

OBERLIN

STUDENT ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

FALL 2020



New Student Orientation 2020

All programs are virtual unless otherwise indicated

All programs are Eastern Daylight Time

Required programs are in **RED**

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<https://guidebook.com/g/ocorientationfall20/>

WEEK 1		
Monday, August 3	8:00pm	Becoming an Obie: President's Welcome to New Students (R-Obie Start-Up; Parent Program) President Carmen Twillie Ambar, Dean of Arts & Sciences David Kamitsuka, and Dean of the Conservatory William Quillen will welcome you as you begin your virtual orientation and will further introduce you to Oberlin.
Tuesday, August 4	12:00pm	YeoFit: Yoga This ancient practice helps create a sense of union in the body, mind, and spirit. This class will include asana (postures and movement) and breath work. Each class will be unique depending on the instructor's training and influences. All fitness levels and experiences welcome. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	7:45– 8:45pm	PAL Welcome Session (R-Obie Start-Up) The Peer Advising Leaders (PAL) program motto is “every new student has a PAL.” During this session, you will meet your PAL and discuss the plan for the rest of August and the fall semester. Your PAL will share how they plan to support you and your other cohort members. PALs are eager to meet you and assist with your transition to life at Oberlin, and this is the session that will kick it all off! This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students. Double Degree students should follow their Arts & Sciences PAL.
	8:00– 8:45pm	ConPAL – Welcome Session (R-Obie Start-Up) Get to know the other students in your cohort and your ConPAL with an icebreaking session, plus an overview of virtual orientation.
Wednesday, August 5	12:00pm	YeoFit: Muscles Making Muscles Muscles Making Muscles is designed to help you use your body to strengthen your body. We will do mostly body weight work and use basic things around house to get that good resistance training session you want. The class will also take minimal equipment from around the house or your local store and turn them into the full gym you need to get through the rest of summer.

	7:30– 9:00pm	PAL – Thriving in Diverse Communities (R-Inclusive Excellence) A vital part of the transition to college is building skills that allow students to thrive in diverse living, learning, and working environments. In a supportive environment, PALs will guide their cohorts through an introductory conversation about how identity impacts daily life, both at Oberlin and more broadly. Students will also learn how to develop comfortable and inclusive environments for both themselves and their peers. This conversation is geared toward students of all levels of familiarity with these conversations. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students. Double degree students should follow their Arts & Sciences PAL.
Thursday, August 6	7:30– 9:00pm	PAL – Introduction to Term Objectives & Online Resources (R-Obie Start-Up) Not sure of your goals for the fall semester, which high school interests you want to continue at Oberlin, or which academic subjects you might want to explore for the first time? That’s why you have a PAL! In preparation for your cohort’s upcoming meeting with your academic advisors, you will work with your PAL to envision and outline goals and objectives for the coming semester, based on your previous experiences, interests, and passions. Students will conclude the session by submitting a series of brief reflections to your academic advisors, which will assist with next week’s advising and course registration process. PALs will also introduce students to important online resources that you will use during their first semester and beyond. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students.
	7:30- 9:00pm	ConPAL – Registration & Online Resources (R-Obie Start-Up) Confused about which courses are pre-registered for first-years? Trying to select a liberal arts course for the fall, or figure out if you have room for one? Your ConPAL will provide advice on registration, using online resources such as Overview, and how to successfully communicate with your professors.
Friday, August 7	12:15pm	YeoFit: Tabata Tabata interval training is one of the most effective types of high intensity interval training. Through a variety of simple, yet intense exercises, each class will blast the calories and provide noticeable results in a short amount of time. Whether your goal is muscle tone, weight loss, or both, this class will provide what you are looking for. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	7:00pm	Sex@7: Trivia Game/Info Session (Community 101; ObieSafe) This online session, for students only, provides information on resources and a fun trivia game about all things related to sexuality and sexual health, for Oberlin and beyond.
WEEK 2		
Monday, August 10	11:00am 12:00pm	PAL – Academic Advisor/Cohort Gathering (R-Obie Start-Up) Excited and curious to meet your academic advisor for the first time? We’ve got you covered. During this session, members of each PAL cohort will meet their academic

