# Fall 2018 Orientation Events for New Graduate Students in Biochemistry & Biophysics

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<td><em>Health Screenings, various appointment times&lt;br&gt;Thielen Student Health Center, 2648 Union Drive</em></td>
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<td><em>International Student and Scholars Office (ISSO) Check In &amp; Document pickup&lt;br&gt;various times and locations</em></td>
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<td><strong>Thursday, August 9</strong></td>
<td><em>ISSO Check In, 1:00 - 5:00 pm&lt;br&gt;Room 3512, Memorial Union</em>&lt;br&gt;<em>Health Screenings appointments, 8:00 am – 11:00 am&lt;br&gt;Thielen Student Health Center, 2648 Union Drive</em>&lt;br&gt;<em>English Placement Test (EPT) - Writing, 8:30 am-10:30 am (Arrive 8:00 am)&lt;br&gt;Carver 60 and Carver 250, 411 Morrill Road</em>&lt;br&gt;*English Placement Test (EPT) – Oral Communication, 11:00 am - 4:00 pm&lt;br&gt;Check your confirmation for location</td>
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<td><strong>Friday, August 10</strong></td>
<td><em>ISSO Document pickup, 2:00 – 4:00 pm, Location TBD</em>&lt;br&gt;<em>English Placement Test (EPT) - Writing, 8:30 am-10:30 am (Arrive 8:00 am)&lt;br&gt;Carver 60 and Carver 250, 411 Morrill Road</em>&lt;br&gt;*English Placement Test (EPT) – Oral Communication, 11:00 am - 4:00 pm&lt;br&gt;Check your confirmation for location</td>
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<td><strong>Saturday, August 11</strong></td>
<td><em>English Placement Test (EPT) – Oral Communication, 8:00 am- 12:00 noon&lt;br&gt;Check your confirmation for location</em></td>
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<td><strong>BBMB Orientation Week Begins:</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Monday, August 13</strong></td>
<td><em>English Placement Test (EPT) - Writing, 8:30 am-10:30 am (Arrive 8:00 am)&lt;br&gt;Carver 60 and Carver 250, 411 Morrill Road</em>&lt;br&gt;<em>Health Screenings appointments, 8:00 am-11:00 am&lt;br&gt;Thielen Student Health Center, 2648 Union Drive</em></td>
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<td><strong>Tuesday, August 14</strong></td>
<td><em>Laboratory Safety Training, 8:30 am-12:30 pm&lt;br&gt;EH&amp;S Services Building, 2408 Wanda Daley Drive</em>&lt;br&gt;<em>Health Screenings appointments, 8:00 am-11:00 am&lt;br&gt;Thielen Student Health Center, 2648 Union Drive</em></td>
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Events marked with an asterisk (*) are mandatory for all new students<br>Events marked in **bold** are mandatory for international students only
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| **Wednesday, August 15** | *ISSO Check In and pick up documents, 1:00-4:00 pm  
0205 Carver Hall, 411 Morrill Road  
*Health Screening appointments, 8:00 am-11:00 am  
Thielen Student Health Center, 2648 Union Drive  
BBMB Orientation, 9:00 am-1:00 pm  
1102 Molecular Biology Building Conference Room  
BBMB Ice Cream Social and Poster Session, 4:00 pm  
Molecular Biology Building Atrium |
| **Thursday, August 16** | *ISSO Welcome Event and Check In and document pickup, 9:00-4:00 pm  
0205 Carver Hall, 411 Morrill Road  
Health Screening appointments, 8:00 am-11:00 am  
Thielen Student Health Center, 2648 Union Drive |
| **Friday, August 17** | Faculty Presentations (includes BBMB faculty), sponsored by the Interdepartmental graduate programs, 8:30 am-4:10 pm  
9:45 am-12:00 noon, faculty presentations – MBB conference rooms  
12:00 noon Lunch, MBB Atrium  
Noon-2:00 pm Poster Session, MBB Atrium  
2:00 pm-4:15 pm, faculty presentations, MBB conference rooms  
The schedule is being finalized, but Katie Blair, the event coordinator, shared a [link to the faculty presentation sign-up sheet](https://www.fpm.iastate.edu/maps/). |
| **Monday August 20** | First Day of Fall Classes  
*English Placement Test (EPT) – Oral Communication, 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
Check your confirmation for location |
| **Tuesday, August 21** | *English Placement Test (EPT) – Writing, 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm (Arrive 5:15 pm)  
Carver 60 and Carver 250, 411 Morrill Road |
| **Thursday, August 23** | Graduate College and Graduate and Professional Student Senate (GPSS) Fall Orientation, 5:30 pm - 7:30pm  
Alumni Center, 420 Beach Avenue |
| **Thursday, August 30** | *BBMB Department Picnic for Incoming Graduate Students, 6:00-8:00 pm  
Butternut Shelter, Emma McCarthy Lee Park, Ross Road, Ames |