

WELCOME TO ERAU.

EAGLE TAKEOFF **ORIENTATION SCHEDULE**

2017-2018 | ACADEMIC YEAR





SPREAD YOUR WINGS... TAKE A LEAP...AND LEARN TO SOAR

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University's **EAGLE TAKEOFF** Orientation is intended for all new, incoming students. As a result of attending, students will:

- **Learn about shared beliefs of the university**
- **Meet and form relationships with peers**
- **Gain a sense of school spirit**
- **Become equipped with information to be successful in college**

BUILDING LEGEND

COA | College of Aviation

COAS | College of Arts and Sciences

COB | College of Business

EBM | Emil Buehler Aviation Maintenance Science Building

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● International Students

● ROTC

MONDAY, AUGUST 21

- ● **8:30 – 11 a.m.** **Embry-Riddle Check-In:
International Students, ARMY & NAVAL ROTC**
ICI Center

At check-in you will receive a full schedule of orientation events. Supplemental tables will also be available including Records & Registration, Bursar, International Admissions, Flight Department, and EAGLEcard. Parents and family members should also check-in at this time.

ARMY & NAVAL ROTC Pre-Orientation Sessions

International Student Pre-Orientation Sessions

- **5:30 - 7 p.m.** **International Student BBQ**
Fitness Center & Pool BBQ Pits

Come have dinner with your fellow international students and the International Student Services team!

- **7 – 8 p.m.** **International Student Social**
Student Village

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22

- **9 - 10:30 a.m.** **International Student Group Meetings and Mentor Assignments**
Willie Miller IC Lobby

The International Student Programming Council is happy to help in your first steps of becoming acclimated to life at Embry-Riddle! The conversations that you have, games you will play, and people you will meet will set you up well for the future. By participating in the Mentor program, you will have a great resource in a fellow international student who wants to ensure that you succeed.

- **ARMY & NAVAL ROTC Pre-Orientation Sessions**

- **10:30 - 11:30 a.m.** **International Student Pre-Orientation and Late Check-In Sessions**
Henderson

- **noon - 1:30 p.m.** **International Student Lunch**
Flight Deck

Lunch will be provided. Join your mentors and your new friends for a lunch filled with great food and better conversation!

- **1 – 4 p.m.** **Embry-Riddle Check-In:
Flight, Honors, and LLC Students**
ICI Center

At check-in you will receive a full schedule of orientation events. Supplemental tables will also be available including Records & Registration, Bursar, International Admissions, Flight Department, and EAGLEcard. Parents and family members should also check-in at this time.

- **1:30 - 2:30 p.m.** **Diversity & Inclusion Session**
Duva Ballroom, Henderson Welcome Center

- **2:30 - 4 p.m.** **Round Robin Sessions**
With your group, rotate through informative and interactive sessions with the Center for Faith & Spirituality, Global Engagement, Sodexo (the campus caterer), Campus Safety & Security, Student Employment, First Year Programs, Health Services, and Dean of Students.

- **4 - 5 p.m.** **Ice Cream Social**
AMS Observation Deck

Please join us for a fun get-together to close out the day and share your experiences – and a sweet treat– with each other and our welcoming team.



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23

● 8 a.m. – noon

ARMY & NAVAL ROTC Pre-Orientation Sessions
International Student Pre-Orientation Sessions
Pre-Flight Meetings

9 a.m.

Honors Program Pre-Orientation Session

College of Business Living-Learning Community Meeting
Student Village, 4th Floor of Woods Hall

● 9 - 10:30 a.m.

Exchange & Mobility Student Orientation

All J visa and exchange/visitor, fee-paying, non-degree students must attend this orientation that this specific to your special status needs.

9 a.m. - noon

General Embry-Riddle Check-In
ICI Center

At check-in you will receive a full schedule of orientation events. Supplemental tables will also be available including Records & Registration, Bursar, International Admissions, Flight Department, and EAGLEcard. Parents and family members should also check-in at this time. Students who have already checked in for a pre-orientation do not have to check in again.

9 a.m. - noon

Student Services Resource Fair
ICI Center

Visit with campus departments and local vendors to learn more about the services and opportunities on campus and in the local community. This is a great place to get your questions answered.

2:30 – 5:30 p.m.

MANDATORY Academic Program Briefings for New Students & Families

Each Academic Program will present once in the time listed below. All students are required to attend. Family members are encouraged to participate

1 - 2 p.m.	Mechanical Engineering Briefing	Willie Miller IC 101
1 - 2 p.m.	College of Business New & Transfer Briefing	Henderson
1 - 2 p.m.	Applied Aviation Sciences Briefing (ATM, CSO, OMET, MET, ADS)	COA 139 & 3rd Floor
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Aerospace Engineering Briefing	ICI Center
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Unmanned Aircraft Systems Briefing	COA 139
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Civil Engineering Briefing	Lehman 332
2:30 p.m. – 4 p.m.	Aviation Maintenance Science	Willie Miller IC 101
3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Aeronautical Science Briefing	ICI Center
4 - 5 p.m.	ECSSE Briefing	Willie Miller IC 101
4 - 5 p.m.	College of Arts & Sciences Briefings	
	Human Factors & Systems	COAS 402
	Physical Sciences: AA & SP	COAS 207
	Physical Sciences: EP	COAS 501
	Communications	COAS 206
	Interdisciplinary Studies	COAS 201.45
	Mathematics	COAS 301.40
	Security Studies and International Affairs: HS, SS, GCS	Henderson
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Flight Training Briefing	ICI Center

5 - 6 p.m.

Regional Receptions

Take this opportunity to meet with other students and families that come from your geographic region! Information about the new Embry-Riddle Parent Association will also be provided.

