International Parent & Family Orientation

*Informational Sessions Only*

**International Students & Parent Welcome**
9:30am – 10:15am  Rutgers Athletic Center (83 Rockafeller Road, Piscataway, NJ 08854)

Join us in welcoming and celebrating the new class of international students at Rutgers. Students will receive their orientation materials, meet other international students, and hear a welcome address and introductions by Barbara Lee, senior vice president for academic affairs; Eric Garfunkel, vice president of Rutgers Global; and Urmi Otiv, director of Rutgers Global – International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) along with the ISSS staff.

**Resource Fair**
10:15am – 11:30am  Rutgers Athletic Center

After you have completed checking in for the parent program, visit the resource fair and meet various Rutgers academic and student affairs units to learn about the multitude of resources and services Rutgers offers to your student.

**Afternoon Location: Tillet Hall Room 232**
Livingston Campus
50 Joyce Kilmer Ave, Piscataway, NJ 8854

**Parent Welcome**
1:30pm-1:50pm, Tillet Hall Room 232

Opening addresses from senior leaders at Rutgers Global – International Student and Scholar Services, and the Office of New Student Orientation and Family Programs. Learn about how to best partner alongside Rutgers in supporting your student’s academic and social success.

**Student Legal Status- Rights and Responsibilities**
1:50 – 2:05pm

Overview of legal obligations of international students in F-1/J-1 status including study, work, and travel.

**Paying Student Bills**
2:10pm – 2:30pm

Information about bill-paying procedures, billing cycles, payment-plans, late charges, and other billing matters.
Living at Rutgers: On-Campus & Off-Campus Housing
2:35pm – 2:55pm
Information and resources related to on-campus living from the Office of Residence Life including living with roommates, where to go when a student needs help or has questions, and timelines for applying for on-campus housing.

Break – Tea/Coffee and Dessert
2:55pm – 3:10pm

Safety on Campus
3:15pm – 3:35pm
Student health related resources and how to help your student to stay healthy while studying at Rutgers.

Health Services & Health Insurance
3:40pm – 4:05pm
Information about the Rutgers health insurance plan including the plan coverage, benefits, selecting a healthcare provider, and more.

Dean of Students
4:10pm – 4:30pm
Learn about the role of the dean of students at Rutgers and how they can support your student in their Rutgers journey.

Academic Life at Rutgers
4:35pm – 4:55pm
Undergraduate Parents: Tillett Hall Room 232
Graduate Parents: Tillett Hall Room 226
Understand the U.S. educational system and the academic resources Rutgers offers for students.

Closing
4:55pm – 5:10pm
Tillett Hall Room 232

Dinner
5:10pm
Plaza at Livingston, Livingston Campus
Join us for a Rutgers-themed celebration filled with food, games, and a chance to socialize with fellow family members, new students and University administrators!

** Please note this schedule should only be followed by parents and family members who did not officially register through www.globalservices.tix.com. Those with official registration should follow the official schedule.**