THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO
FAMILY WEEKEND
10.22.21 - 10.24.21
Event Check-In and Registration
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, Library Lounge, 1212 E. 59th St.
Welcome to the University of Chicago! Please check in and pick up your registration materials, which include the weekend’s schedule of events and other information. Luggage check is available from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

Parking is available on-campus throughout Family Weekend in the Campus North parking garage. However, please remember that this is a work day, so the garage will be quite crowded. Street parking is also available where permitted by law. If the gate is down, please take a ticket. The gate will be lifted by 2PM.

Self-Guided Tours of the Oriental Institute
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM | Oriental Institute, 1155 E. 58th St.
Families are welcome to visit the Oriental Institute and interactive kiosks throughout. The OI Museum special exhibition, “Antoin Sevruguin: Past and Present”, featuring the late nineteenth-century photographs of Antoin Sevruguin, presents to the public for the first time the OI Museum’s collection of over 150 photographic prints attributed primarily to this acclaimed photographer of Qajar Iran. An additional focus of the exhibition is the lasting impact of Sevruguin’s unique vision, as demonstrated by the work of Iranian-Canadian artist Yassaman Ameri. Families are welcome to visit the Oriental Institute and participate in self-guided activities, which include Family Activity Cards and interactive computer kiosks throughout. Admission is free.

Financial Aid Open House
10:00 AM - 4:30 PM | Ida Noyes, 3rd Floor Theater, 1115 E. 58th St.
Meet one-on-one with a financial aid officer to address any questions you may have about the financial aid process. Appointments are available on a first come, first-served basis.

University of Chicago Bookstore Open
9:00 AM - 6:00 PM | 970 E. 58th St.
Pick up your UChicago gear and browse books by University faculty. The University of Chicago Bookstore has the largest selection of UChicago apparel anywhere and a Barnes & Noble Cafe featuring Starbucks Coffee.

WIRELESS ACCESS
To connect to the UChicago wireless network, select the ‘uchicago-guest’ SSID from your wireless device. Your browser will redirect to a login page. You will need to enter the following username and password:

Username: college-programming@uchicago.edu
Password: kk6iq
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

Self-Guided Tours of the Smart Museum
10:00 AM - 5:00 PM | Smart Museum, 5550 S. Greenwood Ave.
The Smart Museum of Art is an intimate museum for bold encounters with art. As the fine arts museum of the University of Chicago, the Smart is home to thought-provoking exhibitions and an exquisite collection of ancient, Old Master, modern, and contemporary art from across the globe. **Toward Common Cause: Art, Social Change, and the MacArthur Fellows Program at 40.** Presented in conjunction with the 40th anniversary of the MacArthur Fellows Program, this multisite exhibition uses the idea of “the commons” to explore the current sociopolitical moment, in which questions of inclusion, exclusion, ownership, and rights of access are constantly being challenged across a wide array of human endeavors. Admission is free.

UChicago Student-Athlete Day
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM | Ratner Athletics Center, Front Lawn, 5530 S. Ellis Ave.
An opportunity to celebrate the positive virtues of sport and student-athletes, foster school spirit throughout the campus, and take pride in being a Maroon. Come join us for free food, free swag, contests, fun, and games! All students, alumni, families, and friends are welcome!

Safety and Security Information Session
12:00 - 12:50 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, East Lounge, 1212 E. 59th St.
The University of Chicago Police Department officers will share the police services available to you as well as other safety-related tips and best practices to help keep students safe on campus.

Academic Advising Information Session
12:00 - 12:50 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, West Lounge, 1212 E. 59th St.
The College Academic Advising Office offers a wide range of resources aimed at helping students achieve their educational goals. During this session, a panel of College Advisers will discuss the approaches they use in working with students to help them follow their individualized path through the curriculum, helping each student to meet their academic, personal, and professional goals.

Neighborhood Exploration Bus Tours
12:30, 2:00, & 3:30 PM | Buses depart from the corner of Woodlawn Avenue and 59th Street
Step aboard a bus with Chicago Detours, a tour company started by a UChicago alum, for a fascinating look at the history and architecture of campus and beyond. We’ll journey through the neighborhoods of Hyde Park, Woodlawn, and Jackson Park Highlands and discover exciting changes, including how the University is expanding its reach. Space is limited, but we will have two tour buses for each tour time. Tours are 75 minutes long. There is no pre-registration for the tours.

Career Advancement Information Session
1:00 - 1:50 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, West Lounge, 1212 E. 59th St.
Learn how Career Advancement can support your student’s search for job and internship opportunities as well as graduate and professional school programs. Parents are invited to attend a general overview of Career Advancement’s services.

Student Wellness at UChicago
1:00 - 1:50 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, East Lounge, 1212 E. 59th St.
Learn about the services we provide to support students’ health. This workshop will cover how to access medical health, mental health, and health promotion services. We are here to support healthy lifestyles and the academic success of our students.
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

Study Abroad Information Session
2:00 - 2:50 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, West Lounge, 1212 E. 59th St.
Talk with a Study Abroad Program Coordinator and student alumni of Study Abroad to learn about the exciting study abroad programs sponsored by the College.

Family Weekend Express Check-In
4:30-6:30 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, Room 117, 1212 East 59th Street
Can’t make it to our Event Check-In and Registration block? We’ve got a back-up plan for you. If you have already registered for Family Weekend online, we can get you checked-in through our Express Check-In. You will be able to pick-up your materials and enjoy the rest of your weekend.