		advisors in an informal context before your one-on-one advising appointments later this week. Your PAL and advisors will facilitate a conversation that will lay the groundwork for a successful first-year advising experience. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students.
	12:00pm	YeoFit: Core 'N' More Get ready to burn and firm your thighs, hips, and booties all while working your core. This FUN 45-minute toning workout will incorporate small bursts of cardio as well as amazing variety that is easy to follow. This class is geared for all fitness levels. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	8:00-9:00pm	Informal Double Degree Student Gathering (Obie Start-Up) As an incoming Double Degree student, you've heard about exciting opportunities in both the College of Arts & Sciences and the Conservatory—so what now? Join us for this informal gathering in which older Double Degree students will share the inside scoop on how to bring the college and con together and build an Oberlin experience that is truly the best of both worlds. Before registering for classes, you will have a chance to hear from students who have experience and insight that will help you navigate your first semester and beyond. This program is cosponsored by the PAL and ConPAL programs, and no RSVP is required. Students can contact pal@oberlin.edu with any questions.
Tuesday, August 11	11:00am-1:00pm	Arts & Sciences Departmental Open Houses (Obie Start-Up; Parent Program) College of Arts & Sciences faculty members will be available to meet students and parents and to answer questions about fall course offerings, the first-year seminar program, and the variety of majors offered at the college. Please drop-in during these hours. Information about Zoom links for departments and programs will be communicated to students closer to the date.
	11:00am-12:30pm	Conservatory Open Studios (Obie Start-up; Parent Program) Studio Open Houses for new students and parents. Available Conservatory faculty will hold office hours over Zoom. Links will be communicated to students the week prior.
	12:00pm	YeoFit: Yoga This ancient practice helps create a sense of union in the body, mind, and spirit. This class will include asana (postures and movement) and breath work. Each class will be unique depending on the instructor's training and influences. All fitness levels and experiences welcome! Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	6:30pm	Financial Aid Information Session (R-Obie Start-Up; Parent Program) This event is recommended for all new students who are first-time recipients of financial aid (federal work-study, loans, grants, etc.). Parents are encouraged to participate. Link will be provided the week prior. Presented by the Office of Financial Aid.

	8:00– 9:00pm	PAL – Building Skills for College Success (R-Obie Start-Up) As students continue to consider which classes they’d like to take during their first semester at Oberlin, it’s important to explore approaches and strategies that will make that first semester a success, both academically and personally. Topics covered will include time management, organizational strategies, and all the other skills needed for success at the college level. PALs will share from their own experiences and discuss strategies for hybrid learning in the context of COVID-19. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students.
Wednesday, August 12	12:00pm	YeoFit: Muscles Making Muscles Muscles Making Muscles is designed to help you use your body to strengthen your body. We will do mostly body weight work and use basic things around the house to get that good resistance training session you want. The class will also take minimal equipment from around the house or your local store and turn them into the full gym you need to get through the summer. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	6:00- 7:30pm	PAL & ConPAL – Regional Landscape of Oberlin & Northeast Ohio (R-Community 101) New to Ohio and/or the Midwest? So are most incoming Oberlin students. During this session, PALs will lead cohorts through a discussion of the historical, political, and social context of the region, helping students to better understand their new home and become better neighbors before they step foot on campus. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students.
	8:00pm	Bystander Intervention Training with Hollaback! (R-Inclusive Excellence) At Hollaback! we believe that everyone deserves the resources to respond to, prevent, and intervene in instances of harassment. For too long, harassment prevention trainings have been designed to tell people what <i>not</i> to do. Hollaback! is here to show everyone how they can build a safe, inclusive environment for all. During this 60-minute interactive training, you'll learn how Hollaback!'s proven 5Ds of bystander intervention empowers individuals to take action if they witness disrespectful behavior at Oberlin. Students must register in advance. LINK: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_RamWZRvLSMKd6PC5ieLZvg
Thursday, August 13	10:00- 11:00am	Conservatory Divisional and Departmental Meeting (Obie Start-Up) Faculty will discuss academic and divisional/departmental expectations and opportunities over zoom. Links will be communicated to students the week prior.
	All Day	Academic Advising & Course Registration: Arts & Sciences, Conservatory, & Double Degree (R-Obie Start-Up) Advising and registration times will be scheduled.
	All Day	PAL/ConPAL – All Day Drop-In Support/First Year Course Registration As new students register for their first college classes, PALs, ConPALs, and academic advising professional staff are on deck to help navigate the process. Students are

		encouraged to drop into an open Zoom room to ask questions about course registration in the college or con. Zoom information will be provided directly to students.
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WEEK 3		
Monday, August 17	10:30am-12:00pm	PAL – Effective Communication & Establishing Group Norms (R-Community 101) Communication is a key part of the residential liberal arts experience. During this session, you will explore your own communication styles, assess your strengths and areas for growth, discuss strategies for building group norms, and more. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students.
	12:00pm	YeoFit: Core ‘n More Get ready to burn and firm your thighs, hips, and booties all while working your core. This FUN 45-minute toning workout will incorporate small bursts of cardio as well as amazing variety that is easy to follow. This class is geared for all fitness levels. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
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	5:30pm	YeoFit: Stamina and Sculpt This class combines jump roping and other cardio based activity with strengthening exercises, to give you a full body workout designed to get your heart rate up and sculpt those muscles! Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	6:30pm	Preparing (Yourself and) Your Student for College Success (Parent Program) Parents and family are critical components of success for college students as they make the transition to young adulthood and greater independence. Learn more about some of the resources available for student health, wellness, and support. We look forward to sharing information about how to communicate with the college and strategies that parents may find helpful to guide your student toward increasing independence and resilience. Link will be provided week prior.
	8:00-9:30pm	Community Standards – The Game Show (R-Community 101; ObieSafe) Join the Office of Student Conduct and Community Standards for a fun and interactive game show focused on learning about Oberlin's community standards and regulations, which help maintain and safe and productive community. This session is required of all students.
Tuesday, August 18	7:15am	YeoFit: Sunrise Yoga Rise and Shine! Awaken your senses and begin the day with an invigorating and energizing 45-60 minute class. A flowing series of gentle postures designed to physically and mentally awaken the mind-body connection. This class will give you a powerful start to your day! Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	1:00-3:30pm	Community Engagement Institute - CEI (Community 101) Held annually as part of New Student Orientation, the Community Engagement Institute is the first of many opportunities for new students to connect with local non-profit and public sector organizations in Oberlin and the surrounding region around pressing issues. The institute continues your orientation to Oberlin and greater Northeast Ohio and includes time to discuss future opportunities for community engagement. Although the program will be hosted online this year, we encourage you to join us to get to know the local area, build relationships with classmates, meet returning student leaders, and engage with local community organizations. The institute will conclude with PAL-led debrief discussions, where you will have the opportunity to engage with your peers around the content presented and any thoughts you have about next steps. Zoom link to be provided. Sponsored by the Bonner Center for Community-Engaged Learning, Teaching & Research.
	3:00-3:45pm	PAL Cohort Check-in (R-Obie Start-Up) More information about this session will be available soon.

