

**New Student Orientation Program  
Schedule  
Sunday, January 10, 2010**

- 11:00 – 1:00 P.M.                    **Check-In at East Hall**  
**Check in and Pick Up your Orientation Packet**
- 11:00 – 1:00 P.M.                    **Identification Card Processing**  
***Administrative Services Office, Founders Hall (Basement Level)***
- 11:30 – 1:30 P.M.                    **Campus Center Food Court is Open for Lunch**
- 12:30 – 1:00 P.M.  
    and  
1:00 – 1:30 P.M.                    **Information Session on Computer Use at WPI for Students  
and Parents (same session offered twice – attend either session)**  
***Fuller Laboratories, Perreault Hall (Lower Section)***
- 1:45 – 2:45 P.M.                    **For Students and Parents: Academic Program Overview at WPI**  
***Olin Hall, Room 107***
- 3:00 – 3:45 P.M.                    **For Students and Parents: Our Community: Creating a Safe and Caring  
Environment.**  
***Olin Hall, Room 107***  
Representatives from Residential Life, Campus Police, Health Services and the  
Dean of Students will speak about programs and services designed to support  
students at WPI.
- 4:00 – 4:45 P.M.                    **Specifically for Parents: Transitions and Developmental Issues.**  
***Campus Center, Odeum B (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)***  
This session will explore some of the issues facing college students as students  
begin their early adult stage of development and strive to become more  
independent and autonomous.
- 4:00 – 4:45 P.M.                    **Specifically for Students: Student Panel - Getting Involved at WPI**  
***Campus Center, Hagglund Room (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)***  
*This session will provide information about opportunities for involvement in student  
clubs and organizations outside of the classroom. Strategies for success to  
balance life inside and outside the classroom will be discussed.*

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- 5:00 – 5:30 P.M.**                    **Welcome from the Dean of Undergraduate Studies and Associate Dean for the First Year Experience. (For Students and Parents)**  
*Campus Center, Odeum A (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)*
- 5:30 – 6:30 P.M.**                    **Dinner for Students and Parents**  
*Campus Center, Odeum C (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)*  
After dinner it will be time for your family to say goodbye as you begin your educational experience at WPI.
- 7:00 – 7:45 P.M.**                    **Reception and Meeting for Students Living Off Campus**  
*Campus Center, Mid-Century Room (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)*
- 7:00 – 7:45 P.M.**                    **Meeting with Residential Services Staff for all Students Living on Campus**  
*Campus Center, Hagglund Room (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)*
- 8:00 – 8:45 P.M.**                    **Teambuilders and Icebreakers**  
*Campus Center, Odeum B (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)*
- 9:00 – 11:00 P.M.**                    **Social Activity – Bowling Party**  
*Gompei's Gutters, Alumni Gym*

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Monday, January 11, 2010**

<b>8:00 – 9:00 A.M.</b>	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>Morgan Dining Hall</i>
<b>9:00 – 11:30 A.M.</b>	<b>Orientation Olympics</b> <i>Meet at the Campus Center, Odeum B (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)</i> Your group will work together as a team as you complete a number of physical and mental challenges in this fun-filled WPI tradition.
<b>11:30 – 12:50 P.M.</b>	<b>Lunch</b> <i>Morgan Dining Hall</i>
<b>1:00 – 4:30 P.M.</b>	<b>Academic Information Sessions</b> <i>Higgins Laboratory, Rooms 154, 230 &amp; 218</i>  1:00 – 2:00 Transfer Student Meeting Higgins Labs, Room 154  1:00 - 2:00 Academic Overview and Math at WPI Higgins Labs, Room 218  2:15 - 3:00 Advice by Major (Meet with academic department representatives for course selections) Higgins Labs, Room 218  3:15 - 4:30 Course Registration Higgins Labs, Room 230
<b>5:00 – 6:30 P.M.</b>	<b>Dinner</b> <i>Morgan Dining Hall</i>
<b>8:00 P.M.</b>	<b>Social Activity/Entertainment</b> <i>Campus Center, Food Court (Lower Level)</i>

**New Student Orientation Program  
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Tuesday, January 12, 2010**

**8:00 – 9:00 A.M.**

**Breakfast**  
***Morgan Dining Hall***

**9:00 – 10:00 A.M.**

**Discover the Library**  
***Gordon Library***

Gordon Library is a hot spot to meet teams or work in solitude, cruise the web using our computers or laptops, use our many print and online resources and more. Join us for a tour of our spaces and an introduction to our digital library available 24/7 from on or off campus. Learn fantastic facts to put you on the right course for research success at WPI.

**10:15 – 2:30 P.M.**

**Exploring Worcester**  
***Harrington Auditorium (in front of the building)***

You will travel throughout the city of Worcester with your team by van to find clues and answers in this enjoyable competition. This activity is designed to help you learn about the many resources available to you in Worcester.

**3:00 – 5:30 P.M.**

**Personal Shopping Trip**  
***Harrington Auditorium (in front of the building)***

Transportation will be provided to a local shopping mall.

**5:00 – 6:30 P.M.**

**Dinner**  
***Morgan Dining Hall***

**8:00 P.M.**

**Game Night, Sponsored by the Game Development Club**  
***Campus Center, Hagglund Room (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)***

**Wednesday, January 13, 2010**

<b>8:00 – 9:00 A.M.</b>	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>Morgan Dining Hall, Morgan Hall</i>
<b>9:15 – 9:45 A.M.</b>	<b>Community Service Opportunities for Student Volunteers</b> <i>Campus Center, Mid-Century Room (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)</i>
<b>10:00 – 10:30 A.M.</b>	<b>Music Opportunities at WPI</b> <i>Alden Memorial, Janet Earle Room (Lever Level)</i>
<b>10:45 – 11:30 A.M.</b>	<b>A World of Opportunity: Completing Projects Off Campus</b> <i>Campus Center, Hagglund Room (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)</i>
<b>11:45 – 12:15 P.M.</b>	<b>The Entrepreneurial Mindset: Getting the Job and Career You Want</b> <i>Campus Center, Chairman's Room (Lower Level)</i>
<b>12:15 – 1:15 P.M.</b>	<b>Lunch</b> <i>Morgan Dining Hall</i>
<b>1:30 – 5:00 P.M.</b>	<b>International Student Orientation Sessions (for International students only)</b> <i>International House, 28 Trowbridge Road</i>
<b>6:30 P.M.</b>	<b>Bus Departs from WPI Harrington Auditorium to DCU Center, Worcester</b>
<b>7:05 – 10:00 P.M.</b>	<b>Worcester Sharks vs. Springfield Falcons Hockey Game</b> <b>DCU Center</b>
<b>10:30 P.M.</b>	<b>Bus Departs from DCU Center to WPI Harrington Auditorium</b>