

Welcome Parents!



I want to thank you for making the effort and taking the time to come to campus for our Family Weekend. We hope you will enjoy the activities that have been planned with you in mind.

The weekend program provides an opportunity for you to spend time with your son or daughter so that you get a taste of what life at Moody is like. You'll experience events that happen on campus on a regular basis.

I hope that you enjoy the activities, get a chance to enjoy our great city of Chicago, and have a great weekend with your student.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me or to touch base with one of the Parent Council members in the Alumni Student Center.

Have a great weekend!

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Timothy E. Arens

Vice President and Dean of Student Life

Weekend Schedule

Friday, September 20

8:00 a.m.-7:45 p.m. Check-in for registered guests at the Parent Council

Welcome Desk in the Alumni Student Center (ASC).

Receive a parking pass and a welcome packet.

8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Attend undergraduate classes with your student

10:00-10:45 a.m. Worship in the Plaza

11:00 a.m. Campus tour begins at the Welcome Desk on Smith 1

1:00–5:00 p.m. Purchase Moody gear for you or your student on Smith 1

6:30–7:30 p.m. Student Panel–ASC 2

8:00-9:00 p.m. Student Open Dorms: Visit your student's dorm and

meet their RA and students on their floor

Saturday, September 21

8:00–11:00 a.m. Late check-in for registered guests at the Parent

Council Welcome Desk in ASC. Receive a parking

pass and a welcome packet.

9:00–10:15 a.m. Continental breakfast in ASC 1–The Commons

(for registered guests only)

10:30 a.m. Faculty Forum in ASC 2–Fellowship Hall

11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Prayer for your student with our president in

ASC 2-Fellowship Hall

12:00 p.m. Explore the city and enjoy some of Chicago's

many attractions

7:00 and 8:30 p.m. iNfoRmaL comedy show (two performances) in

Alumni Auditorium

Sunday, September 22

We encourage you to attend church with your student and enjoy Chicago.

Campus Food Service Hours

Student Dining Room

Friday, September 20

Breakfast 6:30 a.m.-8:45 a.m. Lunch 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Dinner 4:45 p.m.-6:15 p.m.

Saturday, September 21

 Breakfast
 8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m.

 Lunch
 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

 Dinner
 5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

Sunday, September 22

Breakfast 8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m. Lunch 12:30 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

No dinner served

The Commons

Friday, September 20

7:00 a.m.-11:00 p.m.

Closed Saturday and Sunday

Joe's

Friday, September 20

7:30 a.m.-10:00 p.m. Closed Saturday and Sunday



What to See and Do in Chicago

For the Nature-Lover (mostly FREE!)

Adler Planetarium Skyline Walk

An excellent view of the city skyline at night.

Buckingham Fountain

Two miles from Moody at Grant Park

Chicago Botanic Gardens \$

chicagobotanic.org, free if you walk/bike

Garfield Park Conservatory

garfieldconservatory.org

Lincoln Park Conservatory

lincolnparkconservancy.org

The Morton Arboretum \$

mortonarb.org

Promontory Point

chicagoparkdistrict.com/parks-facilities/promontory-point

606 Urban Hiking Trail

the606.org

For the Foodie

Portillo's Hot Dogs \$

portillos.com

Garrett's Popcorn \$

garrettpopcorn.com

Lou Malnati's Pizza \$\$

loumalnatis.com

Join the debate! Which iconic restaurant serves better Chicago-style pizza?

Giordano's Pizza \$\$

giordanos.com

Bang Bang Pie & Biscuits \$\$

bangbangpie.com

Chinatown \$\$

Take a walk around Ping Tom Memorial Park, then enjoy favorite Asian food.

- · Dinner at Ming Hin Cuisine (minghincuisine.com)
- · Bubble tea at Chatime
- · Thai rolled ice cream at Legend Tasty House (legendtastyhouse.com)

Smoque BBQ \$\$

smoquebbq.com

Wasabi \$\$

wasabichicago.com

Japanese cuisine and the best Ramen in Chicago

3rd Coast Café \$\$

3rdcoastcafe.com

Freshly baked scones, bottomless coffee, dinner menu

For the Sweet Tooth

Bombo Bar \$\$

bombobar.com

Decadent Italian doughnuts and the richest hot (or cold) chocolate of your life

Margie's Candies \$

margiesfinecandies.com

Chicago's finest candy and ice cream parlor since 1921

The Signature Room (Hancock Tower) \$\$\$

signatureroom.com

Dessert on the ninety-fifth floor provides quite a view

The D. L. Moody Chicago Food Tour

Fun Fact: Most of D. L. Moody's Chicago landmarks have been turned into restaurants and coffee shops, no kidding. You can create your own food tour—read "D. L. Moody's Chicago Food Tour" at moody.edu/foodtour.

For the Adventurer

- · Escape Room
- · Boat ride on Lake Michigan
- · Chinatown water taxi
- · Improvised Shakespeare at the iO Improv Theater
- · Rent a Divvy bike and bike along the 20-mile lakeshore path

For the Classic Tourist

- · Navy Pier
- Hancock Tower
- · Magnificent Mile
- · Architecture Boat Tour
- · Chicago Riverwalk
- · Lincoln Park Zoo
- · Millennium Park
- · Willis Tower Sky Deck
- · Blue Man Group concert
- · Chicago Symphony Orchestra
- · Broadway show
- Favorite museums: Shedd Aquarium, Museum of Science and Industry, Art Institute, The Field Museum, Adler Planetarium, Chicago History Museum, Chicago Children's Museum





Thank you for spending the weekend with us. We also encourage you to connect with other Moody parents through the Moody Parent Association. If you would like more information, please contact us, using the information below. If we can assist you in any way, please ask.

Questions?

Contact the Student Development office at (312) 329-4193 or email studentdevelopment@moody.edu.



face book.com/moody parent association