Become a TIGER
ORIENTATION 2017 / LAMBUTH
College is a time to celebrate who you are and who you will become. It can be a time of great excitement and huge expectations.

The first step to managing all of this begins at New Student Orientation (NSO).
Begin college on the right track at NSO.

You are about to embark on a journey full of new experiences and amazing opportunities. NSO is designed to help you (and your parents) make a smooth transition into college life at the University of Memphis Lambuth. You will meet current students and mingle with your new classmates. You will plan an academic program that reflects your interests and goals, meet your academic advisor, register for classes, and learn more about the resources the UofM Lambuth has to offer. By the time you leave NSO, you will have:

- Interacted with other freshmen students
- Finalized your class schedule for the fall
- Learned a lot about the UofM Lambuth that you didn’t know
- Had a lot of fun!

NSO is for parents, too!

We strongly encourage parents to attend and show support for their favorite freshman. The first year of college can be as big a transition for parents as it is for students. That’s why we have a special program designed specifically for parents. Get your questions answered, learn more about financial aid, scholarships and student services, and familiarize yourself with campus so you can better appreciate the first-year experience.
Online Reservations

NSO sessions are available on a first-come, first-served basis, so it’s important that you respond quickly. The online reservation system at memphis.edu/lambuthorientation accepts payment by credit card. You must log in using your University User ID (UUID) and password. This is the same UUID and password you use to access your University of Memphis email account. If you have not set up your UofM email account, go to iam.memphis.edu to do so. For assistance, contact the UMHelpDesk at (901) 678-8888. You will receive an immediate electronic confirmation of your reservation, and you will also receive confirmation by mail.

Summary of Fees

**Student Fee** – $55
Includes orientation program, materials and two meals.

**Parent Program** - $25 per parent
Includes orientation program, materials and two meals.

Students and parents who are coming from out of town and need hotel accommodations should visit the Jackson Chamber of Commerce website at jacksontn.com for a list of recommendations.

**Refund Policy**
You must cancel two weeks in advance to receive a refund, regardless of when you register. If eligible, we will process your refund after we receive the request in writing at orientation@memphis.edu.
Orientation Dates

Make plans to attend one of these NSO sessions.

Visit our website to select a date and register for an orientation session. Parents and students must attend the same session.

Sessions

June 28
or
August 9
Questions You May Have About NSO

What’s it all about?
New Student Orientation is a college experience designed to get you off to a good start at the University of Memphis Lambuth. You will:

• Meet other students, faculty and staff
• Meet with an academic advisor
  • Plan your class schedule
  • Register for classes
• Learn about student services and activities
• Get your student ID made
• Tour the campus
• Have fun!

Am I required to attend NSO?
Yes! NSO attendance is mandatory for first-time freshmen. You will not be able to register for classes without attending New Student Orientation.

Does it matter which session I attend?
Orientation sessions are available on a first-come, first-served basis. You are welcome to attend any session that fits your schedule.

Do I have to stay the entire time?
You must attend all of the scheduled activities. Please arrange your work and travel schedules accordingly.

How will I register for classes?
You will meet with an advisor who will discuss your area(s) of interest with you. Together you will plan a schedule of courses for your first semester. You will then register for these classes, and you will have a copy of your class schedule by the time you leave NSO.

What if I am planning to take classes at the Memphis campus?
If you are planning to take classes at the Memphis campus for the Fall 2017 semester, please contact the Office of Admissions at (901) 678-2111 to change your intended location. Visit memphis.edu/nso for information on how to sign up for New Student Orientation at the main campus.

For additional information, contact The Office of Recruitment and Orientation Services at (800) 669-2678 (press 5) or (901) 678-5513. You can also visit memphis.edu/nso for up-to-date information.
To Learn More

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IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING BEFORE YOUR ORIENTATION SESSION!