	5:30pm	<p>YeoFit: TRX</p> <p>A class centered around Total Body Resistance Exercise (TRX) straps and exercises that are designed to tone and strengthen the whole body. In addition to TRX exercises, instructors may incorporate medicine balls, dumbbells, mini-bands, and kettlebells throughout the workout. All exercises can be modified for any fitness levels. All are welcome! Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/</p>
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	12:15pm	<p>YeoFit: Get Jacked</p> <p>A 45 minute group training session based around building lean muscle and maximizing your strength potential. It will be a fun environment for you to push your limits and challenge yourself both physically and mentally. Come get jacket, and start living your best life. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/</p>
	2:30-4:00pm	<p>ConPAL – Racial & Social Justice in Music (R-Inclusive Excellence)</p> <p>As an Oberlin Conservatory student, you are part of a legacy of inclusivity and activism around the role of music in promoting social change. In particular, a new generation of musicians and thought leaders are working to make the field of classical music more inclusive. Explore concepts of diversity and inclusivity in music and learn more about how to use your musical training to make the world a better place. If you are not in a ConPAL cohort but would like to take part in this program, please email associate dean, Chris Jenkins at cjenkins@oberlin.edu</p>
	7:30–9:00pm	<p>Final Preparation for Arriving to Campus (R-Obie Start-Up)</p> <p>Have questions about coming to campus? Unsure of what you need to do once you arrive? Thinking ahead about how to build community and meet your new peers? As you prepare to arrive to Oberlin, this session will walk you through what you need to know, both in terms of the logistics of navigating campus and familiarizing yourself with relevant policies and guidelines for COVID-19 safety. PALs will also facilitate conversation about how to articulate your needs and make offers of</p>

		support in the context of COVID-19. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students.
Thursday, August 20	12:15pm	YeoFit: TRX A class centered around Total Body Resistance Exercise (TRX) straps and exercises that are designed to tone and strengthen the whole body. In addition to TRX exercises, instructors may incorporate medicine balls, dumbbells, mini-bands, and kettlebells throughout the workout. All exercises can be modified for any fitness levels. All are welcome! Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
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	2:00-3:30pm	Accommodations in College: Information for Students with Disabilities and their Families (Inclusive Excellence; Parent Program) Did you receive accommodations in high school? Join us to learn about accessing, requesting, securing, and implementing a network of resources available to you to ensure you have the best Oberlin experience possible. We look forward to meeting you. Link to be provided.
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	2:00-3:00pm	Coping with Change, Living with Stress Coming to college presents many challenges. Dr. Debra El-Amin, clinical director of the counseling center, shares insights about the types of stress frequently associated with new beginnings and offers supportive ideas for coping.
Week 4: Welcome Days		
Sunday, August 23	All day	Jewish Life, Hillel (Community 101) <i>August 23, the First Day of the Month of Elul</i> (the month leading in to the High Holidays of Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur). The Lost Princess Elul retreat, based on a mystical tale told by Rebbe Nachman of Bratslav, will invite students into a contemplative experience of this traditionally self-reflective month. This online retreat will offer three asynchronous opportunities each week to engage in different creative, spiritual, and

