MONDAY, JANUARY 2

2–8 P.M.
Residence Hall Move-In
All new students living in the residence halls can move in any time after 2 p.m. on Monday, January 2. Housing cart stations will be available during specified times. Limited dining services will be available. Full dining operations will resume on Wednesday, January 4.

7 P.M.
Pitt Women’s Basketball vs. Miami
Petersen Events Center
Come support Pitt Athletics and enjoy the atmosphere as Pitt takes on Miami. Entrance to the game is free for Pitt students with Pitt ID and $5 for guests.

9–11 P.M.
Bingo
William Pitt Union, Nordy’s Place, Lower Level
Join the First Year Mentors for Bingo and walk away with great Pitt prizes. Free refreshments provided. Access to Nordy’s Place will be available through the Forbes Avenue entrance of the William Pitt Union.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3

9 A.M. – 8 P.M.
Residence Hall Move-In
You can move into the residence halls at any time on this day. Housing cart stations will be available during specified times. Limited dining services will be available. Full dining operations will resume on Wednesday, January 4.

11 A.M. – 1 P.M.
Transfer Student Essentials
William Pitt Union, Ballroom, Main Floor
All transfer students are invited to attend. This session is designed to help you connect to the university and each other. Learn about opportunities to engage on campus and hear firsthand from our First Year Mentors (FYM) that transferred to Pitt. Lunch will be provided.

9:30–11:30 A.M.
English Language Proficiency Test
REQUIRED FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
G-17 Cathedral of Learning
An English language assessment is required for all international undergraduate students. It is also required for any international graduate students with a TOEFL score below 100 or IELTS score below 7.0, or for any student who has been told by their academic program that they must take the test. This test should take about 2 hours and you should arrive at least 15 minutes prior to the start of the test. Please register at linguistics.pitt.edu/centers/testing-ept.php.

11:30 A.M. – 2 P.M.
Office of International Services: International Student Orientation
REQUIRED FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
O’Hara Student Center, Ballroom, Second Floor
You will learn important information about how to maintain your immigration status and receive practical information that will help you adjust to life on campus and in Pittsburgh. Be sure to bring your passport and immigration documents with you. Check-In and Lunch will begin at 11:30 a.m. The program will begin around 12:30 p.m.
1–2 P.M.
**Navigating the Pitt Portal**
548 William Pitt Union
Attend this session to learn more about the Pitt Portal and how to use it to add/drop a class, access the Outside the Classroom Curriculum, and more! There will also be staff to assist in setting up your laptop or other devices onto Pitt’s system. Please bring your own laptop.

2–3 P.M.
**Welcome Reception**
William Pitt Union, Lower Lounge, Main Floor
This special reception offers you and your family the opportunity to connect with the team that leads your personal and professional development — the Division of Student Affairs. Refreshments provided.

3–5 P.M.
**Spring Orientation Program**
REQUIRED FOR NEW AND TRANSFER STUDENTS
William Pitt Union, Assembly Room, Main Floor
Kenyon Bonner, vice provost and dean of students, will welcome you to campus. This program will provide an exciting overview of the opportunities available to help you succeed at Pitt.

3:30–5 P.M.
**What You Need to Know and Bystander Intervention Training**
REQUIRED FOR NEW AND TRANSFER STUDENTS
William Pitt Union, Ballroom, Main Floor
After the welcome, students will transition into the William Pitt Union Ballroom. In this informative and engaging program, you will explore the realities of transition to Pitt, from responsible decision making to navigating your new urban environment. This session will cover information about alcohol, sexual assault, staying safe on campus, and mental health resources available to you. Additionally, the bystander intervention training will teach you how to safely and appropriately intervene to prevent sexual assault and harassment from occurring. If you have any concerns about the content of this program, please feel free to contact the First Year Mentors or Orientation staff on-hand.

3:30–5 P.M.
**Parents, Get to Know Pitt!**
William Pitt Union, Assembly Room, Main Floor
After the welcome, parents will stay in the William Pitt Union Assembly Room. Whether you live around the corner or around the country, you will learn something about Pitt that will connect you with the University and help you support your students. The second part of this session will include a Q&A panel with various non-academic Pitt departments.

