



**SIENA**  
**NEW STUDENT**  
**ORIENTATION SCHEDULE**  
**2025**



# Thursday, August 28th: This is Siena

8:00am - 4:00pm	<b>Residential Student Move-In</b>	<i>Residence Halls</i>
	After moving in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stop by the Siena Bookstore: Open 9:00am - 3:00pm</li><li>• Students that still need their Saint Card can visit our Saint Card office (Sarazen Student Union/SSU Del Grosso Hallway)</li><li>• Office of Health Services is available in the SSU Atrium to collect student medical records</li></ul>	
	<b>Community Fair</b>	<i>Lonnstrom Landing</i>
	Meet on-campus offices and local vendors that will support you as you transition to life at Siena.	
11:30am - 1:00pm	<b>BBQ Lunch</b>	<i>Academic Quad</i>
	Picnic style BBQ catered by AVI. <i>Tickets/Advance Registration required for supporters, new students enjoy free with their Saint Card.</i> <i>Lonnstrom Dining Hall open for door price during this meal.</i>	
12:00pm	<b>Legacy Photo - Students of Alumni (1/2)</b>	<i>Siena Sign by Lonnstrom Dining Hall</i>
	Students and their alumni supporters are invited to take a photo.	
2:00pm - 3:00pm	<b>Commuter Student Check-In</b>	<i>Nigro Plaza</i>
	Commuter students check-in to Orientation, receive your welcome packet, and get ready for the commuter welcome!	
3:00pm - 3:45pm	<b>Commuter Welcome</b>	<i>SSU 240</i>
	Come enjoy light refreshments and meet fellow commuter students in the Sarazen Student Union.	
3:00pm	<b>Legacy Photo - Students of Alumni (2/2)</b>	<i>Siena Sign by Lonnstrom Dining Hall</i>
	Students and their alumni supporters are invited to take a photo.	
4:30pm	<b>Opening Liturgy</b>	<i>UHY Center</i>
	The liturgy will officially welcome the incoming class and their supporters. A special blessing for students and families will be part of the celebration. All are welcome!	
5:30pm - 6:30pm	<b>Welcome BBQ</b>	<i>Academic Quad</i>
	Catered by AVI. <i>Tickets/Advance Registration required for supporters, new students enjoy free with Saint Card.</i> <i>Lonnstrom Dining Hall open for door price during this meal.</i>	
6:30pm - 6:45pm	<b>Family/Supporter Goodbye</b>	<i>Academic Quad</i>
	Supporters will say goodbye to their students and will depart campus for the remainder of orientation.	
6:45pm - 7:15pm	<b>Meet your SAINT Orientation Leaders</b>	<i>Academic Quad</i>
	Meet with your SAINT Orientation Leader to discuss the schedule, get to know one another, and ask questions. Your group number and SAINT will be emailed to you.	
6:45pm - 7:15pm	<b>Supporter Snacks for the Road</b>	<i>SSU 240</i>
	<b>Supporters only:</b> An optional event to grab a snack before hitting the road and ask any last-minute questions of our Dean of Students Team	
7:30pm	<b>Welcome Ceremony</b>	<i>The Grotto</i>
	Participate in this Siena tradition to welcome the Class of 2029 and new students as members of the Siena family.	
8:15pm	<b>CA Meetings</b>	<i>Residence Halls/SSU</i>
	Meet with your Community Assistant (CA) to get acquainted with Siena's community expectations	

# Friday, August 29th: This is How We Learn

8:00am - 8:50am **Breakfast** *Lonnstrom Dining Hall*

9:00am - 10:30am **Siena Scavenger Hunt** *Various Locations*

Get acquainted with campus through a scavenger hunt adventure!

