Schedule of Events
Friday, August 28

MORNING

8–5  AIR FORCE ROTC OPEN HOUSE. 55 Whitney Avenue, Suite 450.

8.30–4.30  STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES. Students and their families may make payments and obtain information about monthly account statements, financial aid, loans, and other billing and payment matters. First floor, 246 Church Street.

9  FRESHMAN RESIDENCES OPEN. Freshmen are expected to move into their rooms between 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. Those who cannot arrive by 7 p.m. should contact the office of their residential college dean for further instructions. Freshmen are not permitted to move into their dormitory rooms before August 28. Incoming students arriving before this date are responsible for making their own lodging arrangements off campus, unless they have registered for a preorientation program. A listing of local hotels is posted at www.infonewhaven.com.

9–4  PICK UP PREPAID LINEN PACKAGES from designated trucks parked on High Street. Prepaid refrigerators will be delivered to your room. There will be refrigerators for rent on High Street. Delivery service is available for a fee of $10.

9–4.30  STUDENT TECHNOLOGY COLLABORATIVE will assist students with configuring personal computers for Yale and answer computer-related questions. First floor, Linsly-Chittenden Hall, Old Campus.

9.30–12  RESOURCE OFFICE ON DISABILITIES REGISTRATION for students with disabilities. Meetings with the associate director by appointment. Call 203-432-8174. Room 222, 35 Broadway (enter through rear of building).

10.30  WALKING TOURS of the central Yale campus for students and their families. Tours leave from the Yale Visitor Center, 149 Elm Street.

10.30–2  INFORMATION FAIR. Clinicians and staff from Yale Health and representatives from the Chaplain’s Office, Yale Security, and Yale Transportation Options will meet informally with families. Voter registration available. Light refreshments. Sponsored by Yale Health Student Wellness. Dwight Hall area of the Old Campus.

11–12.30  RECEPTION AND TOURS AT YALE HEALTH CENTER for students and their families. Moreson H. Kaplan Conference Center, Yale Health Center, 55 Lock Street.
11–2 PHOTO BOOTH. Strike a pose with family, friends, and suitemates as you create new memories. The photo booth experience is free and first come, first served. Photos will be made available online. Use #Yale2019 to share your photos with the Yale community. High Street gate area of the Old Campus.

11–2 EXPRESS LUNCH on the Old Campus. Sandwiches, snacks, and beverages may be purchased for $10.

AFTERNOON

12 NROTC MEET AND GREET AND PARENTS’ BRIEF at 55 Whitney Avenue, Suite 430.

12.30–4.30 IMMUNIZATION FORM DROP-OFF. Students who have not submitted their immunization forms may drop them off at the Yale Health Center, 4th floor, 55 Lock Street.

1 JUMUAH (FRIDAY PRAYERS) with the Muslim Students Association, followed by lunch. Battell Chapel, Old Campus.

1–2.15 YALE CENTER FOR ENGINEERING INNOVATION AND DESIGN. Open house for all new students. Yale CEID, Becton Center, room 107, 15 Prospect Street.

1–4.30 COMPUTING@YALE SESSIONS on the hour, each session lasting 30 minutes. Meet with Yale student techs (STs), learn about IT resources, and receive a USB key courtesy of the Student Technology Collaborative. Room 102, Linsly-Chittenden Hall, Old Campus.

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1.15–1.30 ROTC OATH OF OFFICE administered to midshipmen, Woolsey Hall, corner of College and Grove streets.

2 WALKING TOURS of the central Yale campus for students and their families. Tours leave from the Yale Visitor Center, 149 Elm Street.
Friday, August 28

2.30–3.45  PANEL DISCUSSION FOR FAMILIES WITH JONATHAN HOLLOWAY, DEAN OF YALE COLLEGE. Discussion of undergraduate education and the residential colleges. Room 114, Sheffield-Sterling-Strathcona Hall, 1 Prospect Street.

