **New Student Orientation & Orientation Adventure**
- August 28 - **Classes begin!**

Additional Resources

As you await further details, feel free to browse the resources below to get familiar with Pitzer's resources.

- [NSO website](#) | Check out the NSO schedule and preliminary OA trip details/offerings!
- [New Student Housing website](#) | Housing selection process information for incoming first years can be found here.
- Follow these key accounts on Instagram: [@pz.orientation](#), [@pzreslife](#)

We will be in touch soon! But, if you have any questions in the meantime, feel free to email us at orientation@pitzer.edu.

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