Midwest Families	COAS Atrium
Northeast Families	COA Atrium
Southeast Families	COB Atrium
Southwest Families	COE Atrium
Northwest Families	Willie Miller IC Auditorium
International Families	HUB

5 - 7 p.m.

Veteran Student Services Orientation
Henderson Welcome Center

7 - 8 p.m.

MANDATORY Residence Hall Wing Meetings
Your residence floor or hall

8:30 p.m.

TNG Outdoor Movie: Guardians of the Galaxy Vol. 2
West Lawn

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

8 a.m.

Composition Evaluation
College of Arts & Sciences 202 & 203

9 - 10:30 a.m.

Eagle Takeoff Welcome

ICI Center Doors open at 8:30 a.m. Students are encouraged to sit in the chairs on the gymnasium floor with their peers. Parents and families are encouraged to sit in the bleacher seating. Embry-Riddle administration, faculty, staff, students and alumni welcome you to the 2017-18 school year.

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. **Class Photo**
Embry-Riddle Soccer Field

11 a.m. - noon **Parent and Family Orientation Session: Top 10 Tips from Faculty**
ICI Center

● **11 a.m. - 1 p.m.** **Meet & Eat with your O-Team Ambassador**
Assigned Classroom

After the Eagle Takeoff Welcome concludes and the class photo is taken, you will go with your Orientation Group for lunch and your first group meeting. Box lunches will be provided for all students, and one meal plan credit will be deducted from your plan.

1 - 4 p.m. **O-Group: Get Connected and Student Information Sessions**
Various Locations

1:30 - 4 p.m. **Parent and Family Orientation Session: Student Services Q&A**
ICI Center

● **4:30 - 5 p.m.** **New Student Convocation**
ICI Center

This ceremony marks the beginning of your academic experience at Embry-Riddle. The Class of 2021 will receive their academic charge and the class flag will be unveiled.

5 - 7 p.m. **Parent and Family Farewell Social**
Connolly Quad & West Lawn

Come relax and enjoy a reception to celebrate students and families! Tent seating will be designated for each of the Colleges where you can mix and mingle with Embry-Riddle administration, faculty and staff.

9 - 11 p.m. **Student Social: Departure Lounge**
JP Riddle Student Center

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

8 a.m. **ALEKS Math Placement Evaluation**
COAS 202 & 203

9 a.m. - noon **Student Group Meetings with O-Team Ambassador**
Various Locations

1 - 3 p.m. **Eagle Takeoff Advisement and Registration**
College of Business

1 - 4 p.m. **EagleFEST**
Connolly Quad

Meet #EagleNation on the Quad. Enjoy games and carnival treats and find out about Fraternity & Sorority Life, Athletics, Rec Sports, Student Government and more.

4 - 5:30 p.m. **Sex Signals (groups 1-20)**
Willie Miller IC Auditorium

A two-person team of highly-trained educators takes the audience on an interactive, relevant, and often-hilarious exploration of the cultural messaging we receive about gender, sexuality, sexual health and intimate relationships.

5:30 - 6:30 p.m. **Hillel Welcome and Shabbat Service**
Center for Faith & Spirituality

6 - 8 p.m. **Commuter and Transfer Student Dinner**
Connolly Quad Tent

7 - 8:30 p.m. **Sex Signals (groups 21-40)**
Willie Miller IC Auditorium

A two-person team of highly-trained educators takes the audience on an interactive, relevant, and often-hilarious exploration of the cultural messaging we receive about gender, sexuality, sexual health and intimate relationships.

9 - 11 p.m. **Paint-U: The WIKD Paint Party**
West Lawn

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

9 a.m. - 1 p.m. **Flight Line Assimilation Program**
Willie Miller IC Auditorium



- 10 - 10:30 a.m.** **O-Group Meetings**
Various Locations
- 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.** **Service Project: Rise Against Hunger**
Student Center
- 1 - 3 p.m.** **PLAYFAIR**
ICI Center
- 3 - 4 p.m.** **Muslim Students Association Welcome Gathering**
Center for Faith & Spirituality
- 5 p.m.** **Volleyball Game**
ICI Center
- 5:30 p.m.** **Tailgate**
Embry-Riddle Soccer Complex
- 6 p.m.** **Men's Soccer vs. Daytona State**
Embry-Riddle Soccer Complex
- 8 - 9:30 p.m.** **TNG Presents: Epic Magic Tour**
Student Center
- 10 p.m.** **Movie in the Hangar: Top Gun**
Q-Hangar

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

- **8 a.m. - 4 p.m.** **Air Force ROTC Orientation**
Willie Miller IC Auditorium
- 2 - 6 p.m.** **School's Back Beach Bash**
Frank Rendon Park
2705 S Atlantic Ave, Daytona Beach, FL 32118
Enjoy this beach party just for Riddle students. You must bring a valid EAGLEcard and sign a waiver to participate in the fun! Buses leave the Voyager Lot across the street from the Student Village beginning at 1:30 p.m. Buses will run from campus to the beach in a continuous loop from 1:30 to 6:30 p.m.
- **5 - 7 p.m.** **Air Force ROTC BBQ**
ROTC Building
- 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.** **Fellowship of Christian Athletes LAUNCH Worship Service**
Willie Miller IC Auditorium
- 7 - 8 p.m.** **Catholic Student Union Catholic Mass**
Center for Faith & Spirituality

MONDAY, AUGUST 28

- 8 a.m.** **Classes Begin**
- 4 - 5 p.m.** **Meditation in the Buddhist Tradition**
Center for Faith & Spirituality
- 8 - 11 p.m.** **TNG Presents: Hypnotist**
ICI Center



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