

SCHEDULE

CAMPUS TOURS : 10:00 A.M. | 10:15 A.M. | 2:00 P.M. | 2:15 P.M.
Student Union, Registration Area

RESIDENCE LIFE TOURS:

10:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

Student Union, Fire Place

Connect with Residence Life staff and learn more about the UIS on-campus living options.

10:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.

CHECK-IN

Student Union, North Lobby

Check-in and chat with future UIS students, current UIS students, faculty and staff.

11:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.

WELCOME SESSION

Student Union Ballroom 2, (3rd Floor)

Learn about the UIS experience and admission process.

11:30 A.M. - NOON

STUDENT PANEL

Student Union Ballroom 1, (3rd Floor)

Hear directly from current UIS students about their experiences on campus and get your questions answered.

11:30 A.M. - NOON

PARENT PANEL

Student Union Ballroom 2, (3rd Floor)

We know that parents have different concerns when it comes to choosing a college. Learn about the resources available for your student at UIS, including Campus Police, Academic Advising, Residence Life and many more.

NOON - 12:45 P.M.

PRAIRIE STAR PROMENADE

The Recreation and Athletic Center (TRAC), 1st Floor Atrium

Chat with representatives from our Academic Colleges and Programs and student life offices like Residence Life, Diversity Center, Career Development Center and many more.



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12:50 P.M. - 1:20 P.M.

BREAKOUT SESSION 1

CAP Honors Information Session!

Lincoln Residence Hall (LRH) Great Room

Learn about the Capital Scholars Honors Program curriculum, living learning community, and student support services. Gain information regarding perks of the program, admission process and scholarship opportunities available to incoming Honors students. (Consideration is given to first-year students with an unweighted high school CGPA of 3.25 or higher.)

Funding Your Education

Student Union Ballroom 2 (3rd Floor)

UIS is one of the top Midwest regional universities for students graduating with the least amount of debt. Learn about the different opportunities for financial assistance.

Transfer Student Roundtable

Student Union Glass Seminar Room 2 (2nd Floor)

Join us for a discussion about the transfer experience at UIS have your transfer-related questions answered.

How to Write an Outstanding Personal Statement

University Hall Building (UHB) 2003

Learn some tips about what makes a truly great personal statement from the people (Admission Counselors) who actually read them.

Maximizing Your Experience at UIS: A Path to Success

Student Union Ballroom 1, (3rd Floor)

This session will provide an overview of the diverse opportunities available to enrich your college experience both inside and outside the classroom. From involvement in student organizations, leadership development, internships, and service-learning, to making the most of campus resources and support systems, we'll show you how to build a well-rounded academic and social life at UIS. You'll also hear from current students and staff about how to stay connected, enhance your skills, and create a roadmap for success from your first day on campus through to graduation. Whether you're interested in personal development, career readiness, or building lifelong connections, this program will empower you to take full advantage of everything UIS has to offer. Don't miss the chance to discover your potential and become a part of the Prairie Stars community!

12:50 P.M. - 1:20 P.M.

BREAKOUT SESSION 1

Living Learning Communities

University Hall Building (UHB) 2033

Join us to learn about our Living Learning Communities and how they provide students with opportunities to live, learn and grow together in one of the first-year specialty housing options. Learn more about the communities and how they can help students be successful at UIS.

1:25 P.M. - 1:55 P.M.

BREAKOUT SESSION 2

College of Business & Management

Admissions Office, University Hall Building (UHB) 4020

Prof. Shipra Gupta will provide an overview of the academic experience at UIS, explain what makes the College of Business and Management unique, and describe the various programs and experiential learning opportunities offered.

College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

University Hall Building (UHB) 2nd Floor Atrium

Join CLASS for a reception at the UHB 2nd Floor Atrium — visit with professors and advisors to learn more about your opportunities as a student in the liberal arts and the social sciences as a major, a minor, or to balance out your academic experience. We'll offer a fun activity to give you a taste of what you might do in a class with one of us! For instance, can you tell if a poem is written by a real human or by A.I.? How do we interpret the mix of visual images and writing in the graphic novel? What counts as "music," how do we know, and who gets to say? What can we tell from an object—about the people who made it, the culture or historical period from which it comes?

UIC College of Nursing

Student Affairs Building (SAB), UIC College of Nursing, Suite 20

Tour the UIC Nursing Department and simulation labs and learn about programs offered with our nursing advisor, including the UIS/UIC Nursing direct admission program (GPPA) and Memorial Health Pre-Nursing Scholarship.

College of Public Affairs and Education

University Hall Building (UHB) 1st Floor Lobby

The College of Public Affairs and Education will be hosting a meet-and-greet where prospective students can chat with professors, advisors, representatives from interactive student activities such as Model United Nations, Model Illinois Government, Speech & Debate Team, Mock Trial, and Student.

College of Health, Science & Technology

Biology and Chemistry

Health Sciences Building (HSB) 318

Prospective students will step into the lab and try out some of the common techniques used by students in the UIS biology labs. You'll get the chance to explore specimens under the microscopes and use material and equipment from our labs.

Psychology

University Hall Building (UHB) 3118

The Psychology Department has put together a selection of interactive demonstrations showcasing psychological phenomena across many of the sub-fields of psychology, spanning from cognitive to counseling. You will see colors that don't exist and solve problems in ways you didn't know you could! Attend this session to get unique insight into your own psychological workings and chat about what the UIS Psychology Department has to offer.

2:00 - 2:30 P.M.

DIRECT ADMIT APPLICATION WORKSHOP

**Student Union Glass Seminar Room 1
(2nd Floor, West Side)**

Are you a high school senior with a 3.0 unweighted GPA? Skip the regular application and apply quickly using Niche.com. We will be available to help you submit your application in less than 10 minutes!

2:00 - 2:30 P.M.

ADMISSIONS & FINANCIAL AID PERSONALIZED VISIT

**University Hall Building (UHB) 1st Floor,
Admissions Lobby**

Connect with a counselor and get your questions answered.

2:00 - 2:30 P.M.

ESPORTS ARENA TOUR

Founders Residence Hall (FRH) 155

Visit the UIS esports arena to see where the teams compete. Check out the 12 gaming computers and console systems which are available to all students.

2:00 - 2:30 P.M.

FAFSA COMPLETION WORKSHOP

University Hall Building (UHB) 2029

Need to complete your FAFSA? We can help! Our Financial Aid staff will assist you in submitting your 2026-2027 FAFSA. Be sure to have your FSA ID and password with you to take advantage of this workshop.