NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

YOUR JOURNEY BEGINS NOW!
Greetings Eagles,

On behalf of the faculty, staff and students of Embry-Riddle’s beautiful Prescott Campus, I would like to welcome our new students and parents to a learning community that places the student first and takes the time to invest in your success! Our faculty, many with years of real-life industry experience, are the absolute best in their fields. And they have been busy these past few months excitedly preparing for your arrival to campus.

You have joined an extraordinary community. Here, we bring together the best and brightest students from all 50 states and over 40 nations to succeed in a wide variety of demanding degree programs. Our goal is to provide you a university education that is personal, student-focused, and totally immersive. Our hands-on, project-based, experiential learning routinely takes our students all over the world, participating in a variety of projects, competitions, and internships.

Embry-Riddle’s core values are diversity, mutual respect, integrity, collegiality, academic freedom, stewardship, service, safety, and student success. These values also underscore our shared commitment to honesty, fairness, accountability, responsibility, and compliance in all our teaching, research, and business activities.

While you are busy engaging in academic pursuits, I strongly encourage you to get involved outside the classroom. With over 140 clubs and organizations, six fraternities, three sororities, and a dynamic athletics program, you will certainly find something to meet your personal interests.

In addition, you are living in one of the most desirable locations in the nation. People travel from around the country to enjoy Prescott’s temperate climate, four full seasons, and an amazing network of hiking and biking trails, lakes and events.

So, as you begin your life as an Eagle, know that all of us – staff, faculty, campus leadership, and returning students – are all here to help you navigate, engage and enjoy your time at Embry-Riddle.

Thank you,

Anette M. Karlsson, Ph.D.
Chancellor
Prescott Campus
These current students will be your guides to all things Embry-Riddle during your first days on campus. Orientation groups are designed to help you meet other students, find your way around campus, and get you started with enjoying every moment of your college experience.

**Prince Gersom Anselmo**  
**JUNIOR | AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE – FIXED WING**  
Hey all, my name is Prince, and I am from Aiea, Hawaii. When I was looking at colleges, Embry-Riddle’s commitment to providing the best flight education really sold me. The thing I like most about Prescott is how small our campus is. It allows us to become closer to our faculty, staff, and our fellow classmates. When I’m not studying for a class or a flight, you can find me playing sand or indoor volleyball. I absolutely love being involved in student activities because it helps me to learn more things to love about Prescott and Embry-Riddle. I am so excited to welcome you to our community and show you all the beauty that Prescott has to offer.

**James “J.R.” Bass**  
**JUNIOR | AEROSPACE ENGINEERING – ASTRO TRACK**  
Hey y’all! My name is James Bass, and I am a Junior from San Antonio, Texas. I am studying Aerospace Engineering on the Astro track and am getting a minor in Computer Science. On campus, I’m involved in EagleSat, Soccer Club, the fraternity Pi Kappa Phi, Order of Omega, and am President of the Inter-Fraterna Council. I came to Embry-Riddle specifically to fulfill my passion for Aerospace, having been heavily involved in rocketry throughout high school. When not in class, I like to hang with friends, go to the gym, play soccer, or play games on my PC. I’m excited to see all the new faces on campus this year!

**Kiara Bean**  
**JUNIOR | FORENSIC ACCOUNTING AND FRAUD EXAMINATION**  
My name is Kiara Bean, and I am from Murrieta, California. I knew that I wanted to study at Embry-Riddle since my first visit to campus. I have always liked numbers and been interested in investigating fraud. ERAU offers a major where I could combine these two interests. I am also minoring in Security and Intelligence Studies and Psychology. People at the school and in the city are very friendly. Small class sizes allow teachers to get to know the students and offer as much help as the students need. In my free time, I enjoy reading books, solving Sudoku puzzles, and walking around the beautiful campus or the nearby Dells. Enjoy your study at ERAU and good luck, new Eagles!

**Vincent Becerra**  
**JUNIOR | AEROSPACE ENGINEERING – ASTRO TRACK**  
My name is Vincent Becerra, and I am from San Jacinto, California (So Cal). I was in the Air Force as a Radio and Satellite Technician before attending ERAU. I’ve been deployed to Africa and Germany. I usually spend my free time running, hiking, or hanging out with Chelsea and our puppy. You can usually find me at the student veteran’s office or Records office. Since high school, I wanted to be a rocket scientist. The staff here care about their veteran students and that’s one of the reasons I have stayed. Some of my favorite memories are the hours I’ve spent debating off the wall topics with the other veterans. I hope to become an engineer at either NASA, SpaceX, or another space industry company.
Fernanda Benitez
JUNIOR | SOFTWARE ENGINEERING, CYBER SECURITY TRACK
Hello everyone! My name is Fernanda Benitez, and I am from Gilbert, Arizona. I chose Embry-Riddle because it was located within my home state, and I had heard of their great engineering program. I love Embry-Riddle because of the small class sizes, the nerdy environment, the support of professors, and the passion the students have for their work. Here at Riddle, I have been able to grow as a student leader and I have been given enough resources within a small school to get ready to go into industry. My favorite thing to do with friends on campus is go grab a coffee, hit a tennis ball, or play in the snow during the winter! Time flies quickly here when you’re at Embry-Riddle, so enjoy it!