4–5.30  MASTERS’ OPEN HOUSES. Families are invited to an informal open house at the master’s house in the residential college of their student.

EVENING

5.45  SHABBAT SERVICES followed by dinner at 7 P.M. This meal is complimentary for freshmen and their families. Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

6–7.30  DINNER ON YOUR OWN. The Elm City offers a diverse and creative menu of options to satisfy any appetite and budget. Malaysian to French, modern American to Italian, and sushi to Spanish, New Haven is the city with something for everyone. Check out dining specials for students at www.infonewhaven.com/content/student-dining-discounts.

6–7.30  DINNER FOR FIRST GENERATION STUDENTS AND FAMILIES. First-generation students, parents, and families are invited to a panel presentation, followed by dinner and conversation at the Afro-American Cultural Center, 211 Park Street. Hosted by the Associate Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Student Engagement, Burgwell Howard.

8–9  FRESHMAN REGISTRATION MEETINGS. All freshmen are required to meet with their residential college dean in their college’s dining hall.

8–9  SAFETY ORIENTATION for families. A discussion about personal safety at Yale, with an opportunity to meet members of the Yale University Police Department and the Department of University Security Programs. Specific information will be presented about the student’s role in personal safety at Yale and in New Haven and about University programs and services designed to enhance security. Davies Auditorium, Becton Center, 15 Prospect Street.

9–10  FRESHMAN COUNSELOR MEETINGS. Freshmen are required to meet with their freshman counselor. You will be notified by your freshman counselor of the meeting location.

10–12  SOCIAL ACTIVITIES. Go to artscalendar.yale.edu and The Yale College Freshman Orientation app at https://event.crowdcompass.com/ycfo2015 for a list of social activities on campus.

10–2  GLOBAL GROUNDS COFFEE HOUSE features free coffee and snacks. Dwight Hall, Old Campus.
Saturday, August 29

MORNING

8–10 BREAKFAST in Branford, Calhoun, Timothy Dwight, and Saybrook Colleges for freshmen.

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8.30–2 STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES. Students and their families may make payments and obtain information about monthly account statements, financial aid, loans, and other billing and payment matters. First floor, 246 Church Street.

9 and 10.30 FRESHMAN ASSEMBLY in Woolsey Hall, corner of College and Grove Streets. Addresses by Peter Salovey, President of Yale University, and Jonathan Holloway, Dean of Yale College. Students and their guests are assigned to one of two seatings, depending on residential college affiliation. Students from the following colleges are scheduled to attend the 9 a.m. assembly: Berkeley, Davenport, Timothy Dwight, Morse, Pierson, and Silliman. Students from the following colleges are scheduled to attend the 10.30 a.m. assembly: Branford, Calhoun, Jonathan Edwards, Saybrook, Ezra Stiles, and Trumbull. All freshmen are required to attend and be in their seats on the main floor of Woolsey by 8.45 a.m. for the 9 a.m. assembly and by 10.15 a.m. for the 10.30 a.m. assembly. Proper attire should be worn. Family members and guests of students are invited to attend and take seats in the rear section of Woolsey, the parquet terraces, and the first balcony. Doors to Woolsey will open at 8 a.m. for the 9 a.m. assembly and 10 a.m. for the 10.30 a.m. assembly. This event will also be streamed live on the Yale YouTube channel.

9–4 PICK UP PREPAID LINEN PACKAGES from designated trucks parked on High Street. Prepaid refrigerators will be delivered to your room. There will be refrigerators for rent on High Street. Delivery service is available for a fee of $10.

11.30–1 PRESIDENT’S RECEPTION for freshmen and their families on Cross Campus. President Salovey and Dean Holloway will greet guests. Refreshments will be served. In the event of rain, the reception will be held in the Schwarzman Center, 168 Grove Street, and the president and dean
will greet guests in the Presidents’ Room. Although all are welcome at 11:30 A.M., we suggest that students and families attending the 9 A.M. Freshman Assembly (Berkeley, Davenport, Timothy Dwight, Morse, Pierson, and Silliman Colleges) join the President’s Reception at 12:15 P.M., to avoid long lines.

