DISCOVER GRINNELL PROGRAM SCHEDULE - TENTATIVE

This schedule is subject to change. You will receive an official program schedule upon check-in on Sunday.

SUNDAY

2:30 PM – 6 PM

CHECK-IN

Make your way to the Laurel Leaf Lounge located in the Joe Rosenfield ’25 Center (JRC) to register (and meet your student host if you’re staying overnight).

3 PM – 5 PM

OPEN HOUSE WITH DEPARTMENT OF INTERCULTURAL AFFAIRS STAFF AND MULTICULTURAL STUDENT GROUPS

JRC 2nd Floor Multicultural Suites

Meet some of the most active student groups on campus, tour our multicultural suites, and build yourself a snack bag for the rest of your stay.

3 PM – 4 PM

CAMPUS TOUR

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5 PM – 6:30 PM

DINNER

The Marketplace Dining Hall, JRC

All prospective students—including those who do not have an overnight host—and their families are welcome to eat dinner in the “D-Hall.” Meal tickets for students and guests are provided. A list of restaurants in town will also be provided at registration.
**Student Trivia Night**
Younker Hall, First Floor Lounge

Relax and unwind in Younker lounge, a popular student hangout. Come for some fun and friendly competition with current and prospective students; the more random facts you know, the better!

**President’s Dessert Reception for Parents**
JRC, Room 101

Raynard Kington, President of the College, welcomes prospective parents to join him for informal conversation over dessert and other refreshments. Faculty members and admission staff will also be available to answer any questions.

**Movie Night**
Bucksbaum Center for the Arts, Room 152

We’ll be watching movies all evening, so drop by any time. Bonus: we’ll have snacks!
**MONDAY**

### 7:30 AM – 8:15 AM

**CHECK-IN & BREAKFAST**

*Laurel Leaf Lounge and Marketplace Dining Hall*

Located in the Joe Rosenfield ’25 Center (JRC)

Sign-up for a **class visit** when you check in this morning. Classes are available on a first-come, first-served basis. We're also here to answer your questions – and provide everyone with a meal ticket. The registration table will be staffed from 7:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

### 8:30 AM – 8:50 AM

**WELCOME**

*JRC, Room 101*

Grinnell pursues a distinctive, inquiry-driven approach to education. Learn how our boldly individualized curriculum, emphasis on student research, and commitment to global and international engagement empower all our students to make the most of their abilities. At Grinnell, our students don’t just learn what they’re good at—they discover what they care about, and what they’re willing to commit themselves to.

### 9 AM – 9:50 AM

**AN INDIVIDUALIZED APPROACH FOR EVERY GRINNELLIAN: TEACHING, LEARNING, AND RESEARCH**

*JRC, Room 101*

Discover how Grinnell’s unusual and highly effective individualized approach to advising, teaching, and research sets us apart. Our genuine commitment to each student’s academic and personal experience lies at the heart of a Grinnell education. Faculty and student panelists will share insights about Grinnell’s unique First-Year Tutorial, the individually-advised curriculum, and opportunities for mentored research.

### 9 AM – 9:50 AM

**CLASS VISIT**

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10 AM – 10:50 AM

**BEYOND GRINNELL**

*JRC, Room 101*

This panel discussion with staff from the Center for Careers, Life and Service highlights the advising and funding Grinnell students receive in their pursuit of internships, externships, fellowships, graduate and professional school, and careers. We welcome both students and parents to attend this session.

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11 AM – 11:40 AM

**STUDENT LIFE**

*JRC, Room 101*

Students, bring your questions: current students and student affairs staff are here to answer them. Ask us about the community, the food, and what we do with our weekends!

11 AM – 11:50 AM

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11:30 AM – 1 PM

**LUNCH IN THE MARKETPLACE**

*Marketplace Dining Hall, JRC*

11:30 AM – 2:30 PM

**SHUTTLES TO THE PIONEER BOOKSHOP**

Shuttles will run from the JRC to the Pioneer Bookstore every half hour. Located downtown, the bookstore is your go-to stop for Grinnell gear. This shuttle is also ideal for families who want to eat lunch in town or explore our local shops.
1 PM – 1:50 PM

**ACADEMIC AND CAMPUS RESOURCE FAIR**

*JRC, Room 101*

Meet and speak with faculty from the majors and concentrations in which you’re interested, have your questions about off-campus study and global learning answered by staff from the Institute for Global Engagement, and learn about other campus resources. Students, please stop by the admission table to complete a program evaluation and to collect a free Grinnell College water bottle. Refreshments will be served.

2 PM – 2:30 PM

**ADMISSION AND FINANCIAL AID AT GRINNELL**

*Harris Cinema*

Join admission and financial aid staff members to discuss the application requirements and processes for admission and financial aid. Both students and parents are welcome to attend.

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**ADMISSION INTERVIEWS**

Already, you might be a Grinnellian – if so, let us know! Interviews for admission are not required but are available to high school seniors who would like to share more about themselves.

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