10:45am - 11:45am **Group A - Learning Beyond the Classroom** *UHY Center (Groups 1-35)*

10:45am - 11:45am **Group B - Thriving in Your First Week of College** *Various (Groups 36-70)*

12:00pm - 2:00pm **Staggered Lunch** *Lonnstrom & Massry*

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12:00pm-12:30pm | Groups 1-4  
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12:45pm - 1:15pm | Groups 20-27  
1:00pm-1:30pm | Groups 28-35  
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#### *Massry*

12:00pm-12:30pm | Groups 44-51  
12:20pm-12:50pm | Groups 52-58  
12:50pm-1:20pm | Groups 59-64  
1:20pm-1:50pm | Groups 65-70

2:00pm - 3:00pm **Group B - Learning Beyond the Classroom** *UHY Center (Groups 36-70)*

2:00pm - 3:00pm **Group A - Thriving in Your First Week of College** *Various (Groups 1-35)*

3:00pm-5:00pm **Affinity Space Drop-Ins** *Damietta Center (Sarazen Student Union)*

Looking to connect with other students in a supportive atmosphere? Drop in to the Damietta Multicultural Lounge!

3:15pm - 4:15pm **Majors Meetings** *Various Locations*

3:45pm - 5:00pm **School of Business New Student Social** *Siena Hall 301*

5:00pm - 7:00pm **Staggered Dinner** *Lonnstrom & Massry*

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7:00pm - 8:00pm **Commuter Hangout** *Snyder Commuter Lounge*

Join fellow commuters as they gather in the Snyder Hall Commuter Lounge! Light refreshments and desserts will be provided.

7:00pm - 8:00pm **Building-Wide Hangouts** *Residence Halls*

8:00pm - 11:00pm **Glow Night** *Nigro Plaza*

Get to know your classmates while playing glow mini golf, taking photos in a glow photo booth, or hanging out on some glow swings! We'll have a DJ and food trucks as well so be sure to stop by for some late night fun.



# Saturday, August 30th: This is What We Stand For

8:00am - 9:15am	<b>Breakfast</b>	<i>Lonnstrom Dining Hall</i>
9:30am - 11:30am	<b>Mission Pilgrimage</b>	<i>Various Locations</i>
	Learn about Siena's Franciscan Values and how they're incorporated into our community.	
11:30am-1:30pm	<b>Damietta Center Drop-In Hours</b>	<i>Damietta Center (Sarazen Student Union)</i>
	Looking to connect with other students in a supportive atmosphere? Drop in to the Damietta Multicultural Lounge!	
11:30am - 1:30pm	<b>Staggered Lunch</b>	<i>Lonnstrom &amp; Massry</i>
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1:45pm - 2:45pm	<b>Healthy Relationships</b>	<i>UHY Center</i>
	Join Dorian Solot to learn about how to engage in healthy relationships at college.	
2:50pm - 3:50pm	<b>Dialogue Reflections</b>	<i>Various Locations</i>
	In this interactive session, learn about how to engage in tough conversations with peers	
4:00pm - 5:00pm	<b>How to Be a Good Ally</b>	<i>UHY Center</i>
	In today's complex social landscape, many find themselves unsure of how to effectively support others, hesitant to speak up for fear of saying the wrong thing, or simply eager to deepen their allyship. Eboné Bell's keynote aims to address these challenges head-on by providing participants with the knowledge and tools needed to navigate these uncertainties with confidence.	
5:15pm - 7:15pm	<b>Staggered Dinner</b>	<i>Lonnstrom &amp; Massry</i>
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8:00pm - 10:30pm	<b>SSU Takeover</b>	<i>SSU</i>
	Don't miss out on this night of karaoke, coloring crafts, board games and more! Come get some ice cream from Emack and Bolios for a fun Saturday night!	



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# Sunday, August 31st: This is How We Take Care of Ourselves and Each Other

<b>8:00am - 9:15am</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<i>Lonnstrom Dining Hall</i>
<b>9:30am - 10:30am</b>	<b>Campus Safety</b>	<i>UHY</i>
	Hear from the Office of Community Living about how to keep yourself and your fellow Saints safe on campus.	
<b>11:00am - 12:00pm</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<i>Chapel</i>
	<b>Teambuilders with SAINT's OR Student Break</b>	<i>Various Locations</i>
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<b>2:00pm - 2:55pm</b>	<b>One Saint's Story</b>	<i>UHY Center</i>
	Join Jaimie del Rosario '20 in a conversation on shared experience in addiction, recovery, and the road back.	
<b>3:00pm - 3:55pm</b>	<b>What Would a Saint Do?</b>	<i>Various Locations</i>
	With your Saint group, air your last-minute jitters about starting classes and review key resources available to support you throughout your Siena experience.	
<b>4:00pm - 5:00pm</b>	<b>Student Break</b>	
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<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<i>Chapel</i>
<b>8:00pm - 10:00pm</b>	<b>Relaxation Night</b>	<i>SSU</i>
	Join us in the SSU to get a massage, pet some sweet therapy dogs, make some relaxing crafts, and try the Pies on Wheels food truck!	