AFTERNOON

12.30–2 PHOTO BOOTH. Strike a pose with family, friends, and suitemates as you create new memories. The photo booth experience is free and first come, first served. Photos will be made available on line. Use #Yale2019 to share your photos with the Yale community. Cross Campus.

12.30–4 STUDENT TECHNOLOGY COLLABORATIVE will assist students with configuring personal computers for Yale and answer computer-related questions. First floor, Linsly-Chittenden Hall, Old Campus.

1–2 TOUR OF STERLING AND BASS LIBRARIES FOR FAMILIES. An introduction to the libraries’ history, architecture, and collections. The tour will begin inside the main entrance to Sterling Memorial Library on Rose Walk, facing Cross Campus. Tours for freshmen will begin in mid-September. A schedule will be posted at web.library.yale.edu/people/personal-librarian/library-tours.

1–2.30 COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH for freshmen and their families in all of the residential colleges.

1–3 RESOURCE OFFICE ON DISABILITIES REGISTRATION for students with disabilities. Meetings with the associate director by appointment. Call 203-432-8174. Room 222, 35 Broadway (enter through rear of building).

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Saturday–Sunday, August 29–30

2 and 3.15 **FINANCIAL AID AND STUDENT EMPLOYMENT MEETING.** Representatives from Financial Aid and Student Employment will present information about financial aid and job opportunities for students. Students and families are encouraged to attend. Battell Chapel, corner of College and Elm Streets.

2–5 **SUGGESTED DEPARTURE TIME FOR PARENTS.** Subsequent orientation programs are designed for students.

2–5.30 **STUDENT SAFETY MEETING.** Required for all freshmen. Room 114, Sheffield-Sterling-Strathcona Hall, 1 Prospect Street.

2–3 Freshmen from Timothy Dwight, Jonathan Edwards, Morse, and Ezra Stiles Colleges

3.15–4.15 Freshmen from Davenport, Saybrook, Silliman, and Trumbull Colleges

4.30–5.30 Freshmen from Berkeley, Branford, Calhoun, and Pierson Colleges

**EVENING**

5.30–7 **PICNIC SUPPERS FOR FRESHMEN** in the residential colleges, with an introduction to each college, its resources, and its facilities.

7–10 **NAVIGATING YOUR FIRST DAYS FOLLOWED BY FRESHMAN COUNSELOR MEETINGS.** Freshmen are required to attend a discussion with their residential college dean about balancing the opportunities and risks of college life. This meeting will be followed immediately by the freshman counselor meetings. Locations to be announced.

10–12 **SOCIAL ACTIVITIES.** Go to artscalendar.yale.edu and The Yale College Freshman Orientation app at https://event.crowdcompass.com/ycfo2015 for a list of social activities on campus.

10–2 **GLOBAL GROUNDS COFFEE HOUSE.** Dwight Hall, Old Campus.

**Sunday, August 30**

**MORNING**

9–12 **CHINESE, JAPANESE, AND KOREAN** oral placement examinations. See eall.yale.edu/academics/language-programs for locations and specific times. Students taking the Chinese, Japanese, or Korean examination must have completed the online component, at the same URL, before taking this examination.

9–11 **ARABIC** oral placement examination. The interview portion of the Arabic online placement exam will be held in HGS B64, 320 York Street.
Sunday, August 30

9.30–11.45 **HEBREW** placement examination. The Hebrew placement exam will be held from 9.30 to 11.30 a.m. at the Center for Language Study, 370 Temple Street.

10 **ROMAN CATHOLIC MASS** followed by a reception. St. Thomas More Chapel and Catholic Center, 268 Park Street.

10–12 **PORTUGUESE** placement examination. Room 202, William L. Harkness Hall, 100 Wall Street.