Ryan Dittes
SENIOR | AVIATION BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION – SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT
My name is Ryan Dittes and I’m a senior here at Embry-Riddle. I originate from Elko, Nevada, a small town in Northeastern Nevada. Embry-Riddle was my top pick of college, and I am happy to say that is was the best choice. I think you’ll find that many of the students here all have a passion for aviation and the future of aerospace. What drew me here was the small college feel where everyone knows your name, the welcoming atmosphere we all enjoy, and of course, the beautiful weather. In my spare time I love to hike and fish in the numerous areas around Prescott. I hope y’all enjoy every minute of being here as time moves fast. We all look forward to meeting you!

Alexa Dunaisky
SENIOR | CYBER INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY
Hey everyone! My name is Alexa Dunaisky, and I am a senior here at Embry-Riddle from Las Vegas, Nevada. Embry-Riddle was my first choice because I heard so many good things about it from numerous cyber security companies. Every staff member and student is so friendly and super helpful. They have definitely paved the way for my success. There are so many opportunities here to grow in my career and so many companies in search of students from ERAU. Outside of class I love being involved in Air Force ROTC events and Arnold Air Society. I also work in the Admissions Office on campus which is so much fun! Welcome to ERAU!

Alexa Dunn
SOPHOMORE | AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE- ROTARY
Hi! I’m Alexa Dunn, and I’m from Yelm, Washington. I’ve known I wanted to be a helicopter pilot ever since I was 9 years old. When I was 13, I discovered Embry-Riddle and knew there was nowhere else I’d rather go. Now I’m living the dream of my younger self, pursuing a degree in Aeronautical Science Rotary with a minor in Aviation Safety. Aside from flying and school, I also work as a writer for the school newspaper and play a lot of airsoft out in the desert. While I remember how scary it was to change everything in my life and move so far away from home, I’m a firm believer that true progress and personal growth only comes from stepping out of your comfort zone and embracing change. Welcome to ERAU, and remember the sky is no longer the limit.
Matthew Embrador  
**JUNIOR | AEROSPACE ENGINEERING – AERO TRACK**  
My name is Matthew Embrador, but people call me Matt. I hail from the dry, arid lands of Las Vegas, Nevada, but I’m secretly a Cali boy. Embry-Riddle became the first college on my list because of the potential for growth it had for me. It is a college where I can dedicate myself to the pursuit of my dreams, to become an aerospace engineer. Embry-Riddle has only exceeded my expectations. I have grown to love the campus because it provides me a breath of fresh air. This new environment has enabled me to focus more on my character and to meet new people. With this, I involved myself with varying clubs such as Board of Campus Activities, Hawaii Club, and Asian Cultural Club. Welcome to Embry-Riddle and let’s make the best of it.

Jeramy Gordon  
**SENIOR | SPACE PHYSICS**  
Hey everyone! My name is Jeramy Gordon, and I am so excited to be one of your LEAD ORIENTATION LEADERS! I am from Loveland, Colorado and I decided to come to Prescott because of my interest in space and exploring the unknown. Choosing Embry-Riddle has been the best decision for that because of the learning opportunities the university has to offer. These opportunities have helped me to be well prepared for internships. In addition, I am a part of an undergraduate research project that I joined my freshman year. Outside of studying, I enjoy climbing, hiking, skiing, and playing soccer! ERAU has been so amazing, and I hope you enjoy your time here!

Aimi Imagawa  
**SOPHOMORE | AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE – FIXED WING**  
Aloha! My name is Aimi Imagawa, and I am from the island of Oahu in Hawaii. I decided to attend Embry-Riddle in Prescott, Arizona because of my interest in aviation and my goal of serving my country as a fighter pilot in the Air Force. I am attending this school for the Aeronautical Science Fixed-Wing degree and Air Force ROTC program. My favorite part about the school is the friendships that I have made. During my free time, I like to explore Arizona and be outdoors with my friends. Welcome to Embry-Riddle and have a great semester! I cannot wait to get to know you all!

Chelsea Jackson  
**SENIOR | FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY WITH SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE MINOR**  
Hey everyone! My name is Chelsea Jackson, and I am from Sherwood, Oregon (Northern Oregon). Embry-Riddle was my first choice for college because my sister also attended and told me so many good stories of ERAU. I like ERAU because it’s a smaller campus, so you get to know a lot of people, and it’s easy to get along with other students. Outside of class, I spend time with my roommate and my new puppy. With the scenery around Prescott, I love to be outdoors whenever I can, most of the time being in Sedona. Welcome to ERAU! Enjoy every minute of it!
Taegyu Kim
SOPHOMORE | AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE-FIXED WING
Nice to meet you all. I’m Taegyu Kim and I’m from South Korea. My major is Aeronautical Science - Fixed Wing. I chose Embry-Riddle to get a job at a good airline, after gaining experience in a positive environment with good professors. Personally, I like to exercise, especially soccer, basketball, and baseball. I’m not used to being in America, so it’s all so fun and new.

