

# East Central University

## Tiger Prep Fall 2021

### Friday 13 August 2021

8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.: Residence Hall Move-In (At assigned time) Residence Halls  
*New students will check in to their residence halls **at their assigned time**. Take opportunity to meet your roommate and unpack.*

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.: Tiger Prep Check-in Centennial Plaza  
***All new students must check in to Tiger Prep.*** Receive a welcome packet and name tag.

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.: Lunch  
*Have lunch at Chartwells, Food Trucks on Centennial Plaza, or try a local restaurant (use your ECU ID to get a discount at locations listed in the discount guide)*

2-3 p.m.: Welcome Event Ataloo Theatre  
***Required for new students*** Hallie Brown Ford Fine Arts Center  
*President Pierson welcomes students and families to ECU.*

3-4:30 p.m.:	<b>Student/Faculty Division Event</b> <b><i>Required for new students.</i></b> <i>For new Students only. Students will be led to department locations from Welcome Event.</i>	<b>Being the Parents of a College Student</b> <i>Parents remain in Ataloo Theatre.</i> <i>Dr. Brandon Hill will share tips on how to partner with ECU and your student for their success.</i>
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4:45 p.m. - 5:30p.m.: Parent/Student Convocation Kerr Activity Center  
***Required for all new students.***  
*Begin with the End in Mind – Every stage of life has a beginning and an end. The end is graduation – this is the beginning ceremony of your journey at East Central University.*

5:45–7:30 p.m.: Dinner Taff Cafeteria/Local Restaurants  
*Enjoy a family meal together in Chartwells, or at a local restaurant. Dinner Tickets for Taff Dining Hall for family members must be purchased at Tiger Prep Check-in (\$6). Students with meal plans will not need a ticket. Please pay attention to your meal time in order to avoid a rush (5:45pm/6:15pm/6:45pm). This will be the time to say family goodbyes.*

8 p.m. – Midnight: Community Life Session & Res. Hall Meetings Ataloo Theatre  
***For new students only (required).*** Learn what opportunities and responsibilities you have while being part of the ECU Community. After this event we will dismiss to required residence hall meetings and activities. (Commuter students?)

### Saturday 14 August 2021

- 8 – 9 a.m.: Breakfast Taff Cafeteria
- 9 – 10 a.m.: Tiger Prep 1 (Topic: Understand)  
**Required for all new students**  
*Join your fellow classmates and First Year Seminar Instructors to discover how to have a successful start to your academic career at ECU.*  
 Ataloa Theatre
- 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.: FYE Seminar Class  
**Required for all new students.**  
*You will meet with your First Year Seminar Class to get opportunity to know your instructor and classmates better.*  
 Note: Transfer students not in First Year Seminar have the option to attend a Transfer Seminar during this time.  
 Various Locations  
 Location TBD
- 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.: Lunch Taff Cafeteria
- 1 – 2 p.m.: FYE Seminar Class  
**Required for all new students.**  
*Rejoin your First Year Seminar Class to learn about important technology and programs that you will need to know on your first day of class.*  
 Note: Transfer students not in First Year Seminar have the option to attend a Transfer Seminar during this time.  
 Various Locations
- 2 – 3 p.m.: Workshop 1 Options (Optional) Location TBD
- 3 – 4 p.m.: Workshop 2 Options (Optional)
- 5 - 6:30 p.m.: Dinner Taff Cafeteria
- 6 p.m. - On : Social & Community Events TBD Koi Ishto Stadium and other locations  
*Join your new friends at the football stadium to learn about our traditions and watch the football team have an intra-squad scrimmage. Later there will be... other things to do TBD.*

### **Sunday 15 August 2021**

- 10- 10:30 a.m.: Student Ministry Organizations
- 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.: Lunch Taff Cafeteria
- 1-2 p.m.: Workshop 3 Options (Optional)
- 2-3p.m.: Workshop 4 Options (Optional)
- 3 – 5 p.m.: Social Activities (TBD)

6 – 8 p.m.: Back to School "BLOCK PARTY"

University Center Lawn

*Join the community for one of ECUs favorite traditions – Student Clubs and Organizations etc. Dinner will be served at this event.*

8 p.m. – On: Residence Halls Community Time

Residence Halls

*Return to your residence halls for community building time and to get ready for school tomorrow. Don't stay up too late!*

**Monday 16 August 2021**

10:00AM – 1:00PM: Howdy Fair

University Center Lawn

*Join the Ada Community as they welcome you to town. Discover the ways you can get involved locally as well as sample food from local restaurants and get free stuff!*