		contemplative practices relating to the themes of the story and the season, with a facilitated group check-in on Zoom each Friday. While this retreat will use a Jewish framework, students from all backgrounds are invited to apply. Please be in touch with Rabbi Megan (mdoherty@oberlin.edu) for further details.
	2:00pm	Voter Friendly Campus Information (Community 101) Oberlin campus community members will provide basic information around absentee ballots, voting in Ohio, requesting absentee ballots in another state, and more! Join Zoom Meeting https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/92410386818?pwd=TWwvVjhnZkl5Ym4zL1JWVDhFSFJEdz09
	4:00-5:00pm	Campus Safety 101 (Obie Start-Up, Community 101, ObieSafe) An overview of Campus Safety as an organization as well as Safe Campus best practices for everyday campus living. Join Zoom Meeting https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/5411170630?pwd=Qm5lWExBWlIk5d2ZhS2FZcWJzbFFCZz09
	5:00-7:00pm	Virtual Dining Halls (Community 101) While our dining halls are unfortunately closed, you can still meet people while eating your delivered meals! Register for our virtual dining hall to eat dinner with your classmates. Students will be provided with ice-breaking questions and be randomly placed into small groups to build social connections. A staff member will also be available to help with any questions. Please register using this link
	9:00pm	Residential Education Virtual Community Event: Get to Know Your Neighbors From the Safety of Your Room. (Community 101; ObieSafe) Your RA offers a virtual floor program for the residents on your floor to meet, get to know one another, and have some fun. Information will be sent to each student via email from your RA.
Monday, August 24	10:00am	Meet the Staff – Brice Wilson (Community 101) Brice Wilson (Assistant Director of Operations and Communications in the Student Union) will be showing students some of the fun “socially distant” field games that we will be offering later in the semester. Brice also operates our Campus Bowling Lanes and can speak about the offerings there. To register, click this link .
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	2:00pm	Meet the Staff – Maya Akinfosile (Community 101) Come meet Maya Akinfosile (Staff Therapist in the Counseling Center)! Bring your questions regarding the counseling center or come talk about Maya's interests which include music, cooking, trivia, and spirituality. To register, please use this link .
	3:00pm	SHARE Virtual Drop-in Hours Need to seek support during your transition to Oberlin College? The Student Help and Resource Exchange (SHARE) program promotes student success by providing a forum for faculty, staff, and students to share concerns, supporting a collaborative approach, and providing opportunities for meaningful interactions. Students can come speak with a SHARE advisor using this link .
	3:00-4:00pm	YeoFit: Relaxation (YeoFit) Energize your body and relax your mind: a session with Coach Kim that will explore different tools for finding joy. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
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	8:00pm	Presentation of the Class of 2024 (R-Community101; Inclusive Excellence; Parent) Manuel Carballo, vice president and dean of admissions and financial aid, will present the Class of 2024 to President Carmen Twillie Ambar. https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/96740052685 or live stream https://vimeo.com/event/248176

	9:00pm	<p>Residential Education Virtual First Floor Meeting Via Zoom (R-Community 101; ObieSafe)</p> <p>Join your RA and floormates in a meeting to go over policies, talk about what it will be like living on campus during COVID-19 and discuss general ways everyone on your floor can be a respectful community member and neighbor. Watch for an email from our RA with the Zoom link.</p>
	10:00pm	<p>Residential Education Virtual Community Event: Get to Know Your Neighbors From the Safety of Your Room. (Community 101; ObieSafe)</p> <p>Your RA offers a virtual floor program for the residents on your floor to meet, get to know one another, and have some fun. Information will be sent to each student via email from your RA.</p>
Tuesday, August 25	7:15am	<p>YeoFit: Sunrise Yoga</p> <p>Rise and Shine! Awaken your senses and begin the day with an invigorating and energizing 45-60 minute class. A flowing series of gentle postures designed to physically and mentally awaken the mind-body connection. This class will give you a powerful start to your day! Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/</p>
	All Day	<p>Virtual Library Tours (Obie Start-Up)</p> <p>Our libraries are an essential part of your Oberlin journey, be it virtual or in person. Oberlin is fortunate to be able to offer the Mary Church Terrell main library, Clarence Ward art library, conservatory of music library, and science library. Virtual introductions, video tours, and "how to" videos are on the libraries' website https://libguides.oberlin.edu/first_year/orientation. Learn how to take advantage of all of our collections and services, even while in-person use is limited.</p>
	All Day	<p>Virtual Poster Sale</p> <p>Plenty of time to decorate your room. A wide assortment of posters is available on line: movies, fine art, music, humor and more. Posters will ship to your OCMR. Take your time perusing the assortment: www.postersale.com</p>
	All Day	<p>Allen Memorial Art Museum – Virtual Art Experience</p> <p>The AMAM's encyclopedic collections play an integral role in living and learning with art by allowing Oberlin students to understand themselves and their work in a global, trans-historical context. While we are not able to welcome you in person this week, we invite you to explore the museum through our website (https://www2.oberlin.edu/amam/) and social media pages: https://www.instagram.com/allenartmuseum/ and https://www.facebook.com/allenartmuseum/. The museum plans to open to College ID-holders who are taking part in the Covid-testing program on September 8, and to hold a socially-distanced Art Rental on Sept. 12. We look forward to welcoming you in September!</p>
	10:00–10:45am	<p>PAL & ConPAL – Post-Move Check-In (R-Obie Start-Up)</p> <p>During this brief, informal check-in, you'll have the opportunity to brainstorm with your PAL and cohort members about questions that arose during the move-in</p>