10.30 **UNIVERSITY CHURCH IN YALE, CHRISTIAN SERVICE.** Students of all denominations and traditions are welcome at this ecumenical service followed by lunch. Battell Chapel, corner of College and Elm Streets.

11–1.30 **BRUNCH** in Branford, Calhoun, Timothy Dwight, and Saybrook Colleges for all freshmen.

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**AFTERNOON**

12–3 **CULTURAL EXPLORATION.** Come learn about the cultural and student life resource centers of Yale University. Yale is home to four distinct cultural centers and three student resource centers dedicated to enriching the lives of the Yale student body and community. The centers are dedicated to exploring diverse aspects of society and provide student support in the following areas: the African diaspora and international inclusion, religious life, LGBTQ resources, Native and indigenous cultures and Latino life and culture, and Asian and Asian American culture. Each of the open houses will allow you the opportunity to meet and speak to center directors and peer liaisons while learning about the array of resources available at each center. The open houses will be informative, but fun. During the open house, you will experience drumming and cultural dancing and partake of unique and familiar food items.

12–1.30 Office of LGBTQ Resources, Office of International Students & Scholars, and the Chaplain’s Office. Dwight Hall Common Room, Old Campus

1.30–3 Afro-American Cultural Center, Asian American Cultural Center, La Casa Cultural Center, and the Native American Cultural Center. 295–301 Crown Street and 26 High Street
Sunday–Monday, August 30–31

3–8.45 **HEALTH AND SEXUALITY WORKSHOPS.** These peer-led sessions encourage students to make mindful choices in accordance with their own personal values, offering practical strategies for self-care, mutual respect, and clear communication. Required for all freshmen.

3–4 Freshmen in Berkeley, Branford, and Silliman Colleges
4.30–5.30 Freshmen in Davenport, Timothy Dwight, and Jonathan Edwards Colleges
6.15–7.15 Freshmen in Pierson, Ezra Stiles, and Trumbull Colleges
7.45–8.45 Freshmen in Calhoun, Morse, and Saybrook Colleges

**EVENING**

5–7 **DINNER** in Branford, Calhoun, Timothy Dwight, and Saybrook Colleges for all freshmen.

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5 & 10 **ROMAN CATHOLIC MASS** followed by a reception. St. Thomas More Chapel and Catholic Center, 268 Park Street.

9–10 **FRESHMAN COUNSELOR MEETINGS.** Freshmen are required to meet with their freshman counselor. You will be notified by your freshman counselor of the meeting location.

10–12 **SOCIAL ACTIVITIES.** Go to artscalendar.yale.edu and The Yale College Freshman Orientation app at https://event.crowdcompass.com/yco2015 for a list of social activities on campus.

**Monday, August 31**

**MORNING**

8–10 **BREAKFAST IN THE SCHWARZMAN CENTER** for freshmen. 168 Grove Street.

8.30–4.30 **MATHEMATICS.** Advisers from the department will be available to speak with students who have questions about their results from the online placement examination, which can be found at math.yale.edu/undergrad/placement-exam. All students planning to enroll in one of the introductory calculus courses (single- or multi-variable calculus) are required to take this examination, which will provide an automated placement into MATH 112, 115, or 120. Students who have questions about their results
should come to this advising session. Room 432, Dunham Laboratory, 10 Hillhouse Avenue.

8.30–4.30 **STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES.** Students may make payments and obtain information about monthly account statements, financial aid, loans, and other billing and payment matters. First floor, 246 Church Street.

9–10.15 **CHEMISTRY AND PHYSICS.** Orientation meeting for freshmen who plan to take chemistry or physics. Room 110, Sterling Chemistry Laboratory, 225 Prospect Street.

9–12 **ENGLISH.** Drop-in hours for consultation with departmental placement officers about placement in English courses. Additional placement consultation will be available during the Academic Fair. Room 101, Linsly-Chittenden Hall, Old Campus.