Katie Konicki
JUNIOR | AVIATION BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Hi everyone! My name is Katie Konicki and I am from Palm City, Florida. I chose Embry-Riddle because I knew it was going to provide the best education along with the best opportunities. I am very passionate about aviation and wanted to be surrounded by people who shared that same passion. I love the atmosphere of Embry-Riddle because it felt like home since the moment I stepped on campus for the first time. I am in numerous clubs on campus including the Women’s Ambassadors Program and the Aviation Business Networking Club. Since being in Prescott, I have started hiking. I love being outside and exploring everything Arizona has to offer. I love it here, and I hope you will as well! Welcome to ERAU!

Cameron Lydyard
SOPHOMORE | CYBER INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY
Hey everyone! My name is Cameron Lydyard, and I am from Evergreen, Colorado. I chose Embry-Riddle because my brother graduated from Embry-Riddle a few years ago and I knew that Embry-Riddle provides an amazing, quality education. I am majoring in Cyber Intelligence and Security, and have been working with computers since I was only 8 years old. I love Embry-Riddle because of the community and resources available on campus. When I’m not in class, I love to play video games with my friends, many of which attend Embry-Riddle as well! I am also involved in the Embry-Riddle Gold Wings Esports club where we get together and play in tournament settings in a multitude of different games! Welcome to Embry, I hope you’ll love this school as much as I do!

Shane-Davon Manuel
SOPHOMORE | AERONAUTICS
Aloha and hello! My name is Shane and I hail from Honolulu, Hawaii. I chose Embry-Riddle Prescott because of the aviation related degrees as well as it being a highly reputable university. I also chose Riddle because I wanted to study on the “Mainland” (what us people from Hawaii call the continental U.S.). I feel like I made the right choice in choosing Riddle. There is a lot to do and I genuinely like it in Arizona. I also got to see snow for the first time last January which was a whole new experience for me. I am a huge aviation and car nerd. I also like Formula 1 and anything military related being that I am also in AFROTC. I am in the Hawaii Club, which is full of people from Hawaii and those that share interest in Hawaii and its culture. Besides ERAU, Arizona has a lot to offer. I hope you feel as welcomed as I did when I first came to Riddle. Enjoy your time here!
**MEET YOUR ORIENTATION LEADERS**

**Kammi Matsumoto**
**JUNIOR | AERONAUTICS**
Hey everyone! My name is Kammi Matsumoto and I am from Honolulu, Hawai'i. I'm an Aeronautics major with an ATC and Aviation Safety minor. I'm a Campus Ambassador and a STEM Outreach Lead Student. Some things I'm involved in are the Hawaii Club, and Alpha Eta Rho. I choose Embry-Riddle because of the kinds of opportunities I would get and the small class sizes. I chose Prescott because it was something new and far from home, but still close. It’s amazing to meet you guys! Hope you love Arizona as much as I do!

**Reya Neitzel**
**JUNIOR | AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE – FIXED WING**
Aloha Kakou. My name is Reya Neitzel, I am from Kapolei, Hawaii. I made the journey across the pacific to Embry-Riddle Prescott to achieve my dream of becoming an aviator. My time at ERAU has been worthwhile. I have learned so much, not just about flying, but about myself. This campus is absolutely incredible and has the most caring and amazing staff that will go above and beyond to help you. Although I am a mermaid and island girl at heart, Prescott has become my home away from home. The friends I have made here are my second family. Besides flying and school, you can probably find me playing volleyball with the Golden Eagles Volleyball Club here on campus or having fun with friends around town. I love it here and I hope you will too! Welcome to Embry-Riddle!

**Tia Sardelli**
**SOPHOMORE | CYBER INTELLIGENCE & SECURITY**
Howdy! My name is Tia Sardelli, and I am from Rhode Island. I chose to come to Prescott because there is no other major out there like the Cyber Intelligence program, and I was ready for a fresh start across the country. With this degree, I am hoping to work for the public sector, preferably the CIA, in the Cyber Threat Intelligence field after I graduate. I really enjoy the wide-open spaces out here in Arizona and love how different it is from my hometown. I also love to go running and hiking as well as taking advantage of the fitness facilities or playing soccer with our ERAU club team. So, welcome to ERAU and remember there is always a spot for you in whatever group or club you want to join. Faculty and staff are always in your corner, ready to help.

**Joshua Sawyer**
**SOPHOMORE | AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE - FIXED WING**
Hey y'all! My name is Joshua Sawyer, and I am from Okinawa, Japan. I chose to come to Prescott, Arizona because of the awesome flying opportunities and the beautiful outdoors here. Attending Embry-Riddle has been the best decision for me because of how much flying I can actually achieve and the relative closeness to home. Besides my academics, I do many other things in coordination with my school work such as volunteering, AFROTC, Hawaii Club, recreational flying, and hiking. I also love to adventure out of town for long road trips like going to watch air shows near me or visiting the next state since I haven’t seen much of the United States. I really have a good group of people around me that I met during my freshman orientation to help make Prescott my new home. I hope we as Ols can help you with that as well. Embry-Riddle is a great place to be, and I hope y’all really enjoy your time here!
**Denali Skinner**  
**SOPHOMORE | FORENSIC ACCOUNTING AND FRAUD EXAMINATION**
Hello everyone! I am a sophomore here at Riddle and I am a Forensic Accounting and Fraud Examination major. I chose Embry-Riddle because it is a great school. I have loved it so far and love being able to communicate with the professors and create a personal connection with them. I am currently in the volleyball club here at ERAU and it has been a very fun experience. I moved to Prescott when I was one. This means I am pretty much a Prescott expert. I love to hike all around this town and eat at the many delicious restaurants. Hope you all love it here!