		process. You'll also make a plan for your next steps as you prepare for the first day of classes. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students.
	11:00am-12:00pm	<p>Conservatory All Student Meeting (R–Obie Start-Up)</p> <p>Get to know your deans in the conservatory and hear the ConPALs' "Top Ten List" at the yearly conservatory all-student meeting! This meeting is required for all first-year BM and Double Degree students.</p> <p>https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/99079897416?pwd=ZnVvZU5XMytDZ0dtM0FsN0h0NVZsZz09</p>
	1:00-2:30pm	<p>PAL – Critical Skills for New Obies (R–Obie Start-Up)</p> <p>As your first Winter Term experience comes to a close, you will meet with your PAL to engage in final reflection activities that will help tie together different elements of your project with an eye toward launching you into your first semester. You'll have an opportunity to work individually and in small groups to discuss what you will be carrying into the rest of your time at Oberlin and beyond. This session is required for all students enrolled in the Winter Term project Critical Skills for New Obies.</p>
	3:00-5:00pm	<p>PlayFair Online (Community 101)</p> <p>It's time to have some fun together! It's time to make some new friends! It's time to reach out virtually and celebrate the new incoming class! <i>Playfair Online</i> is a high-spirited, high-energy event that will allow new students to engage with each other, laugh with each other, and feel a part of our exciting new campus community. It's team-building, it's comedy, and it's lots of fun. You'll meet fellow classmates in many different ways—as the entire class gathered together and in many fast-moving breakout rooms. Engage in mental and physical challenges as you play games that will help you get to know one another.</p> <p>Join Zoom Meeting</p> <p>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86079807097?pwd=YmNmMTJMVG1Fb0xVbE5FWGxPT1V2QT09</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preferred viewing is via computer. Phone and tablet are acceptable but for the best experience, we recommend laptop or desktop. • Playfair Online is an interactive show, so audio and video mode turned on is a requirement.
	3:00pm	<p>SHARE Virtual Drop-in Hours</p> <p>Need to seek support during your transition to Oberlin College? The Student Help and Resource Exchange (SHARE) program promotes student success by providing a forum for faculty, staff, and students to share concerns, supporting a collaborative approach, and providing opportunities for meaningful interactions. Students can come speak with a SHARE advisor using this link.</p>
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	4:00pm	Muslim Obie Remote Tea (Community 101) Brew yourself a cup of tea and log on to a Zoom <i>sohba</i> [friend meeting] for Muslim students at Oberlin. We are all from different sects and practice in different ways, but at Oberlin, we are one family. RSVP via Google Form on the Office of Religious and Spiritual Life website or at https://forms.gle/gRg3k8u8nUjCQryD9
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	6:00-7:00pm	Conservatory Welcome for Parents and Families (Parent Program) The Conservatory Deans welcome parents and families to Oberlin. Join Zoom Meeting https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/91992696669?pwd=NClakdVSkdEdjU0QmtUYVWwYlRsUT09
Wednesday, August 26	All Day	Virtual Library Tours (Obie Start-Up) Our libraries are an essential part of your Oberlin journey, be it virtual or in person. Oberlin is fortunate to be able to offer the Mary Church Terrell main library, Clarence Ward art library, conservatory of music library, and science library. Virtual introductions, video tours, and "how to" videos are on the libraries' website https://libguides.oberlin.edu/first_year/orientation . Learn how to take advantage of all of our collections and services, even while in-person use is limited.
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	10:00-11:30am	PAL – Affinity Group Meetings (Inclusive Excellence) More information about this session will be available soon.
	12:15pm	YeoFit: Get Jacked A 45 minute group training session based around building lean muscle and maximizing your strength potential. It will be a fun environment for you to push your limits and challenge yourself both physically and mentally. Come get jacket, and start living your best life. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	1:00pm	YeoFit: Yoga This ancient practice helps create a sense of union in the body, mind, and spirit. This class will include asana (postures and movement) and breath work. Each class will be unique depending on the instructor’s training and influences. All fitness levels and experiences welcome! Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	1:30-3:00pm	PAL – Wayfinding (R-Obie Start-Up, Inclusive Excellence) How do our identities, interests and passions, and interpersonal relationships come together to help us think about our next steps? During this session, students will work individually and in groups to reflect critically on their journey to this point and the paths they could imagine themselves embarking on next. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students.
	3:00-4:00 pm	Virtual Hometown Tours (Community 101) Using Google street view, the Career Development team will provide a virtual tour of several of Cleveland’s main attractions (and a few of their personal favorites). You will also have a chance to give your own virtual tour of your favorite hometown hotspots or places to visit. Join us for a fun and interactive way to experience the life and hometown of your fellow Obies. Zoom Link: https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/98298611097?pwd=M1pvZEc4NDBqWUloUEdmV3FNdTZDZz09
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	4:00pm	<p>Meet the Staff – Chris Donaldson & Peer Mentors (Community 101) Come meet Chris Donaldson (Director of Student Academic Success Programs) and some peer mentors in the Center for Student Success to learn about what they wish they knew before college. To register, visit this link.</p>
	4:00pm	<p>Virtual Music Resource Fair (Obie Start-up) Join members of the Oberlin Conservatory Faculty and Staff as they discuss the many opportunities available to students in the Conservatory as well as the College at a virtual Music Resource Fair. This zoom meeting will allow Conservatory and College students to move from room to room to learn more about ensembles, chamber music, music history and theory courses, and secondary lessons as well as areas such as Jazz, Ethnomusicology, PACE (Pedagogy and Community Engagement), Professional Development, Performance and Improvisation (PI, and TIMARA). The primary zoom link is here https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/94174667528 but after a brief introduction, students will be directed to breakout rooms for individual areas of interest. We hope to see you there!</p>
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	7:00pm	<p>Ohio Politics and Voter Registration (Community 101) Join a bipartisan discussion about Ohio politics and the important role that Ohio plays in elections. Learn about getting registered to vote in our state. Cosponsored by the League of Women Voters Oberlin Area, All in for Democracy, and Voter Friendly Campus Coalition. Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83427899956</p>
	8:00pm	<p>RemObies Presents: Virtual Trivia Night Want to test your knowledge of random facts and trivia? Join us for a Trivia Night where you can team up with your friends or be randomly paired to make new ones! The top teams will win prizes from the Oberlin Bookstore. As a note, capacity is limited so register at this link soon!</p>
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	All Day	<p>Virtual Poster Sale</p> <p>Plenty of time to decorate your room. A wide assortment of posters is available on line: movies, fine art, music, humor and more. Posters will ship to your OCMR. Take your time perusing the assortment: www.postersale.com</p>
	12:15pm	<p>YeoFit: Yoga</p> <p>This ancient practice helps create a sense of union in the body, mind, and spirit. This class will include asana (postures and movement) and breath work. Each class will be unique depending on the instructor’s training and influences. All fitness levels and experiences welcome!</p> <p>Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/</p>
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	1:30-3:00 pm	<p>ConPAL – Racial & social Justice in Music part II (R-Inclusive Excellence, Obie Start-Up)</p> <p>What can you do as an Oberlin Conservatory student to support racial and social justice in music? Get tips from your ConPALs and discuss strategies to navigate situations you might encounter as a student or professional.</p>
	1:30-3:30pm	<p>PAL – Personal Narratives & Finalizing Term Objectives (R-Inclusive Excellence, Obie Start-Up)</p> <p>Congratulations! At this point, you will have completed your first Winter Term experience as an Oberlin College student. During this session, you’ll reflect on all of the material covered over the past month and begin to think about your personal narratives—your unique story, which reflects your identity, interests, passions, and goals for the future. This process will serve as a final jumping-off point for your first semester of college, as you consider your plans and aspirations for the fall. Your PAL will also provide logistical information about your cohort’s continued meetings throughout the semester. This session is required for Arts & Sciences and Double Degree students. Double Degree students should follow their Arts & Sciences PAL.</p>

