



# Fall 2024 Warrior Welcome

Webber International University is excited to welcome you to the Webber family! We look forward to watching you grow and succeed as a student while you are here. This is an exciting time, and we want you and your family to savor it. As you prepare for your arrival, pay special attention to your designated check-in time. Be sure to visit our Warrior Welcome page (<https://www.webber.edu/event/fall-2024-new-student-orientation/>) for more details. **If you have a Fast Pass, you will skip the Yentes Center and go directly to the Babson Center for your ID, parking pass, and room keys.**  
**Please note that all orientation events are mandatory for ALL new first-year and transfer students.**

## Friday, August 23

	<b>New Student Check-In</b>	
9:00 – 10:00	Last names A-I	Yentes Center
10:00 – 11:00	Last names J-R	Babson Center
11:00 – 12:00	Last names S-Z	
	Check-in begins in the Yentes Center. Students will check-in with Admissions, Financial Aid, Business Office, and Insurance, then move to the Babson Center for Dorm Keys, Parking Decals, and Student IDs. Resident Assistant's (RAs) will be on hand to answer questions, help unload your belongings, and move you into your dorm.	
11:30 – 2:00	<b>Lunch &amp; Campus Connections Fair</b>	Babson Center
	The Warrior's Den Dining Hall will be open for lunch. Students with meal plans can use their Warrior Card. Parents will have the opportunity to purchase lunch as well. The Campus Connections Fair is an event designed to help first-year college students get connected with various resources on campus and in the surrounding community. At the fair, students can meet with faculty from different programs, honors club, and local businesses and organizations.	
1:00 – 3:00	<b>Unpack and Settle In</b>	Residence Halls
	Take some time to unpack and get settled into your dorm. Get to know your roommates and relax before joining us for parent and student sessions.	
3:00 – 4:00	<b>Student Welcome Session</b>	Yentes Center
	Staff to welcome students and explain resources and processes including Academic Support, Resident Assistants, Student Life, Work Order System, Health, Safety, & Security and processes to submit complaints. Dr. Nichole Murray     Dean, College of Health Professions & Sciences Nicole Crain             Director of Learning Commons Joshua Henry             Financial Aid Nadia Arroyo             Housing Coordinator Juliana Hilliard           Student Life Coordinator	
3:00 – 4:00	<b>Parent Q&amp;A Session</b>	Babson Center
	Staff will be available to answer questions and help parents understand the resources available for the students' transition to Webber. Dr. Kenneth Reaves     Campus President/Provost Joshua Henry             Executive Director of Financial Aid Dr. Lacy Edwards        Executive Director of Student Services	

- 4:00 – 5:00      **The Warrior Walk**      Yentes Center  
Concluding the student and parent sessions, our new Warriors will officially begin their journey at Webber International University. Parents are invited to gather outside of the Yentes Center walkway for the Warrior Walk. An official class photo will be taken, and then parents and student will share final hugs and see you soon.
- 5:30 – 7:00      **Dinner**      Babson Center  
The Warriors' Den Dining Hall will be open for dinner. Students with meal plans can use their Warrior Card.
- 8:30 – 10:00      **Ice Breaker & Bon Fire**      Yentes Center  
Lower your guard and let your hair down with an entertaining way to meet other fellow Warriors.

## Saturday, August 24

- 10:00 -12:00      **Academic Fair & Computer Sessions**      Yentes Center
- Group 1 – Academic Fair*  
Students will meet with faculty to discuss available programs and ask questions, then head over to the computer sessions.
- Group 2 – Computer Sessions*      Lab 1  
Students will review how to navigate University resources, including Webber email, Learning Management System, Library & Information Resources, accessing class schedule, and navigating their student information systems portal. Students will then head over to the Academic Fair.
- 11:30 – 2:00      **Brunch**      Babson Center  
The Warrior's Den Dining Hall will be open for brunch. Students with meal plans can use their Warrior Card.
- 1:30 – 4:00      **Webber Football vs. University of Fort Lauderdale**      Webber Turf Field
- 4:15 – 5:00      **Residence Life Meeting**      Residence Halls  
Students will meet with their Resident Assistants for dorm rules and expectations.
- 5:00 -7:00      **Dinner**      Babson Center  
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- 8:30 -10:00      **Alcohol 101/Icebreaker**      Yentes Center  
Students will gather for a meeting on the danger of alcohol and other drugs that are sometimes associated with college life. Expectations and rules will be outlined during this meeting. This will be followed by a fun icebreaker for students to get to know each other.

Sunday, August 25

10:00 -12:00	<b>Placement Testing &amp; Schedule Adjustments</b> Students who have not taken their placement tests will meet in The Learning Commons for required placements tests. Results will be used to register students for the appropriate courses. Schedule changes can also be made at this time.	The Learning Commons
	<b>Last-Minute Assistance</b> Students may stop by The Learning Commons to resolve any outstanding issues or questions they may have before the start of classes. Students can get assistance with last-minute issues related to finalizing paperwork, locating classrooms, academic advising, and other important matters.	The Learning Commons
11:30 -2:00	<b>Brunch</b> The Warrior's Den Dining Hall will be open for brunch. Students with meal plans can use their Warrior Card	Babson Center
2:00 – 2:15	<b>Prepare for Student Activity</b> After brunch, students will head back to their dorm to get comfy shoes and meet up with their Resident Assistant for Beach Volleyball Tournament.	
2:15 – 4:00	<b>Beach Volleyball Tournament</b> Come out to the Student Life Courtyard and enjoy a friendly tournament of beach volleyball.	Beach Volleyball Court
4:00 – 5:00	<b>Prepare for Dinner</b> Students will head back to their dorm to shower and get ready for dinner.	
5:00- 700	<b>Dinner</b> The Warriors' Den Dining Hall will be open for dinner. Students with meal plans can use their Warrior Card.	Babson Center

Monday, August 26

7:00 – 9:30	<b>Breakfast</b> The Warriors' Den Dining Hall will be open for breakfast. Students with meal plans can use their Warrior Card.	Babson Center
7:30 – 3:50	<b>FIRST DAY OF CLASS</b>	
10:00	<b>Club Day</b> Students can meet with club sponsors to gather information and ask questions regarding clubs on campus.	Student Life Courtyard
11:30 – 2:00	<b>Lunch</b>	Babson Center

The Warriors' Den Dining Hall will be open for lunch. Students with meal plans can use their Warrior Card.

1:00 – 2:00

### **Insurance Help Session**

Students are required to log into the WellFleet portal to accept or waive our primary insurance. Any students that are having trouble accessing the WellFleet insurance portal bring your information and insurance card to receive help. Students that have not waived our primary insurance by 8/30/2024 will automatically be billed.

The Learning Commons

5:00 – 7:00

### **Dinner**

The Warriors' Den Dining Hall will be open for dinner. Students with meal plans can use their Warrior Card.

Babson Center

## Wednesday, September 4

10:00

### **International Student Meeting**

All international students must attend this meeting to meet campus DSOs and complete documentation in order to be properly cleared in SEVIS. Please bring I-94, Passport/VISA, and I20.

Yentes Center

## **Presenters**

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