9–7.30 **ONLINE PREREGISTRATION** for freshman seminars, econ 110, and introductory and intermediate courses in English, French, Italian, mathematics, and Spanish. Registration procedures and additional information can be found at yalecollege.yale.edu/new-students/class-2019/academic-information/special-programs-placement-and-preregistration.

10–4 **AIR FORCE AND NAVY ROTC OPEN HOUSE.** 55 Whitney Avenue, Suite 450.

10.30–12 **CHEMISTRY.** Placement examination for students who wish to change their placement, who plan to elect organic or physical chemistry, or who simply wish to confirm they have the background appropriate for the course of their choice. Students should bring a nonprogrammable, non-graphing calculator and several #2 pencils with them to the examination. Room 110, Sterling Chemistry Laboratory, 225 Prospect Street.

11–12 **FINANCIAL AID SESSION** for students. Hosted by Student Financial Services and the Yale College Council Financial Aid Advisory Committee. Davies Auditorium, Becton Center, 15 Prospect Street.

11–2.30 **LUNCH IN THE SCHWARZMAN CENTER** for freshmen. 168 Grove Street.

**AFTERNOON**

1–2 **DIRECTED STUDIES** meet-and-greet session hosted by the Directed Studies ambassadors, former students who are happy to speak about their experiences in DS. Director of undergraduate studies Kathryn Slanski will also be there.
Monday–Tuesday, August 31–September 1

1–2 SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & APPLIED SCIENCE ADVISING MEETINGS. Directors of undergraduate studies for the majors in biomedical engineering, computer science, chemical engineering, electrical engineering, environmental engineering, and mechanical engineering and materials science will be available to speak with any students who have questions. Consult seas.yale.edu/undergraduate-study/freshmanadvising for locations.

2–2.45 MEETINGS WITH FRESHMAN ADVISERS in the residential colleges. Freshmen are required to attend.

3–4.30 MUSIC THEORY. Placement examination for MUSI 205, 210, and 211. Room 119, William L. Harkness Hall, 100 Wall Street.

EVENING

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6.30–7.30 YALE UNIVERSITY BANDS. Introductory meeting and information session about audition sign-ups for the Yale Concert Band and Yale Precision Marching Band. Woolsey Hall, College and Grove Streets. (Auditions for the Yale Concert Band will be held Tuesday through Friday, September 1 through September 4, at 143 Elm Street, Room 104.) Information at bands.yalecollege.yale.edu.

8–10 MEETINGS WITH RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE DEANS FOLLOWED BY FRESHMAN COUNSELOR MEETINGS in the residential colleges. Freshmen are required to attend.

10–11 YALE CENTER FOR ENGINEERING INNOVATION AND DESIGN BIRTHDAY PARTY. Yale CEID, Becton Center, room 107, 15 Prospect Street.

10.30–12 SOCIAL ACTIVITIES. Go to artscalendar.yale.edu and The Yale College Freshman Orientation app at https://event.crowdcompass.com/ycfo2015 for a list of social activities on campus.

Tuesday, September 1

MORNING

7.30–10 BREAKFAST IN THE SCHWARZMAN CENTER for freshmen. 168 Grove Street.
Tuesday, September 1

9–10.30 **CHEMISTRY** makeup orientation and placement examination. Room 110, Sterling Chemistry Laboratory, 225 Prospect Street.

9–11 **MUSIC THEORY.** Makeup placement examination for MUSI 205, 210, and 211. Room 119, William L. Harkness Hall, 100 Wall Street.

9–12 **AIR FORCE AND NAVY ROTC OPEN HOUSE.** 55 Whitney Avenue, Suite 450.

10.30–1.30 **ART.** The director of undergraduate studies and members of the faculty will answer questions about course selection and other matters pertaining to the Art department. Students wishing to elect Art courses are advised to go to the first class meeting. Holcombe T. Green Hall, 1156 Chapel Street.

