2017 Schedule of Events
Parents/Guests

The University of Alabama in Huntsville
Honors & Pre-Professional Check-In

Students who have been admitted to the Honors College and/or are interested in a pre-professional program and their parents/guest should check in early to attend these required sessions. Both sessions are offered from 12:30-12:55 pm and 1:00-1:25 pm in the Charger Union.

Orientation Check-In

Students and parents/guests will check in for Orientation and receive their name tags, first year guide, and schedule of events. Following Check-In, parents/guests will be directed to Students Services Building 112.

Welcome New Chargers!

Parents/guests will hear from UAH Administration, staff, and the energetic Orientation Leaders as they experience their first exciting look at Orientation and how it will prepare their students as new Chargers.

Parent/Guest Sessions

- **Getting the Grade is Half the Equation**: At UAH, doing well in the classroom is only half of what it takes to become successful after graduation. This session focuses on how UAH can help students gain professional experience in the form of internships, co-ops, and field training.

- **It Happens...Discussing Situations that May Arise in College**: Throughout a student’s time at UAH, both personal and academic challenges may arise. This collaborative and engaging session helps students and parents/guests analyze these situations to achieve the best possible outcome.

- **Tools for Success/Are You Smarter Than an Orientation Leader?**: This interactive session will provide helpful information about myUAH student accounts and fun facts about UAH.

- **Behind Every Great Student...**: At UAH, we know that students are more likely to be successful when they have a strong support system. Parents/guests will have an opportunity to hear from the Dean of Students about the importance of supporting their student while enjoying dinner in the company of other families.

Dinner

Parents/Guests will enjoy dinner in the Charger Café located in the Conference Training Center.

Breakfast

Students and parents/guests have the opportunity to enjoy breakfast in the Charger Café located in the Conference Training Center.

Meet the College of Engineering

Students planning to major in an academic program in the College of Engineering and their parents/guests are encouraged to attend this session to meet faculty and advisors.
Student and Parent/Guest Sessions

Please note, College of Engineering students and parents/guests will attend these sessions in Student Services Building 112. College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, Business, Education, Exploratory, Nursing, and Science students and parents/guests will attend these sessions in the Charger Union Theater.

- **Life Outside the Classroom**: Getting involved on campus is a great way to meet friends and build leadership skills while taking a break from studying. This session will review ways to become an active member of the campus community through student-run organizations, athletics, Week of Welcome, and sororities and fraternities.

- **Orientation is Almost Over...Now What?**: With Orientation winding down, this session will cover what to expect for Move-In Day, student bill payment, the role of the Charger Card, and other important information to ensure students are ready to start the semester.

- **Success Starts Here**: The UAH Administration strives to see all students thrive while on campus. During this session, students and parents/guests will hear what goes into making a student successful at UAH

Parent/Guest Information Panel and Meet & Greet Social

Parents/guests will hear from UAH representatives on important topics including health and safety, meal plans, and other resources available to students at UAH. They will then have the opportunity to enjoy refreshments in the UAH Bookstore and mingle with others from their demographic area.

Student Check-Out & Take Care of Business

Now “Charger-ready” with schedules in hand, students should take care of last-minute items by utilizing this resource fair. This is the perfect opportunity to ensure all questions have been answered and to pick up your Charger ID before checking out of Orientation. Representatives from the following will be in attendance:

- Bookstore
- Bursar
- Dining Services
- Disability Support Services
- Financial Aid
- Housing & Greek Life
- Parent & Family Programming
- Research
- Student Health Services/Immunizations
- Military & Veterans Programs (2nd Floor)

Lunch

After Check-Out, students and their parents/guests will enjoy lunch in the Charger Café located in the Conference Training Center.

Optional Campus Tour

Students and parents/guests will have the opportunity to take a full tour of the UAH campus. All tours will leave at 1:30 pm from Student Services Building 106.