**Janessa R. Slone**  
**JUNIOR | SPACE PHYSICS - CS MINOR**
Hi Everyone! I’m Janessa, and I’m from Elk Grove, California. Embry-Riddle was my first choice because of their amazing Space Physics program and research opportunities. Riddle helped me find my voice on campus while introducing me to new people that I consider close friends. One of my favorite memories was attending ‘Dueling Pianos’ my freshman year! I love hanging out with friends and making the hour and a half drive for some Raising Canes. My freshman year, I was heavily involved in the Society of Physics Students, which led me to be elected President for the 2021-2022 school year. I am currently doing Special Relativity research with Dr. Bailey and I am a Physics Lab TA! After graduation, I hope to go straight into industry and one day work for NASA.

**Isabel Chapin Smith**  
**JUNIOR | AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE - FIXED WING**
Hello, I’m Isabel and I am from Panama City Beach, Florida. Embry-Riddle was my choice to get to my goal of being a professional pilot. I love the close community of the Prescott campus, and the fun activities to do in the area. This is my first year as an Orientation leader. Hopefully, you will enjoy Embry-Riddle as much as I do.

**Rachel Stoneking**  
**SENIOR | FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY**
Hey! My name is Rachel Stoneking, and I am from Centennial, Colorado. I chose Embry-Riddle for the Forensic Psychology degree program because it accompanies exactly what I want to do in the criminal justice field. I love Embry-Riddle because of the small class sizes and the resources to help students succeed. I have the ability to form relationships with the faculty and have my education in my own hands. My favorite thing to do when I am not on campus is to go to the Dells or to go exploring other cities in Arizona with my friends. Prescott has become my home and the people I have met at ERAU have become my second family. Welcome to Embry-Riddle and I hope you love it here as much as I do!
Maverick Thigpen
SENIOR | AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Howdy y’all, I’m Maverick and possibly the least excited person on earth for top gun 2. I’m born and raised in Texas, Houston specifically. I chose Embry-Riddle for their top-of-the-line aerospace engineering program. I love Embry-Riddle’s small class sizes and how much they encourage you to be involved with the community. I also fit right in being a huge nerd whose biggest hobbies are easily games and anime (obligatory watch JoJo’s bizarre adventure plug). When I’m not doing my hobbies, I can be found organizing events for the National Society of Black Engineers and occasionally doing a run around campus. As of writing this I am a propulsion Intern for Boeing, hoping to one day work for NASA on the Artemis program.

Benedictus Marvin Tjang
JUNIOR | AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE - FIXED WING

Hello! My name is Marvin, and I’m from Jakarta, Indonesia. I came to the so called ‘Harvard of the skies’ because of my high dreams of becoming a pilot one day. Embry-Riddle has been very wonderful for my study because its abundant resources offer a lot of academic and non-academic assistance and opportunities. There is a huge pool of clubs you can join and events you can volunteer for. Outside of studying (that I very definitely always do) I love to watch movies and TV shows, play video games, and explore the scenic city of Prescott. Welcome to the Embry-Riddle Family!

Meleá Tucker
SENIOR | GLOBAL SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE STUDIES

Hey y’all! I am originally from Detroit, Michigan. I chose Embry-Riddle because it has the nation’s first College of Security and Intelligence. I like it here primarily because of the small community feeling as well as the amazing academic interaction I get to have with my peers and professors. My favorite memory is when we had a massive snow war my freshmen year. I like to play video games, and my favorite genres are fantasy, sci-fi, and historical. I am a founding officer of the Black Student Alliance and previously served as Student Body Vice President, Student Body President and the Lead Campus Academic Mentor for the College of Security and Intelligence. Being in this major helped me look at the world in a very different way and I don’t regret taking this major one bit. Welcome to ERAU, it’s going to be a wild ride, have fun. I look forward to meeting you!

Maggie van Dyken
JUNIOR | GLOBAL SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE STUDIES

Hello, my name is Maggie van Dyken. I am a junior from Sequim, Washington studying Global Security and Intelligence. I chose to attend Embry-Riddle for the GSIS program and the amazing opportunities that it provides. I love attending Embry-Riddle because of the outstanding professors who go above and beyond to help each student succeed. As for myself, I love hanging out with my friends, being involved in clubs, and being outdoors. Once I graduate, I hope to work for the government in some capacity focusing on international actors. I cannot wait to meet each and every one of you. Have the best orientation!
Johnathan Wang

JUNIOR | AVIATION BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Hello, I’m Johnathan Wang from West Covina, California. I will be entering my 2nd semester of junior year this fall as an Aviation Business Administration student at Embry-Riddle, Prescott! What I admire about our campus are the small class sizes, so not only students reach out to professors but also vice versa. This establishes a lot of networking/connections to get you an internship or ultimately a job upon graduation. The quality of education is another factor that I love about ERAU. All of our professors have industry experience prior to teaching here! My favorite things to do outside of being a Campus Ambassador, a Campus Academic Mentor, and holding officer positions for 3 other clubs. I enjoy playing volleyball and basketball, and exploring the mountains around campus. I’d like to welcome you and thank you for choosing ERAU Prescott, #1 ranked in Aviation & Aerospace education for 20+ consecutive years!

