

Student Leader Orientation Schedule 2024-2025

Wednesday, September 4th – Student Leaders Arrive		
10:00 a.m12:00 p.m.	Registration	MGC Student Center
12:00-12:45 p.m.	Lunch	Peirce Dining Hall
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Unpacking and Dorm Room Set-Up	Dorms
1:00-3:00 p.m.	Student Leader Welcome & Workshop	VPAC
3:00-3:30 p.m	Break	
3:30-4:30 p.m.	Student Leader Workshop	VPAC
4:30-5:30 p.m.	Skit Rehearsal	VPAC
5:30-6:00 p.m.	Break & Time to Dress for Dinner	
6:00-7:00 p.m.	Dinner with Head of School, Amy Clemons	Peirce Dining Hall
7:00-8:00 p.m.	Dessert & Registration Expectations Student Leaders & Houseparents	Head of School's House
8:00-9:00 p.m.	Skit Wrap-up	VPAC
9:00 p.m.	Check-In	Dorms
9:00-10:00 p.m.	Houseparent Meeting Meet with both houseparents & prepare dorms for student arrival	Dorms
10:30 p.m.	Lights Out	Dorms



Thursday, September 5th – Student Leader Training		
9:00-9:45 a.m.	Breakfast	Peirce Dining Hall
10:00 a.m12:00 p.m.	Student Leader Programming	VPAC
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Lunch	Peirce Dining Hall
1:15-2:15 p.m.	Skit Rehearsal	VPAC
2:30-4:00 p.m.	Target Trip	Torrington, CT
5:30-8:00 p.m.	Dinner & Bowling Off-Campus	Bristol, CT
8:00 p.m.	Houseparent Meeting & Dorm Setup	Dorms



Friday, September 6th – New Students Arrive		
7:30-8:15 a.m.	Breakfast for Student Leaders	Peirce Dining Hall
9:00-11:00 a.m.	New Boarding Student Registration Student Leaders assigned to locations	MGC Student Center
11:00-11:30 a.m.	New Day Student Registration	MGC Student Center
12:00-12:45 p.m.	Lunch	Peirce Dining Hall
1:00-2:00 p.m.	New Student Activities	Fields
1:00-2:00 p.m.	New Parent Meeting "Dropping Your Student off at Forman: What You Should Know" with Head of School Amy Clemons and Assistant Head of School Allie Maxwell	VPAC
2:00-4:45 p.m.	Boarding students complete move-in	
3:15-3:45 p.m.	Advisor Meet & Greet Refreshments available	Peirce Dining Hall
3:45-4:45 p.m.	Day Student & Parent Meeting With the Deans' Office	Peirce Dining Lounge
5:00 p.m.	Parents Depart Campus	
5:00-5:15 p.m.	Dorm Meeting	Dorms
5:15-6:00 p.m.	New Student Welcome Assembly	VPAC
6:00 p.m.	Dinner by Dorm	Peirce Dining Hall
7:15 p.m.	Check-in with Dorm and Walk Over to VPAC	
7:30-8:30 p.m.	All-School Meeting Major School Rules, Skits, Technology Plan	VPAC
8:45-10:00 p.m.	Dorm Meeting (<i>Boundaries</i>) and Additional Unpacking	Dorms
10:00 p.m.	Day Students Depart Campus, Lights Out	MGC Student Center



Saturday, September 7th - New Student Orientation		
8:00-8:45 a.m.	Breakfast	Peirce Dining Hall
8:45-11:25 a.m.	New Student Rotation ☐ IT & NFC Tags ☐ Mindfulness Activity ☐ OLS ☐ Athletics	MGC Student Center
11:30 a.m12:15 p.m.	Lunch for New Students & Student Leaders	Peirce Dining Hall
12:30-3:10 p.m.	New Student Rotation ☐ IT & NFC Tags ☐ Mindfulness Activity ☐ OLS ☐ Athletics	MGC Student Center
3:30-5:30 p.m.	Scavenger Hunt Challenge	VPAC
6:00-7:00 p.m.	Dinner by Dorm	Peirce Dining Hall
6:45-7:45 p.m.	Games on the Green, Fire Pit, & S'Mores	Green
8:00 p.m.	Dorm Meetings & Check-In	Dorms
8:30 p.m.	Forman 101 and Q&A with Student Leaders	Dorms
9:00 p.m.	Day Students Depart Campus	MGC Student Center
10:00 p.m.	Lights Out	



Sunday, September 8th - Returning Students Arrive		
8:00-8:45 a.m.	Breakfast	Peirce Dining Hall
8:45 a.m12:00 p.m.	New Student Activities	Off-Campus Hike
9:00 a.m12:00 p.m.	Returning Student Registration	MGC Student Center
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Lunch	Peirce Dining Hall
1:00-3:00 p.m.	Boarding Students Complete Move-In	
1:30-2:30 p.m.	Returning Day Students & Parents Meeting with the Deans' Office	Peirce Dining Lounge
3:00 p.m.	Parents Depart Campus	
3:15-4:45 p.m.	Dorm Meetings ☐ Roommate Agreements ☐ Door Stop Decorating ☐ Fire-Drill Walk-Through	Dorms
5:00-5:45 p.m.	Summer Reading	VPAC
6:00-7:00 p.m.	Dinner by Advisory	Peirce Dining Hall
7:15 p.m.	Check-In with Dorm & Walk Over to VPAC	
7:30-8:30 p.m.	All-School Meeting ☐ Major School Rules ☐ Skits ☐ Technology Plan	VPAC
8:45-10:00 p.m.	Dorm Meeting ☐ Decorate Dorm Flag ☐ Sign-up for Tomorrow's Activities	Dorms
10:00 p.m.	Day Students Depart Campus	



Monday, September 9th - TReK		
9th Grade	Exploring the Town of Litchfield	
10th Grade	Exploring Low & High Ropes Courses and Team Building	
11th Grade	Hiking, Team Building	
12th Grade/PG	Hiking, Senior Year Planning, Service Project	

Tuesday, September 10th - On-Campus Programming		
9:00-10:00 a.m.	Breakfast by Dorm	Peirce Dining Hall
10:00 a.m12:15 p.m.	All Students & Fall Coaches Meet	VPAC
12:15-1:00 p.m.	Lunch by Dorm	Peirce Dining Hall
1:15-2:15 p.m.	Dorm Meetings ☐ Community Expectations ☐ Get Ready for Campus Olympics	Dorms
2:30 p.m.	Campus Olympics by Dorm	Green
5:00-6:00 p.m.	Downtime and Get Ready for Dinner	
6:00 p.m.	Dinner by Dorm	Peirce Dining Hall
8:00 p.m.	Dorm Check-In	Dorms
8:30 p.m.	Day Students Depart Campus	MGC Student Center
10:00 p.m.	Lights Out	

First Day of Classes: Wednesday, September 11th