This service is for pre-registered guests only. Those guests needing to register on-site will need to do so on Saturday morning between 8:00 and 11:30 AM. No luggage check or t-shirt sales will be available.

Doc Films presents Summer of 85
7:00 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, Max Palevsky Cinema, 1212 E. 59th St.
16-year-old Alexis is interested in Death, he tells us, “with a capital D.” Perhaps this begins after his boat capsizes in the English Channel—or perhaps it begins with David, the hunky older teenager who saves Alexis, introduced by him as “the corpse I knew when it was alive.” Ozon’s seductive tale of first love and first loss, Summer of 85 features motorcycles zipping along the coast of Normandy, handsome Frenchmen, and the music of Rod Stewart.

Off Off Campus at The Revival Theater
7:30 PM | The Revival Improv Theater, 1160 E. 55th St.
Off-Off Campus is the oldest student improvisational theater troupe in the country with the first generation dating back to 1986.

TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS
• CTA Buses and Trains: transitchicago.com
• Metra Commuter Rail: metrarail.com
• Airport Express: airportexpress.com
• Yellow Cab: 312.TAXICAB
• Uber and Lyft via apps
• Additional transportation information can be found in your check-in materials.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

Check-In and Registration Continues
8:00 - 11:30 AM | Ida Noyes Hall, Library Lounge, 1212 E. 59th St.
Check-in for the weekend continues. Please pick up your registration materials, which include the weekend’s schedule of events and additional information on all events. Luggage check is available for guests during a portion of the day. Luggage should be picked up by 2:00 PM.

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Model Classes
9:30 & 1:00 PM and 2:30 PM | A full list of classes has been included in your check-in materials
Attend a variety of classes, lectures, and presentations through the College-sponsored Model Classes. These classes are designed to introduce families to our faculty, their research, and the teaching they do for our students. Space is limited and attendance is first come, first served. There is no pre-registration.

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Class of 2024 Procession
11:30 AM | Main Quadrangle 1100 E 58th St
Main Quad opens for guests at 10:30am, Procession begins at 11:30am.
Join the UChicago community as we formally welcome the Class of 2024 to campus! Help us recognize the second-year class by giving them the in-person tradition they missed out on last year. Enjoy remarks from Dean Boyer (AM’69, PhD’75), trumpeters, the University Pipe Band, and the procession of the Class of 2024!

Homecoming Block Party and Football Game
11:30 AM - 2:30 PM | Kickoff at 2:00 PM, 5555 S. Ellis Avenue
Join students, parents, and alumni for a Block Party to celebrate Homecoming with fun activities, treats, and athletic events.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

**Doc Films presents The Wizard of Oz**
7:00 PM-8:45 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, Max Palevsky Cinema, 1212 E. 59th St.
Starring sixteen-year-old Judy Garland, the 1939 adaption of L. Frank Baum’s The Wizard of Oz follows Dorothy and her dog Toto as they are swept away from their Kansas home and into the magical land of Oz. The subject of countless cultural treatises and simulacra, nothing will ever eclipse the original tale of flying spider monkeys, the Wicked Witch of the West, and the man behind the silver screen. Follow us on the yellow brick road to Emerald City!

**BABY WANTS CANDY at The Revival Theater**
7:30 PM | The Revival Theater, 1160 E. 55th St.
BABY WANTS CANDY has performed over 3,500 completely improvised musicals around the world. The group proves time and time again that the best stuff is spontaneous! A BWC show begins with the cast asking the audience for suggestions of a musical title that has never been performed before. The audience votes on the title they want to see that night and BABY WANTS CANDY creates that musical on the spot. Some favorite titles include “Kanye West Side Story”, “Mary Poppins Has Ebola”, and “Jesus Christ, Superstore”.

It is a roller coaster ride of off-the-cuff choreographed dance numbers, rhyming verses, and witty, jaw-dropping comedy. Each performance is its own opening and closing night. And, by design, every show is completely unique and a once-in-a-lifetime premiere. Start thinking of your title now!

**Critics’ Pick - The New York Times**
Six Stars/Bobby Award - Edinburgh Fringe Fest.
Best Improv Ensemble - Chicago Magazine
Best Visiting Comedy Ensemble - Time Out NY

Tickets to this event are free for those participating in Family Weekend and can be pre-ordered on The Revival Theater website using the special code: FAMILY2021. Guests may also gain entry without advanced tickets by showing your UChicago Family Weekend event pass or a UChicago Student ID Card. Space is limited.
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Dean’s Brunch
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, 1212 E. 59th St.
Dean of the College, John W. Boyer, hosts brunch in honor of you, the University of Chicago’s family members. Remarks will be given by Dean Boyer at 11:30 AM. Seating is available indoors and outdoors. Remarks may be heard throughout Ida Noyes Hall. Please note that masks are required except while actively eating or drinking.

The Smart Museum | Toward Common Cause Activity Book | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM | 5550 S. Greenwood Ave.
Pick up this free and fun activity book that acts as a hands-on guide to the multi-site exhibition Toward Common Cause that will take you and your kids through the Smart Museum, all of the city-wide locations of the exhibition, and at home! The book contains activities that relate to each of the 29 MacArthur Fellows and artists.

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Luggage Check Closes
2:00 PM | Ida Noyes Hall, Max Palevsky Cinema, 1212 E. 59th St.
Luggage check will close at 2:00 PM as the Cinema has other events scheduled for the afternoon. Please make sure that you have collected all of your belongings prior to this time. If you would like to spend additional time on campus, we encourage you to work with your student to store your luggage for the remainder of the afternoon.