11–12 **DIRECTED STUDIES.** Introductory meeting for students admitted to the program, students on the wait list, and any students who did not apply to Directed Studies but are interested in the program. Faculty will be introduced and admitted students will receive their seminar schedules. Interested students may add their names to the wait list. The director of undergraduate studies, Kathryn Slanski, will be available for consultation. Auditorium, Whitney Humanities Center, 53 Wall Street. Light refreshments will be served in room 108 at 10.30 a.m.

11–12 **SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & APPLIED SCIENCE DEAN’S WELCOME.** An address for students interested in engineering and computer science will be given in SSS 114, 1 Prospect Street. The engineering and computer science departments will also participate in the Academic Fair on Tuesday, September 1.

11.30–1 **LUNCH** in the residential colleges for all students (meal plan begins).

**AFTERNOON**

12–1 **THEATER STUDIES RECEPTION.** All students interested in Theater Studies are invited to attend an inaugural meeting and reception in the Theater Studies Ballroom, 220 York Street, room 101. Students will have an opportunity to meet Theater Studies faculty and students, receive information about course offerings, and hear about this year’s exciting production season as well as other upcoming Theater Studies events. Refreshments will be served. The Theater Studies program will also participate in the Academic Fair on Tuesday, September 1.

1–2 **PREMEDICAL ADVISING PANEL.** Discussion with members of the Health Professions Advisory Board for students considering careers in the health professions (including medicine, dentistry, and veterinary medicine). Davies Auditorium, Becton Center, 15 Prospect Street.
Tuesday–Wednesday, September 1–2

2–2.15 SPANISH information session at the Academic Fair for students planning to begin or continue study of Spanish. Room 102, Linsly-Chittenden Hall, Old Campus.

2–3.30 ACADEMIC FAIR. Representatives from academic departments and programs in Yale College will hold information sessions, orientation meetings, and consultations with freshmen. A complete list of participating departments and meeting locations will be available at the main entrances of the buildings. William L. Harkness Hall, 100 Wall Street, and Linsly-Chittenden Hall, Old Campus. See map on page 34.

2–3.30 LATIN. Preregistration at the Academic Fair for LATN 110. Linsly-Chittenden Hall, Old Campus.

4.30–5.15 KEYNOTE ADDRESS: “WRITING A LIFE” by Beverly Frances Gage, Professor of History. Woolsey Hall, corner of College and Grove Streets. All freshmen are required to attend and be in their seats on the main floor of Woolsey by 4:15 P.M. Proper attire should be worn.

EVENING

6–8 DINNER for the Class of 2019 in the residential colleges.

9–10 FRESHMAN COUNSELOR MEETINGS. Freshmen are required to meet with their freshman counselor. You will be notified by your freshman counselor of the meeting location.

Wednesday, September 2

MORNING

8.20 CLASSES BEGIN.

AFTERNOON

4–5 YALE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA information session. Woolsey Hall, corner of College and Grove Streets.

EVENING

5.30–6.30 YALE GLEE CLUB. Organizational meeting for Yale’s principal undergraduate mixed chorus and oldest musical organization. Faculty Room, Connecticut Hall, Old Campus, second floor. Auditions will be held from Thursday, September 3, to Sunday, September 6. More information regarding auditions and audition sign up can be found at yalegleeclub.org. Call 203-432-4136 or e-mail sean.maher@yale.edu for information.
Thursday–Saturday, September 3–5

9–10  FRESHMAN COUNSELOR MEETINGS. Freshmen are required to meet with their freshman counselor. You will be notified by your freshman counselor of the meeting location.

**Thursday, September 3**

**EVENING**

6.45–8  ASTRONOMY KICK-OFF MEETING AND MOVIE NIGHT. Leitner Family Observatory and Planetarium, 335 Prospect Street, on the Yale Blue Shuttle line.