Amara Williams

SENIOR | ASTRONOMY

Hi everyone, my name is Amara Williams. I am from Denver, Colorado. After going to several in-state and out-of-state college visits, I knew that I would attend Embry-Riddle from the moment I stepped onto the campus. Embry-Riddle had checked all the requirements I wanted for my college career, especially in the Astronomy/Space Physics program. I enjoy my classes and professors because they are dedicated to the success of students. Some of my favorite things are organizing and attending club meetings, and outdoor activities close to campus. Welcome to ERAU! I look forward to meeting you!
TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

8 am – 5 pm  
**Start Checklist Completion**  
Pick up your mailroom key and Eagle Card. See the Checklist Completion section of this program for additional items and locations (pg. 17).  
**STUDENT ARTS AND ENGAGEMENT CENTER, BLDG. 19**

8 am – 12 pm  
**Flight Check-In**  
Shuttle to the Embry-Riddle Flight Line from Haas Commons at your assigned time to take care of Flight business and tour the facilities.  
**FLIGHT LINE**

8 am – 5 pm  
**Finalize Payment on Student Account Balances**  
**CASHIER’S OFFICE, BLDG. 13**

8 am – 5 pm  
**Transfer Evaluation Questions**  
**REGISTRAR’S OFFICE, BLDG. 12**

9 am – 12 pm,  
1 pm – 4:30 pm  
**Disability Support Services**  
Disability Support Services will be available for questions.  
**HAZY LIBRARY AND LEARNING CENTER - BLDG. 43, ROOM 109**

1 pm – 4 pm  
**Advising and Registration**  
Optional for students in need of assistance with their class schedule.  
**COLLEGE OF AVIATION - AC1, 110 | COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES - STEM 105 | COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING - AC1, 123 | COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, SECURITY & INTELLIGENCE - STEM 105**

3 pm – 5:30 pm  
**Parent/Family Orientation**  
Let your student get settled and join us for Parent/Family Orientation. This session will include a reception, educational presentation, and College Meeting. This session is offered on Tuesday and Wednesday, you are free to select one to attend.  
**ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80**

5 pm – 8 pm  
**Shuttle Service to Local Shopping Centers**  
Shuttle service is free to transport students to Fry’s Food Store and Wal-Mart. Sponsored by Student Government Association  
**HAAS COMMONS BUS STOP**

8 pm – 10 pm  
**Student Social Activities**  
**STUDENTS**  
**VARIOUS, CHECK YOUR ROOM INVITATION**
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**THURSDAY, AUGUST 26**

9 am – 10 am  **Welcome & Kickoff**  
STUDENTS AND PARENTS/FAMILY  
(Colleges of Engineering and College of Business, Security & Intelligence)  
ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80

9 am – 10 am  **Welcome Small Group**  
STUDENTS AND PARENTS/FAMILY  
(Colleges of Aviation and Arts & Sciences)  
VARIOUS, CHECK STUDENT ERAU EMAIL

10:15 am – 11:15 am  **Welcome & Kickoff**  
STUDENTS AND PARENTS/FAMILY  
(Colleges of Aviation and Arts & Sciences)  
ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80

10:15 am – 11:15 am  **Welcome Small Group**  
STUDENTS AND PARENTS/FAMILY  
(Colleges of Engineering and College of Business, Security & Intelligence)  
VARIOUS, CHECK STUDENT ERAU EMAIL

11:15 am – 1 pm  **Parent/Family Brunch and Regional Break-Out Groups**  
PARENTS/FAMILY

11:15 am – 3 pm  **Meet with your Orientation Leader/Lunch**  
STUDENTS  
Group types include first-time freshmen, transfer students, and veteran students.  
YOUR SMALL GROUP LOCATION, LISTED IN YOUR ERAU EMAIL

3 pm – 4:30 pm  **Featured Speaker: Hoan Do, Let's Talk Success**  
ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80

5 pm – 7 pm  **Dinner with your Orientation Group**  
Colleges of Aviation and Arts & Sciences Students  
EARHART’S DINING, BLDG. 45

6:30 pm – 8 pm  **UNIV 101/CAM Meeting**  
Colleges of Engineering and College of Business, Security & Intelligence Students  
VARIOUS, CHECK YOUR ERAU EMAIL FOR LOCATION

8 pm – 9:30 pm  **Hooray! Building a Community out of Classmates**  
Watch in amazement as the entire group is transformed from INDIVIDUAL classmates into a caring COMMUNITY!  
ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80