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	6:00-7:00pm	<p>Oberlin Christian Fellowship “Get to Know Us” Virtual Dinner (Student Organization Event)</p> <p>Learn what Oberlin Christian Fellowship is all about at our welcome virtual dinner. https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/96849339485</p>
	6:00-7:00pm	<p>Newman Catholic Virtual Welcome Party (Student Organization Event)</p> <p>The Oberlin Newman Catholic Community invites you to hop on Zoom for our remote welcome party! Although this year may look a bit different for our community, we are still as excited as ever to begin another year of faith and fellowship and to meet incoming students. Students of all identities and creeds are welcome to join us via Zoom (Link: https://zoom.us/j/99952555702?pwd=Nm1kNWZhamcvYUxZOWlIMWhNV0lscz09, Meeting ID: 999 5255 5702, Passcode: Newman20!) for prayer, Pictionary, and party favors! Follow us on Facebook at ‘Oberlin's Newman Catholic Community’ and on instagram @oberlincatholic.</p>
	8:00pm	<p>Residential Education Virtual First Floor Meeting Via Zoom (R-Community 101; ObieSafe)</p> <p>Join your RA and floormates in a meeting to go over policies, talk about what it will be like living on campus during COVID-19 and discuss general ways everyone on</p>

		your floor can be a respectful community member and neighbor. Watch for an email from our RA with the Zoom link.
	9:00pm	RemObies Presents! Create with Bob Ross (Community 101) Painting supplies are available in your residence halls to create your own masterpiece. https://www.facebook.com/events/623544198572710/
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	11:00am	Meet the Staff! - Dustin Evatt-Young Are you struggling with your initial transition to Northeast Ohio? Dustin Evatt-Young (Associate Director, Career Development Center) presents "What I've Learned Living up North" which shares what he learned after growing up in South Carolina and moving to Vermont and Ohio! To register, click this link .
	12:00pm	YeoFit: Tabata Tabata interval training is one of the most effective types of high intensity interval training. Through a variety of simple, yet intense exercises, each class will blast the calories and provide noticeable results in a short amount of time. Whether your

