YOUR HOOSIER EXPERIENCE AWAITS

Get ready for Transfer Student Orientation
It’s almost time for New Student Orientation (NSO) for transfer students. We know it’s what you’ve been waiting for. There are just a few more things you need to do before you arrive on campus.

**Check the sticker.**
The date on the front label should match what’s on your mailing envelope. If it doesn’t, please call us at 812-855-HELP (4357).

**Reread your confirmation page.**
Remember the info you got online when you made your NSO reservation? Check back regularly for updates to make sure you don’t miss anything. Access the Orientation Portal at fye.indiana.edu and click on “Make/View Reservation.”

**Take your required online placement exams.**
If you haven’t already done so, complete all required exams before you get here for your NSO program.

**Plan for optional exams.**
If you’d like to take either or both of the optional exams listed in your online confirmation page, be sure to notify us so we can arrange your schedule accordingly.

**Go through your online transfer orientation.**
Review your updated online confirmation page for details.

**Complete your FYE Checklist.**
You’ll find the list in your Orientation Portal.

**Submit a photo for your student ID.**
Submit your photo online at least seven days before you arrive to get your CrimsonCard (aka your student ID) at NSO. Look for the details in your FYE Checklist. If you’re transferring from another IU campus, you’ll be required to turn in your old ID in order to get your new one at no additional charge.
What to expect

WHEN YOU ARRIVE ON CAMPUS

Bloomington is on Eastern Time.

You’ll check in at Union Street Center, Cedar Hall, at 9 a.m. on your scheduled NSO date.

While on campus, you and your guests will get an overview of some popular resources and services at IU Bloomington. Morning sessions are required and affect your advising and enrollment session.

Your afternoon schedule, plus lunch, is personalized based on your area of study and includes:

• Meeting with an academic advisor
• Registering for courses
• Visiting the Resource Center
• Touring career service offices and the IU Health Center
• Setting up financial and technology needs

If you’re in Bloomington the evening before your program and want to connect with other students, contact us ahead of time to find out about evening activities happening around your scheduled NSO date.
STAY WITH US

You’re welcome to spend the night at Union Street Center with other new students (and our staff) the evening before or after your program. A housing fee of $42.50 per night (tax included) will be billed to your IU student account. Check your confirmation page for a link to make your housing reservation.

We also have off-campus options with several partner hotels that offer a discounted rate, welcome package, and breakfast for NSO guests. You’ll find this info on your online confirmation page, too.

PACK THE ESSENTIALS

Make sure you bring the following with you to NSO:

• Your 10-digit university ID number.
• Your IU username and passphrase.
• A photo ID (so you can pick up your CrimsonCard).
• Comfortable shoes and clothes.
• One or more canned food items for the “Feed the Hungry” donation to Hoosier Hills Food Bank.
• Your parking permit, included in this mailing. All vehicles parked on campus must have a permit. Be sure to put your NSO check-in date on your permit and hang it from your rearview mirror.

ALL ROADS LEAD TO IU

You’ll get travel and parking details at your IU email address one week before your NSO program. Road construction in and around Bloomington this summer will affect travel and parking. Check indot.carsprogram.org and bloomington.in.gov/inroads for road updates, and plan your travel accordingly. (And don’t forget that parking permit!)

Check-in for your NSO program will be at:

**Union Street Center, Cedar Hall**
445 N. Union Street
Bloomington, IN 47406
YOUR ORIENTATION EXPERIENCE

The IU Bloomington orientation program for transfer students takes place in several phases, giving you optimal control of your experience.

Online components
You have tasks to complete and important information to learn. Your online NSO confirmation page has links to everything you need. Make sure you take care of tasks that must be completed before you come to campus.

On-campus orientation
During your day on our beautiful campus, you’ll learn about resources, services, and academics at IU Bloomington. You’ll meet with an academic advisor, register for classes, and officially become a Hoosier.

Throughout your first year
You’ll continue your orientation experience in the fall with a Welcome Week track just for transfer students, along with other first-semester events. You’ll connect with other students, with IU, and with opportunities tailored to you.
NEED DISABILITY ASSISTANCE?

If you or your guests need additional accommodations such as ASL interpreters or have mobility limitations, connect with our office at least two weeks prior to your NSO program. Family members who need additional mobility support may want to bring a companion, as we cannot provide a staff member for personal assistance.

CONNECT WITH FYE

Download the IU First Year Experience app to your iOS or Android device to have NSO information at your fingertips.

Share your NSO moments with us using #IUNSO19.

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