9–10  FRESHMAN COUNSELOR MEETINGS. Freshmen are required to meet with their freshman counselor. You will be notified by your freshman counselor of the meeting location.

**Friday, September 4**

**AFTERNOON**

1  JUMUHAH (FRIDAY PRAYERS) with the Muslim Students Association, followed by lunch. Dwight Hall Chapel, Old Campus.

**EVENING**

5.45  SHABBAT SERVICES (REFORM, EGAITARIAN, AND ORTHODOX) followed by dinner at 7 p.m. Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

8.30–10  MOSAIC, followed by required freshman counselor meeting. You will be notified by your freshman counselor of the meeting location.

10–12  SOCIAL ACTIVITIES. Go to artcalendar.yale.edu and The Yale College Freshman Orientation app at https://event.crowdcompass.com/ycfo2015 for a list of social activities on campus.

10–2  GLOBAL GROUNDS COFFEE HOUSE. Dwight Hall, Old Campus.

**Saturday, September 5**

**MORNING**

9.15  ORTHODOX SHABBAT SERVICES. Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

9.30  EGAITARIAN SHABBAT SERVICES. Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

10.30–4.30  UNDERSTANDING SEXUAL ASSAULT: THE MYTH OF MISCOMMUNICATION. Miscommunication does not cause sexual assault, but this myth persists—even rape can be erroneously excused as “just a
misunderstanding.” This peer-led workshop explores our basic human competence at recognizing refusal or encouragement, looking closely at pressure tactics and their role in sexual assault. Students discuss ways to build a culture of respect and recognition, exploring diverse possibilities for romantic and sexual connections that are free of manipulation and pressure. This session is required for all freshmen.

10.30–12 Your freshman counselor will notify you of the time and location for your group.

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3–4.30

**AFTERNOON**

12.30 **SHABBAT LUNCH.** Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

**EVENING**

5.30 **DINNER AND FACE PAINTING** with your freshman counselors in your residential college dining hall.

7–9 **YALE UP!** Don your Yale gear, and come learn some of Yale’s oldest (and newest) traditions. There will be songs and prizes for all. Lanman Center, Payne Whitney Gym, 70 Tower Parkway

9–10 **FRESHMAN COUNSELOR STUDY BREAK.** Freshmen are required to meet with their freshman counselor. You will be notified by your freshman counselor of the study break location.

10–12 **SOCIAL ACTIVITIES.** Go to *artscalendar.yale.edu* and The Yale College Freshman Orientation app at [https://event.crowdcompass.com/ycfo2015](https://event.crowdcompass.com/ycfo2015) for a list of social activities on campus.

10–2 **GLOBAL GROUNDS COFFEE HOUSE.** Dwight Hall, Old Campus.

**Sunday, September 6**

**MORNING**

9–12 **FITNESS CLASSES.** Meet with certified instructors from Payne Whitney Gymnasium and try a variety of fitness classes from Boot Camp, Cardio, and Pilates to Zumba. Payne Whitney Gymnasium, fifth floor, 70 Tower Parkway.

10 **ROMAN CATHOLIC MASS** followed by a reception. St. Thomas More Chapel and Catholic Center, 268 Park Street.

10.30 **UNIVERSITY CHURCH IN YALE, CHRISTIAN WORSHIP.** Battell Chapel, corner of Elm and College Streets.
AFTERNOON

12–3  BAZAAR OF UNDERGRADUATE ORGANIZATIONS AND PAYNE WHITNEY GYMNASIUM OPEN HOUSE. Representatives of undergraduate organizations will introduce freshmen to student-run activities. The Payne Whitney Gymnasium open house will provide information about intramural and club sports, physical education classes, tickets for varsity events, and Dawg Pound membership, and the Ace Israel Fitness Center will be open for personal workouts. Brochures for self-guided tours will be distributed. Payne Whitney Gymnasium, 70 Tower Parkway.