9–11 P.M.
**Nordy’s Place Open House**
William Pitt Union, Nordy’s Place, Lower Level
Named for the esteemed former Chancellor Mark A. Nordenberg, Nordy’s Place is a main hangout spot for Pitt students. Play pool or ping-pong, or relax and watch TV. Slushies, popcorn, and other refreshments will be provided. Access to Nordy’s Place will be available through the Forbes Avenue entrance of the William Pitt Union.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4

**Spring Term Classes Begin**

9:30–11 A.M.
**Welcome Back Commuters**
William Pitt Union, Commuter Student Lounge (inside Nordy’s Place), Lower Level
All commuter students are invited to enjoy refreshments in the Commuter Lounge and see how this space can be a familiar place on campus to study or relax between classes. For more information about the services and event open to commuter students — check out studentaffairs.pitt.edu/commuter/.

Noon–1:30 P.M.
**OCC Info Session**
William Pitt Union, Second Floor
Join us for food, drinks, and information on how to complete the Outside the Classroom Curriculum. This is a great opportunity to ask questions and learn about upcoming events on campus that count for OCC credit. You will also have a chance to meet OCC Honorary Society members and Brand Ambassadors — students just like you that have completed the OCC. Learn about scholarship opportunities and other incentives as well.
1–3 P.M.  
**Activities Fair & University Department Marketplace**  
William Pitt Union, Main Floor  
Stop in and meet with student representatives from Pitt’s many student organizations. Learn everything you need to know about the programs and services that are available to you as a Pitt student.

5–7 P.M.  
**Highlight Your Hall**  
William Pitt Union, Room 548  
The Resident Student Association invites all new and transfer students living on campus an opportunity to meet your building’s hall council. Come learn the faces and places that make the halls our homes. Bring your questions, meet our leaders, and take away a cozy gift.

9 P.M.  
**Watch Party – Pitt Men’s Basketball vs. Virginia**  
William Pitt Union, Nordy’s Place, Lower Level  
Looking for a place to catch the game? Come down to Nordy’s place and watch the game on the big screen! Free refreshments and Pitt themed prizes will be available throughout the game.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 5

11 A.M. – 2 P.M.  
**Career & Internship Open House**  
William Pitt Union, Second Floor  
Various open house stations will be set up on topics including Internship Prep Program, Career Closet, Spring Career Fair, employer engagement, Panther Shadow, OCC, and Handshake. Grab & go lunch will be provided along with fun giveaways. You can drop in anytime!

7 P.M.  
**Pitt Women’s Basketball vs. Boston College**  
Petersen Events Center  
Come support Pitt Athletics and enjoy the atmosphere as Pitt takes on Boston College. Entrance to the game is free for Pitt students with Pitt ID and $5 for guests.

8–10 P.M.  
**Red Hot Dance**  
William Pitt Union, Ballroom and Kurtzman Room, Main Floor  
Burn it up on the dance floor at our Red Hot Dance. The tunes will be fire and the beats will be spicy. This event is not to be missed, we guarantee it will be lit. Add a bit of glitz and glam to your attire, and visit our face painter to add fantasy flair to your look. Sponsored by Residence Life and Resident Student Association.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 6

3–5 P.M.  
**First Friday: New Year New Start**  
Litchfield Tower Lobby, Main Floor  
Join the FYMs and Tower A Residence Life Staff in the Towers Lobby to redefine and start your Spring Semester. Take part in our white board campaign and pledge to a New Year and a New Start at Pitt. Free food, music, and giveaways for participants. #NewYearNewStart

11 P.M. – 1 A.M.  
**Ice Skating at PPG**  
William Pitt Union, Assembly Room, Main Floor  
Join Pitt Program Council for an exclusive ice skating trip downtown. Tickets are $6 and included round transportation, skates, and meal voucher. Sign-ups begin on Wednesday, January 4 at the WPU Ticket Office.
Pitt Promise

I will embrace the concept of a civil community, which abhors violence, theft, and exploitation of others;

I will commit myself to the pursuit of knowledge with personal integrity and academic honesty;

I will respect the sanctity of the learning environment and avoid disruptive and deceitful behavior toward other members of the campus community;

I will contribute to the development of a caring community where compassion for others and freedom of thought and expression are valued;

I will support a culture of diversity by respecting the rights of those who differ from myself;

I will honor, challenge and contribute to the scholarly heritage left by those who preceded me and work to leave this a better place for those who follow.

By endorsing these common principles, I accept a moral obligation to behave in ways that contribute to a civil campus environment and resolve to support this behavior in others.

This commitment to civility is my promise to the University of Pittsburgh and its community of scholars.