9:30 pm  **Late Night S’mores (weather permitting)**  
OUTSIDE OF BLDG. 80

*Mandatory for first-time freshmen
**ORIENTATION SCHEDULE FALL 2021**

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 27**  
**WEAR YOUR NAMETAG**

**9 am – 10 am**  
**Convocation** (business casual attire requested)  
*STUDENTS*  
Your academic journey starts here. Join faculty and staff to partake in this campus tradition.  
**ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80**

**10:30 am – 11:45 am**  
**College Meeting Group 1***: Check major below, colleges match nametag color  
**College of Engineering Meeting*** - Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering  
**ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80**  
**College of Arts & Sciences Meeting*** - All Programs  
**EAGLE GYM, BLDG. 80**

**11 am – 12 pm**  
**Lunch for College Meeting Group 2**  
**EARHART’S DINING, BLDG. 45**

**12 pm – 1 pm**  
**Lunch for College Meeting Group 1**  
**EARHART’S DINING, BLDG. 45**

**12:15 pm – 1:30 pm**  
**College Meeting Group 2***: Check major below, colleges match nametag color  
**College of Aviation Meeting*** - All Programs  
**ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80**  
**College of Business, Security & Intelligence Meeting*** - All Programs  
**LOWER HANGAR, BLDG. 16**  
**College of Engineering Meeting*** - Electrical, Computer, and Software Engineering  
**AC1- BLDG. 74, ROOM 104**

**1:45 pm – 3 pm**  
**Orientation Small Group***  
*YOUR SMALL GROUP LOCATION, LISTED IN YOUR ERAU EMAIL*

**3 pm – 4:15 pm**  
**Featured Speaker: Supporting Your Mental Health***  
**ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80**

**4:30 pm – 5:30 pm**  
**Air Force ROTC Information Meeting**  
For those who want to hear more about Air Force ROTC. Cadets who attended Zero Week do not need to attend.  
**AC1 – BLDG. 74, ROOM 104**

**4:30 pm – 5:30 pm**  
**Army ROTC Information Meeting**  
For those who want to hear more about Army ROTC. Cadets who attended Zero Week do not need to attend.  
**AC1 – BLDG. 74, ROOM 107**

*Mandatory for first-time freshmen*
### ORIENTATION SCHEDULE FALL 2021

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<td><strong>UNIV 101/CAM Meeting</strong></td>
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<td>8 pm</td>
<td><strong>BCA Movie: Soul</strong></td>
<td><strong>Join the Board of Campus Activities for a snuggly movie night</strong>&lt;br&gt;(you are encouraged to bring a blanket/pillow).&lt;br&gt;<strong>ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80</strong></td>
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<td>10:45 am – 1:30 pm</td>
<td><strong>Field Day</strong></td>
<td><strong>Enjoy a favorite past time of Embry-Riddle students Field Day. Select from a variety of activities or sit in the shade and socialize. Hosted by Fraternity and Sorority Life.</strong>&lt;br&gt;<strong>REC FIELDS</strong></td>
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<td>4 pm – 6 pm</td>
<td><strong>Chapel Fair and Counseling Open House</strong></td>
<td><strong>Looking for a faith community? Check out community opportunities and student organizations. Meet the Counseling staff. Free BBQ.</strong>&lt;br&gt;<strong>HAAS CHAPEL, BLDG. 46</strong></td>
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<td>10 pm – 12 am</td>
<td><strong>SGA Welcome Event: Headphone Disco</strong></td>
<td><strong>Enjoy a night of dancing, singing, and socializing.</strong>&lt;br&gt;<strong>EAGLE GYM, BLDG 80</strong></td>
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**SUNDAY, AUGUST 29**

10 am – 10:30 am  **Meet with your RA for Olympiad Planning**

SEE YOUR RA

10:30 am – 12 pm  **Orientation Olympiad**

Celebrate the finale of Orientation weekend with a fun and slightly competitive tradition.

ACTIVITY CENTER, BLDG. 80

12 pm – 1:30 pm  **Lunch with your Olympiad Group**

EARHART’S DINING, BLDG. 45

1 pm – 3 pm  **Find Your Classes Tours**

Stop by to ask questions about your first day of classes, double check where your rooms are, and get last minute advice.

STUDENT UNION/BLDG. 16

1 pm – 5 pm  **Shuttle Service to Local Shopping Centers**

Shuttle service is free to transport students to Fry’s Food Store and Wal-Mart.

Sponsored by Student Government Association

HAAS COMMONS BUS STOP

4 pm – 6 pm  **Residence Hall Floor Meeting***

Meet your neighbors and residence hall staff and start building your hall community. Then go to dinner at the dining hall.

SEE YOUR RA FOR MEETING TIME AND LOCATION

7 pm – 9 pm  **Brain Freeze Ice Cream Social**

Stop by for free ice cream and karaoke.