# Monday, September 1st: This is Where You Belong

8:00am - 9:15am	<b>Breakfast</b>	<i>Lonnstrom Dining Hall</i>
9:30am - 10:20am	<b>Campus Involvement &amp; Student Leadership</b>	<i>UHY Center</i>
	Discover opportunities to get involved in various clubs, organizations, and life on campus. Hear from current students on navigating student leadership success.	
10:20am - 11:00am	<b>Dining on Campus</b>	<i>UHY Center</i>
	Hear from Amanda Greco, Senior Director of Dining Services, about the dining options on campus, how to navigate your meal plan, and support available from an on-campus nutritionist.	
11:00am - 11:15am	<b>Orientation Wrap-Up</b>	<i>UHY Center</i>
11:30am - 1:30pm	<b>Lunch on Your Own</b>	<i>Lonnstrom &amp; Massry</i>
11:30am - 2:00pm	<b>Voter Registration Table</b>	<i>Nigro Family Plaza</i>
12:00pm - 4:00pm	<b>Academic Success Center (ASC) Office Hours</b>	<i>Ben Kuhn House</i>
12:00pm - 4:00pm	<b>Accessibility Office Hours</b>	<i>Hennepin 130-B Testing Center</i>
1:30pm - 4:00pm	<b>AVI Personalized Food Solutions Hours</b>	<i>Lonnstrom</i>
4:00pm - 5:30pm	<b>Chaplain's Office Ice Cream Social</b>	<i>Hines Hall Patio</i>
5:00pm - 7:00pm	<b>Dinner on Your Own</b>	<i>Lonnstrom &amp; Massry</i>



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# Important Offices to Know!

## Public Safety

Emergency: 518.783.2999  
Office: 518.783.2376  
Email: [publicsafety@siena.edu](mailto:publicsafety@siena.edu)

## Student Life

Office: 518.783.2328  
Email: [studentlife@siena.edu](mailto:studentlife@siena.edu)

## Counseling Center

Office: 518.783.2342

## Health Promotion

Office: 518.783.4135  
Email: [healthysaints@siena.edu](mailto:healthysaints@siena.edu)

## Financial Aid

Office: 518.783.2427  
Email: [aid@siena.edu](mailto:aid@siena.edu)

## Student Accounts (Billing)

Office: 518.783.2317  
Email: [studentaccounts@siena.edu](mailto:studentaccounts@siena.edu)

## Health Services

Office: 518.783.2554  
Email: [health@siena.edu](mailto:health@siena.edu)

## Academic Success Center

Office: 518.783.2341  
Email: [studentsuccess@siena.edu](mailto:studentsuccess@siena.edu)

## Community Living

Office: 518.783.2919  
Email: [housing@siena.edu](mailto:housing@siena.edu)

## Student Activities & Leadership Development

Office: 518.783.2330  
Email: [activities@siena.edu](mailto:activities@siena.edu)

## Accessibility

Office: 518.783.4239  
[siena.edu/offices/accessibility/](http://siena.edu/offices/accessibility/)

## Registrar

Office: 518.783.2310  
Email: [registrar@siena.edu](mailto:registrar@siena.edu)

## Mission

Office: 518.783.2332  
[missionoffice@siena.edu](mailto:missionoffice@siena.edu)

## Chaplain

Office: 518.783.2332  
[chaplainsoffice@siena.edu](mailto:chaplainsoffice@siena.edu)

# Helpful Links & Information



## Weeks of Welcome

Check out some of our upcoming events during the first few weeks of classes!

## Saints Connect

Visit Saints Connect to join a club, see events happening on campus, receive updates from the office of Student Activities and Leadership Development (SALD), and much more!



## Family Weekend

Save the Date:  
October 3 - October 4, 2025  
Registration coming soon!

# YOU BELONG HERE



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