

# SAINT MARY'S SCHOOL

Welcome Week 2019 | Orientation | Friday, August 23 – Sunday, August 25

*Event descriptions below*

<b>Fri., August 23</b>	<b>NEW DAY AND NEW BOARDING STUDENTS</b>	<b>RETURNING STUDENTS</b>
8 – 9 a.m.	<b>Breakfast</b>   <i>Chan-Poyner Hall, Dining Room</i>	
9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	<b>Thriving Saints: New Student Orientation</b> <i>Kenan Library</i>	<b>Yoga Wellness Programming   10 a.m. – 12 p.m.</b> <i>Smedes-Emory Parlor</i>
	<b>ALL STUDENTS</b> ( <i>New, returning, day, boarding</i> )	
12 – 1 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>   <i>Chan-Poyner Hall, Dining Room</i>	
1 – 3 p.m.	<b>Assembly and Aldert Smedes Classic</b>   <i>Pittman Auditorium and Hannah Smith '12 Quad</i>	
3:30 – 6 p.m.	<b>Athletics</b>   3:30 – 6 p.m. <b>Athletic Practices &amp; Try-outs</b>   <i>Practice Fields, Court, Gym</i> <b>Triangle Fitness</b>   <i>Wellness Center, Lower Bacon Gym</i>	<b>Arts</b>   3:30 – 5:30 p.m. <b>Theatre Read-Through of Fall Play</b> <i>Pittman Auditorium</i> <b>Orchesis Modern Dance Class</b>   <i>Dance Studios, Lower Bacon</i>
6:15 p.m.	<b>Dinner</b>	
7:30 – 9 p.m.	<b>Fourth Friday: Saints Soiree</b>	

## Thriving Saints: New Student Orientation

Designed to help our new students transition successfully to Saint Mary's. The first of two sessions of Thriving Saints, this Friday session engages students in conversations with our Health and Wellness team, campus security, our library staff, technology department, and Seminar leaders. All new students are required to attend this session.

## Wellness Programming

Returning students will participate in a yoga wellness program, promotes better overall health, strength and focus.

## Assembly and Aldert Smedes Classic

All students will attend assembly in Pittman Auditorium, where the Executive SGA will officially open the new school year. Get excited to hear from various members of our community, learn more about student traditions and find out about what's coming this fall! Following assembly, students will participate in the Aldert Smedes Classic, a favorite Welcome Week tradition. Students will compete in teams to win a variety of contests organized by the Executive SGA. Bring your comfortable clothing and shoes so you can run around with ease!

## Dinner

Evening festivities will begin with a special dinner in the dining hall for all students. Enjoy a yummy menu, music, and more! We ask that all students attend this dinner. The dress for dinner is casual.

## Saints Soiree

There will be games, food, face painting, a DJ, and more! Dress is casual and all students are asked to attend. Don't miss out on spending time with your new friends at this can't-be-missed extravaganza!

**Sat., August 24**

\*Please note that returning day students are not required to attend any of Saturday's activities unless involved as a student leader or in athletics

8 – 9 a.m.	<b>Breakfast</b>   Chan-Poyner Hall, Dining Room		
9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	<b>NEW &amp; RETURNING BOARDERS   Boarding Life Orientation</b> , Pittman Auditorium		
12 – 1 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>   Chan-Poyner Hall, Dining Room		
1 - 3 p. m.	<b>NEW DAY &amp; BOARDING STUDENTS   Thriving Saints: New Student Orientation</b> , Kenan Library		
3 – 4 p.m.	<b>NEW FALL STUDENT ATHLETES</b>   Concussion Testing, Ragland Auditorium		
3:30 – 5:30 p.m.	<b>ATHLETICS</b> <b>Athletic Practices &amp; Try-outs</b> <i>Practice Fields, Court, Gym</i>	<b>ARTS</b> <b>Technical Theatre Workshop</b> <i>Pittman Auditorium</i> <b>Orchesis Ballet Class</b> <i>Dance Studios, Lower Bacon Gym</i>	<b>NEW BOARDING STUDENTS</b> <i>(not in athletics or art programming)</i> <b>Taste of Weekend Activities</b> <b>Explore Downtown Raleigh</b> Day students are welcome to join! <i>ATP Desk, Lower Smedes</i>
6 – 7 p.m.	<b>ALL BOARDING STUDENTS</b>   Residential Life Programming		
7:30 – 9 p.m.	<b>Dinner</b>   Chan-Poyner Hall, Dining Room		

**Sun., August 25**

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	<b>Breakfast 9 – 11 a.m., Lunch 12 -1 p.m.</b>   Chan-Poyner Hall, Dining Room		
1 – 4 p.m.	<b>ALL BOARDING STUDENTS</b>   Residential Life Programming		
4 – 5:30 p.m.	<b>FALL STUDENT ATHLETES</b>   Athletic Practices, <i>Practice Fields, Court, Gym</i>		
6 – 7:30 p.m.	<b>ALL BOARDING STUDENTS</b>   Community Dinner and Vespers <i>Dinner, Chan-Poyner Hall, Dining Room   Vespers, Chapel</i>		

<b>Mon., August 26   A-Day First Day of Classes</b>	<b>ALL STUDENTS</b>
8–9:15 a.m.	Period 1
9:25–10:40 a.m.	Period 2
10:45–11 a.m.	Advisory
11–11:30 a.m.	Opening Assembly
11:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m.	Lunch
12:20–1:35 p.m.	Period 3
1:45–3 p.m.	Period 4
3–3:20 p.m.	Tutorial
3:30 p.m.	Co-curricular Practices and Activities