STUDENT UNION QUAD

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### MODIFIED CAMPUS HOURS OF OPERATION DURING ORIENTATION

All offices providing student services will be open Wednesday through Friday from 8:00am to 5:00pm including many you will visit to complete your checklist on page 17. In addition, the following offices will be open on Saturday and Sunday:

#### Saturday, August 28
- **Admissions**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 41
- **Athletics Office**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 80
- **Bookstore**: 12 am – 4 pm Bldg. 77
- **Cashier’s Office**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 13
- **Housing and Residence Life**: 8 am – 8 pm Bldg. 73
- **Eagle Card**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 14
- **Financial Aid**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 41
- **Fitness Center**: 10 am – 7 pm Bldg. 80
- **Library**: 10 am – 5 pm Bldg. 43
- **Mailroom**: 10 am – 3 pm Bldg. 11
- **Pool**: 11 am – 6 pm Bldg. 69
- **Records Office**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 12
- **Student Union**: 10 am – 8 pm Bldg. 16
- **Veteran’s Affairs**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 18
- **Wellness Center**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 73

#### Sunday, August 29
- **Admissions**: 10 am – 2 pm Bldg. 41
- **Bookstore**: 12 am – 2 pm Bldg. 77
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### ORIENTATION DAYS DINING SCHEDULE

Meal plans become active on Monday, August 23, 2021

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All meals scheduled as orientation events are covered for students regardless of meal plan.

Please present your Eagle Card for admission to the dining hall.
Here is a checklist of items that can be done on your own when time permits.

☐ **Get Your Eagle Card**
This is your student photo ID and your access to everything you need on campus, including meals and student events. Made while you wait.

**THURSDAY - FRIDAY, 8 AM - 5 PM; SATURDAY - SUNDAY, 10 AM - 2 PM; EAGLE CARD OFFICE, BLDG. 14, TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY, BLDG 19**

☐ **Pick Up Your Mailbox Key (Housing And International Students Only)**
Pick up your key then locate your mailbox at the Mailroom, Building 11.

**THURSDAY - FRIDAY, 8 AM - 5 PM; SATURDAY, 10 AM - 3 PM, SUNDAY 10 AM - 2 PM, BLDG. 11, TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY, BLDG 19**

☐ **Flight Student Check-In (Flight Students Only) - Flight Line Bldg. F6**
Please bring your original birth certificate (not a certified copy) along with a current government issued photo ID OR a current passport. We will also need a current FAA 1st or 2nd class medical and student/pilot license, if you have one. Original documents must be presented in person prior to the start of any flight training. You will be notified of your pre-assigned appointment for Monday-Friday 8:00am-noon and 1:00pm-5:00pm. International students, please make an appointment to process TSA - email handleyr@erau.edu for an appointment.

☐ **Pay Your Bill – Cashier’s Office, Bldg. 13**
The payment due date for the Fall 2021 semester is August 20, 2021. Students who are not paid by this date may have some or all of their courses canceled. Students may reregister, but this process is run multiple times until the end of add/drop. It is not necessary to go to Student Financial Services (Cashiers) if your tuition bill has been paid in Full, you have enrolled in a payment plan or have sufficient financial aid in place to cover your balance.

**WEDNESDAY - FRIDAY 8 AM – 5 PM; SATURDAY - SUNDAY 10 AM – 2 PM**

☐ **Buy Your Books – Bookstore, Bldg. 77**
Bring your class schedule and purchase/rent your books.

**WEDNESDAY - FRIDAY, 9 AM - 5 PM; SATURDAY - SUNDAY 12 AM - 4 PM**

☐ **Financial Aid Help – Visitor’s Center/Financial Aid Office, Bldg. 41**
Get answers to any last minute questions about financial aid. Verify aid; meet with your financial aid counselor.

**WEDNESDAY - FRIDAY 8 AM – 5 PM; SATURDAY - SUNDAY 10 AM – 2 PM.**

☐ **Register Your Vehicle - Online**
Register your vehicle online by going to prescott.erau.edu/about/security and clicking on the link to Online Parking Registration in the right hand column. You will be provided with a temporary permit to print and display on your dashboard. You will receive your permanent parking permit sticker by mail within ten days.

☐ **Add Campus Safety Number To Your Cell Phone Contacts**
In the event of an emergency, contact the Campus Safety emergency line at 928.777.3333.
ERLIE (Embry-Riddle Network for Information Exchange) is the campus online portal and your Student Homepage is the place to go to view your student account information and access online forms and processes. Sign in at ernie.erau.edu and then click on Campus Solutions Student Homepage.

**Enrollment Agreement**
The State of Arizona requires each student to complete an Enrollment Agreement. You can navigate to this online form by logging onto your ERLIE account, clicking on the Forms tab, scrolling down to the Office of the Registrar section and clicking on the Enrollment Agreement link. If you will not be 18 years old by August 29th, your legal guardian must also sign this document. For further information, please contact the Records Office at 928.777.3808.

**Financial Disclosure**
A Financial Disclosure must be completed electronically by all students. In the Student Homepage, select the Finances tile and click on the Complete Financial Disclosure link. Click on the Grant Permissions button and follow the steps.

**Auxiliary Access**
Student information is protected by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) but students can allow parents or others to access their information by providing them with Auxiliary Access in our student information system. If you want your parent/others to be able to review your information or pay online on your student account you must set them up with Auxiliary Access.