ALEKS Math Assessment
To better ensure student success, the University of Memphis has adopted a mandatory math assessment, known as ALEKS. The ALEKS assessment provides you with an opportunity to find out what math course best fits your current knowledge and abilities. It is important for success in mathematics that you enroll in a course for which you have the necessary preparation and which leads to the math courses required for your particular major.

All incoming students must complete the ALEKS placement assessment before attending New Student Orientation in order to register for any mathematics course for the Fall 2017 semester. Full information and testing access are available through the MyMemphis portal at my.memphis.edu.

All students must have the ALEKS math assessment completed prior to their orientation session so the score will be available to their academic advisors.

Please remember your ALEKS score will determine which math course you are eligible to register for at NSO. However, you may enroll in a lower level math course after talking with your advisor at NSO.

Visit memphis.edu/aleks for additional information.

IMMUNIZATION AND HEALTH FORM REQUIREMENTS

Student Health Services
(901) 678-2287  memphis.edu/health

Varicella (Chicken Pox) Immunizations
Proof of two varicella (chicken pox) immunizations is required for all incoming students. Students must show proof of two vaccinations prior to registering for classes at New Student Orientation. Please note: The two doses must be given at least 30 days apart per CDC guidelines. Students graduating from a Tennessee high school must provide proof of one vaccination given after graduation OR proof of two vaccinations given at any time.

Measles, Mumps and Rubella Immunizations
Proof of two MMR immunizations is required for all incoming students. Students who did not graduate from a Tennessee high school must show proof of two MMR immunizations.
**Skin Test for Tuberculosis**
Students who are not U.S. citizens and are coming from areas of high tuberculosis transmission are required to have a tuberculosis skin test (Mantoux, also known as PPD) before registering for classes at the University of Memphis at New Student Orientation. The test must have been administered in the United States within the past six months. Visit [memphis.edu/health/immunization/tb_skin.php](http://memphis.edu/health/immunization/tb_skin.php) for more information and a list of countries whose students may be excluded from receiving the test.

**Hepatitis B and Meningitis Immunization Health History Form**
Students who will be under the age of 18 during NSO must have the Hepatitis B and Meningitis Immunization Health History Form completed and signed by a parent or legal guardian.

- Visit [memphis.edu/health/pdfs/immun_cert.pdf](http://memphis.edu/health/pdfs/immun_cert.pdf) to obtain the form and other information concerning the hepatitis B and meningitis vaccinations.

- When completing the form, please mark your selection on both sections of the form and have your parent or legal guardian sign both sections of the form.

- Students living in on-campus residence halls must be immunized against the meningococcal disease. The State of Tennessee requires students under the age of 22 who will be living in a University of Memphis residence hall to be immunized against meningococcal disease on or after their 16th birthday and provide proof of receiving this immunization before moving into their residence hall.

**Return your completed forms and/or immunization records via the immunization upload system at**
[umwa.memphis.edu/immunizations](http://umwa.memphis.edu/immunizations)

**IT IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED THAT YOU ALSO BRING A COPY OF YOUR FORMS AND RECORDS WITH YOU TO NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION.**
Undergraduate Majors at UofM Lambuth

Biology/Pre-Med (B.S.)
Business Administration Management (B.B.A.)
Communication (B.A.)
Criminology and Criminal Justice (B.A.)
English (B.A.)
Entertainment Music Industry
[individualized program] (B.P.S.)
Health Services Administration (B.P.S.)
Information Technology (B.P.S.)
Interdisciplinary Studies (B.L.S.)
Journalism (B.A.)
Law Enforcement Administration
[experienced law enforcement professionals only] (B.P.S.)
Manufacturing Technology Management (B.P.S.)
Nonprofit Administration (B.P.S.)
Nursing (B.S.N.)
Organizational Leadership (B.P.S.)
Political Science (B.A.)
Psychology (B.A.)
RN to BSN
Social Work (B.A.)
Teaching All Learners
[Elementary Education K-6 & Special Education K-12] (B.S.Ed.)