		goal is muscle tone, weight loss, or both, this class will provide what you are looking for. Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/
	12:00pm	<p>Muslim Friday Prayers, At a Distance (Community 101)</p> <p>Though we can't gather in our prayer room, Oberlin Muslim students can still meet for a weekly spiritual touchstone. Muslim Life Affiliate Maysan Haydar will conduct a remote conversation about Islamic religious rituals on campus for new and returning Obies. All sects and identifications welcome. RSVP via Google Form on the Office of Religious and Spiritual Life website or at this link. https://forms.gle/gRg3k8u8nUjCQryD9</p>
	1:00pm	<p>RemObies Presents! Making Friends Workshop (Community 101)</p> <p>Join us for a round-table discussion on maintaining connection in a socially distant world. Sign up here.</p>
	2:00-4:30pm	<p>Auditions: Collegium Musicum (Obie Start-up)</p> <p>Interested in joining this early music a cappella choir? Please email Professor Plank, splank@oberlin.edu, with the subject line "Collegium Audition" to schedule an audition time and receive a Zoom link for auditions.</p>
	2:30pm	<p>Campus Safety 101 (Obie Start-Up, Community 101, ObieSafe)</p> <p>An overview of Campus Safety as an organization as well as Safe Campus best practices for everyday campus living. Join Zoom Meeting https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/5411170630?pwd=Qm5lWExBWlk5d2Zhs2FzcWJzbFFcZz09</p>
	3:00pm	<p>Green Orientation: Institutional and Personal Action and Academics (Community 101)</p> <p>Oberlin recognizes the significance of climate change and is committed to working to ameliorate its effects by changing our behavior, collaborating across disciplines, and working toward broader social change. Find out from faculty, staff, and students how Oberlin embraces sustainability. Learn how to apply your ecological imagination in academic and practical endeavors and get plugged into sustainability on campus and beyond. Sponsored by the Office of Environmental Sustainability and featuring many of our partners. https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/91038756397</p>
	3:00-4:00pm	<p>YeoFit: Relaxation (YeoFit)</p> <p>Energize your body and relax your mind: a session with Coach Kim that will open your heart and through a fun yoga practice.</p> <p>Link: https://yeofit.oberlinathletics.com/schedule/</p>
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	4:00pm	<p>You've Got This: Exploring Your Oberlin Options (Inclusive Excellence) Uncertain about choosing a major down the road? Eager to learn more about internship opportunities and Winter Term projects? Curious about what career options are available with certain majors, or where Obies end up after graduation? We know you have a wealth of academic and extracurricular interests, and we're excited to help you find a balance between creating a plan and leaving room for exploration. Link to be provided. https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/92301913083</p>
	4:00-5:00pm	<p>Introduction to Meditation at Oberlin (Community 101) This one-hour zoom introduction will present the benefits of meditation and an outline of how mindfulness of the breath and mindfulness meditation can be of value whether you are struggling with depression, anxiety, or stress. It can be the doorway to a deeper spiritual practice that can help you find balance in your life without the need to adopt concepts, beliefs, or rituals. This type of meditation can be practiced in a sitting posture (traditional) and especially in daily life. No prior experience is necessary. For more information contact: Joshua Reinier at jreinier@oberlin.edu or the ORSL (Office of Religious and Spiritual Life) affiliate who teaches meditation on campus at jr.minka@mac.com or text 440-714-1476.</p>
	6:00pm	<p>Orientation/Welcome Shabbat (Community 101) Online services will begin at 6pm, and include time for check-in, prayers, poems, Torah, and communal kiddush and motzi (the blessings over wine and bread) - see the Oberlin Hillel Facebook page (www.facebook.com/oberlinhillel) for the Zoom link for services.</p>
	6:30pm	<p>Jewish Life, Chabad (Community 101) Pre-Shabbos l'chaim. Virtually meet your Oberlin family, get some words of inspiration and some food for your soul. And learn a bit about some great Jewish events happening on campus. https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/7061801827</p>
	7:00pm	<p>Students for Gender Inclusivity in Music (OSGIM) Meet and Greet (Student Organization Event) OSGIM is a student organization dedicated to celebrating classical and contemporary musicians of underrepresented gender identities, such as women, trans, or non-binary. In this kick-off event, we'll reveal some of the exciting plans for the upcoming semester and beyond (including a virtual concert and guest speakers), introduce databases and advocacy strategies, and are looking to hear YOUR ideas of what you'd like to see the organization host and take part in. Bring yourself, your love for music and social justice, and plenty of creativity! Zoom Link: https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/98198477534</p>
	8:00pm	<p>Virtual Jazz Night (Community 101) Jazz concert live streamed from the Cat in the Cream coffeehouse. Performances by students, Arthur Welsh on piano and jazz vocalist Georgie Heers. Register in advance for this webinar: https://oberlin.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_jQwYPnu0TLS4nDaLvLERKw</p>