To give parents or others access, click on CAMPUS SOLUTIONS STUDENT HOMEPAGE link in ERLIE, click the Profile tab and select Auxiliary Access. Follow the steps on the screen. You may add up to three users. Students set the PIN number and password to share with those given access. Those with access should be prepared to provide the PIN number when calling the University for information on your account. An email will be sent to the person you grant access to giving them the PIN and sign on information but it is up to you to inform your users of the password you have set up for them. Students may also remove users in this same process.

**Student Account**
The University does not send out monthly statements. Students have the responsibility of reviewing their account online on a regular basis. In the Student Homepage click on the Finances tile and click on the link My Student Account.

**Class Schedule**
To view and print your class schedule, log in to Campus Solutions. Navigate to Campus Community and then Student Services Center (Student). Type in your Student ID number and click Search. On the Student Center tab, click on My Class Schedule. Click on the printer link to print your schedule.
We are pleased to offer the following featured speakers and important events as part of your Orientation experience. We will be scanning Eagle ID cards to account for attendance, so be sure to bring yours. We know that these events will be of benefit to you.

**THESE PROGRAMS ARE MANDATORY FOR FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN.**

**Welcome And Kickoff | Thursday, August 26**

9:00AM – 10:00AM, COLLEGES OF ENGINEERING AND COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, SECURITY & INTELLIGENCE, ACTIVITY CENTER

10:15AM – 11:15AM, COLLEGES OF AVIATION AND ARTS & SCIENCES, ACTIVITY CENTER

Fire up for your first semester as an Eagle! Start your day with an official welcome from the ERAU campus. When your college is not at the Welcome, you are invited to meet with your Small Group in your specific location noted in your ERAU email. Parents/Family are welcome for these two events.

**Meet With Your Orientation Leader | Thursday, August 26**

11:15AM – 3:00PM, LOCATION IN YOUR ERAU EMAIL

You will spend time getting to know each other, learning about campus, and connecting with current student leaders. Lunch will be provided.

**Featured Speaker: Hoan Do - Let’s Talk Success | Thursday, August 26**

3:00PM – 4:30PM, ACTIVITY CENTER

Transitioning from high school to college can be difficult. Moving away from home, making new friends, adjusting to your newly found freedom… the list is endless. This program will help you to successfully acclimate to your new environment and conquer college and life!
Hooray- Hosted by Hoan Do  |  Thursday, August 26
8:00PM – 9:30PM, ACTIVITY CENTER
Join other new students for the ultimate social experiment. Worried about not knowing anyone? This will make all of the difference!

Convocation  |  Friday, August 27
9:00AM - 10:00AM, ACTIVITY CENTER
The convocation ceremony welcomes you into the academic community of Embry-Riddle scholars. We celebrate the inauguration of your journey as an Embry-Riddle student just as commencement serves as a closing. Featuring campus speakers and those who care about your success at Embry-Riddle.

College Academic Meetings  |  Friday, August 27
10:30AM - 11:45AM (GROUP 1) OR 12:15PM - 1:30PM (GROUP 2)
Learn about life in your major, important academic expectations, and graduation requirements.

Orientation Small Group  |  Friday, August 27
1:45PM - 3PM, YOUR SMALL GROUP LOCATION

Featured Speaker: Supporting Your Mental Health  |  Friday, August 27
3:00PM-4:15PM, ACTIVITY CENTER
Learn ways to support your mental health throughout your college journey.

Orientation Small Group  |  Saturday, August 28
10AM - 10:45AM, YOUR SMALL GROUP LOCATION

Introduction To Campus Life  |  Saturday, August 28
1:30PM - 3:30PM, ACTIVITY CENTER
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University’s very own Resident Assistants share the ins and outs of campus life. Learn important policies and gain awareness of resources on campus.

Small Group Meeting/Healthy Relationships  |  Saturday, August 28
7:00PM - 10:00PM, ACTIVITY CENTER
A rotation between conversation with your small group and an auditorium presentation. Learn about ideal relationship communication strategies, consent, and how to be a helpful bystander to others.

Residence Hall Meeting  |  Sunday, August 29
SEE YOUR RA FOR TIME AND LOCATION
Start building your residence hall community!

FOR EVEN MORE FUN...
Be sure to check out BCA and OctoberWest events. See highlights of these event activities on page 23.
NOTES

My College:

My Dean:

My Academic Advisor:

My Orientation Leader:
FALL 2021 EVENTS CALENDAR
BOARD OF CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

AUGUST
Orientation - Movie Night: Soul
8 PM, FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, ACTIVITY CENTER

SEPTEMBER
Comedy Magic with Joseph Tran
8 PM, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, DAVIS LEARNING CENTER
Backtrack Vocals: Acapella
6:30 PM, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, DAVIS LEARNING CENTER

OCTOBER
OctoberWest Friday Fair
4-8 PM, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1, REC FIELDS
OctoberWest Fireworks and Bonfire
8-10 PM, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1, REC FIELDS
Freestyle Rapper Chris Turner
8 PM, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8, DAVIS LEARNING CENTER
SpookyFest
6 PM, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, STUDENT UNION

NOVEMBER
WinterFest
6 PM, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, STUDENT UNION

DECEMBER
Relax with 2 Deep Breaths
6 PM, MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, STUDENT UNION LOWER HANGAR