3–8.45  UNDERSTANDING SEXUAL ASSAULT: THE MYTH OF MISCOMMUNICATION. Miscommunication does not cause sexual assault, but this myth persists—even rape can be erroneously excused as “just a misunderstanding.” This peer-led workshop explores our basic human competence at recognizing refusal or encouragement, looking closely at pressure tactics and their role in sexual assault. Students discuss ways to build a culture of respect and recognition, exploring diverse possibilities for romantic and sexual connections that are free of manipulation and pressure. This session is required for all freshmen.

3–4.30  Your freshman counselor will notify you of the time and location for your group.

5–6.30

7.15–8.45

EVENING

5 & 10  ROMAN CATHOLIC MASS followed by a reception. St. Thomas More Chapel and Catholic Center, 268 Park Street.

9–10  FRESHMAN COUNSELOR MEETINGS. Freshmen are required to meet with their freshman counselor. You will be notified by your freshman counselor of the meeting location.

Monday, September 7

Note: September 7 is Labor Day. Most University offices will be closed. Classes do not meet.

MORNING

8.15  38TH ANNUAL FAXON LAW NEW HAVEN ROAD RACE. USA 20K national championship and 5K race. Over 7,000 racers will be on the starting line near the New Haven Green. Post-race party with live music on the New Haven Green, 9–11.30 A.M. For more information and an entry form, go to www.newhavenroadrace.org.
Monday–Saturday, September 7–12

EVENING
10–12  SOCIAL ACTIVITIES. Go to artscalendar.yale.edu and the Yale College Freshman Orientation app at https://event.crowdcompass.com/ycfo2015 for a list of social activities on campus.

Friday, September 11

AFTERNOON
1  JUMUH (FRIDAY PRAYERS) with the Muslim Students Association, followed by lunch. Dwight Hall Chapel, Old Campus.

5.45  SHABBAT SERVICES (Reform, Egalitarian, and Orthodox) followed by dinner at 7 p.m. Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

EVENING
7–8.30  ART MUSEUM RECEPTION at the Yale University Art Gallery, 1111 Chapel Street. Yale’s world-class art museum welcomes freshmen with student-guided tours and refreshments. Freshman counselors will lead freshmen from their respective colleges; participation is strongly recommended.

10–12  SOCIAL ACTIVITIES. Go to artscalendar.yale.edu and the Yale College Freshman Orientation app at https://event.crowdcompass.com/ycfo2015 for a list of social activities on campus.

10–2  GLOBAL GROUNDS COFFEE HOUSE. Dwight Hall, Old Campus.

Saturday, September 12

MORNING
9.15  ORTHODOX SHABBAT SERVICES. Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

9.30  EGALITARIAN SHABBAT SERVICES. Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

10–2  FRESHMAN DAY OF SERVICE. Participate in community service projects alongside fellow Yalies at various New Haven nonprofits. Hosted by Dwight Hall, Old Campus. Breakfast and lunch provided with advance registration. Register at dwighthall.org or email isc@dwighthall.org for more info.

AFTERNOON
12.30  SHABBAT LUNCH. Slifka Center, 80 Wall Street.

3–5  DISCOVER NEW HAVEN: FRESHMAN CHALLENGE. By now you probably know where to check out a book on campus, but do you know where
the best cookies are sold? Come learn what you really need to know for the next four years as you experience and explore New Haven. Using a smartphone app, search for clues around downtown that will help you learn all about the city. Teams will be arranged by residential college. Prizes will be awarded. Hosted by the Yale Office of New Haven and State Affairs. Free T-shirts for all participants who register. Smart phones are not required. Register at onhsa.yale.edu/register.

**EVENING**

**7–12 SOCIAL ACTIVITIES.** Go to artscalendar.yale.edu and the Yale College Freshman Orientation app at https://event.crowdcompass.com/yco2015 for a list of social activities on campus.

**10–2 GLOBAL GROUNDS COFFEE HOUSE.** Dwight Hall, Old Campus.