	8:00-9:00pm	Zoom Game Night with OCF (Student Organization Event) Meet members of Oberlin Christian Fellowship at a virtual game night. We'll play Jackbox games, Scribblio, and more. All are welcome. https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/96849339485
Saturday, August 29	10:00am-6:00pm	Auditions: Arts & Sciences Orchestra (Obie Start-up)
	1:00-2:00 pm	Intro to Student Publications (Obie Start-up) Learn about Oberlin's various student publications and how to get involved. No experience necessary. Link to be provided. Join Zoom Meeting https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/96875132656
	3:00-4:00pm	Introduction to Student Senate and Oberlin Issues (Obie Start-up; Community 101) Join Oberlin's Student Senate to learn about the role of student government on campus, how you can get involved, and the many issues impacting students and community members today. Zoom meeting link to be provided. https://oberlin.zoom.us/j/92277119932
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	6:00pm	Meet the Staff – Monique Burgdorf (Community 101) Come meet Monique Burgdorf (Assistant Dean of Students in the Center of Student Success). Monique has worked at Oberlin College for over twenty years and has a wealth of tips for students. Click this link to register!
	7:00pm	Virtual First-Year Variety Showcase (Student Organization Event) This event is the premiere of a pre-recorded showcase featuring submissions from a variety of first year performers, hosted by the Oberlin Obertones. If you wish to perform in this showcase, please fill out the form at bit.ly/Variety-Showcase by August 24th. Performances will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis. Music, poetry, spoken word, or anything you like is welcome. Link to join: https://youtu.be/cweEbuWXark

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	1:00- 1:45pm	“On the Spirit Side” (Community 101) Multifaith Chaplain interviews four Oberlin religious leaders reflecting from their spirit side: a Buddhist, a Christian, a Jewish and a Muslim—each making sense of this moment. Their wisdom may inspire—their lighthearted laughter surprise.
	1:30- 2:30pm	Multicultural Resource Center Virtual Welcome (Community 101, Inclusive Excellence) Join the Multicultural Resource Center for a virtual welcome session for the families of underrepresented students (students of color, first-generation college students, LGBTQ+ students, and low-income students). The session will feature students and staff discussing the transition from high school to college, and what families need to know to best support their college students throughout their time at Oberlin. Register here!
	1:45pm	Multifaith Meetup Explore what it means to be spiritual or multifaith at Oberlin College, even from a distance. Meet students and multifaith office staff to hear about growing up in multireligious, nonreligious, or spiritual families, and how students find support and community on their own Obie paths. ORSL aims to nurture the spirit, however you define it. Sign up for this zoom meetup that follows the Office of Religious and Spiritual Life affiliate panel using the Google Form on the Office of Religious and Spiritual Life website or at https://forms.gle/gRg3k8u8nUjCQryD9
	2:00- 3:00 pm	WOBC Fireside Chat (Obie Start-up) WOBC 91.5 is Oberlin’s student-run radio station, broadcasting music, public affairs, and news 24/7 during the semester. Meet the WOBC staff and learn how to get on the airwaves and help manage the behind-the-scenes affairs of WOBC. No experience necessary. Link will be provided. If you are interested but cannot attend this Zoom meeting, send a note to wobc@oberlin.edu . Link: https://tinyurl.com/wobcfireside .
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	5:00-6:00pm	<p>Virtual Mass (Community 101)</p> <p>Looking for someone to watch online Mass with? The Oberlin Newman Catholic Community invites you to join us on zoom for Mass at our regular Mass time on Sundays. After Mass, we'll do introductions with those gathered and maybe play a game or two. Students, faculty, and community members of all identities and creeds are welcome to join us via link:</p> <p>https://zoom.us/j/99952555702?pwd=Nm1kNWhzamcvYUxZOWlIMWhNV0lsdz09 (Meeting ID: 999 5255 5702 Passcode: Newman20!).</p>
	6:00pm	<p>Meet the Staff – Josh Koller (Community 101)</p> <p>Want to learn about working at Oberlin after graduating? How about hearing about the great food scene in Cleveland? Join Josh Koller (Assistant Director, Career Development Center) in this staff session to learn about the Career Center and Josh's hobbies! Click this link to register.</p>
	8:00pm	<p>Virtual Poetry Slam (Student Organization Event)</p> <p>Students from OSlam, Oberlin's own Poetry Slam group, will present an evening of poetry. Register in advance for this webinar:</p> <p>https://oberlin.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_AdFo4yhEQ3SzQBEE8SZ63A</p>
Monday, August 31		CLASSES START
	3:00pm	<p>Meet the Staff – Thom Julian (Community 101)</p> <p>Need help preparing for your Fantasy Football draft? Want to talk about Nintendo games? Do you have questions regarding campus policies? Come meet Thom Julian (Director of Community Life and Standards)! To register, use this link.</p>
	6:00pm	<p>Meet the Staff – Kourtney Arcaba (Community 101)</p> <p>Want to learn about student support on-campus including SHARE? How about time management such as using a planner or bullet journal? Come meet Kourtney Arcaba (Director of SHARE)! To register, please use this link.</p>
	8:00pm	<p>RemObies Presents: RemO-Bingo</p> <p>Play for fun prizes in this classic game of chance named after a Dog...B-I-N-G-O...B-I-N-G-O...B-I-N-G-O and Bingo was his name-o...OK, maybe it wasn't named after a dog, but it is a game of chance and there will be some fun prizes! Must sign up ahead of time and will be hosted virtually. Here is the link. Zoom: https://tinyurl.com/y3ws9ouz</p>