

Academic Breakout Sessions | 10:45 a.m.

At the conclusion of the Welcome, accepted students and family members will be dismissed by majors and led by current students to the start of their academic breakout session. Academic breakout sessions will vary in length and location.

College of Liberal Arts & Sciences

Lecture Center, room 100

Begin your academic breakout session with an overview by the Dean of the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences followed by opportunities to speak with faculty members from majors within Liberal Arts & Sciences at tables in the locations listed below.

Lecture Center North Lobby

Communication Disorders

Communication Studies

Digital Media and Journalism

**11:30 a.m. – Meet at the table for a tour of the Digital Media and Journalism facilities.*

English

Economics

Lecture Center, room 100

Psychology

Lobby between Lecture Center and Humanities

Anthropology

Philosophy

Geography & Environmental Studies

Jacobson Faculty Tower Lobby

Asian Studies

History

Languages, Literatures & Cultures

Latin American, Caribbean & Latinx Studies

Political Science & International Relations

Sociology

Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies

School of Business

van den Berg Hall

Begin your academic breakout session in van den Berg Hall for a variety of informational activities for all majors in the School of Business.

Accounting

Business Analytics

Entrepreneurship

Finance

General Business

International Business

Management

Marketing

School of Fine & Performing Arts

Athletic and Wellness Center

Begin your academic session with a brief overview from the Dean of Fine & Performing Arts in the Athletic and Wellness Center. After the overview, students will be dismissed by major and led to various locations to meet with faculty and students and tour the Fine & Performing Arts facilities.

Fine Arts Rotunda

Art

The Dorsky Lobby

Art Education, Art History

Old Library

Design

College Hall

Music

College Theatre, McKenna Theatre Lobby

Theatre

School of Science and Engineering

Begin your academic session in Coykendall Auditorium, Science Hall or the Lecture Center for a brief overview followed by tours and presentations by major.

Coykendall Auditorium

Biology
Chemistry/Biochemistry
Environmental Science
Geology
Mathematics
Physics and Astronomy

Lecture Center 108

Computer Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Mechanical Engineering

Science Hall 181

Computer Science

School of Education

Lecture Center 102

Begin your academic session in the Lecture Center with an overview of the School of Education followed by breakout sessions for Adolescence Education and Early Childhood and Childhood Education majors. At the conclusion of your School of Education presentation we encourage you to visit your academic concentration areas. Please see the list of concentrations and locations below.

10:45 a.m. – School of Education overview

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – Breakout sessions

LC 102 – Early Childhood and Childhood Education

LC104 – Adolescence Education

12:00 p.m. – Visit your academic concentration area.

Adolescence Education concentrations

English - **Lecture Center North Lobby**
Social Studies (History) - **Jacobson Faculty Tower**
Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, Mathematics, Physics -
Coykendall Auditorium

Childhood and Early Childhood Education concentrations

Art History - **The Dorsky Museum Lobby**
English - **Lecture Center North Lobby**
Geography – **Humanities Lobby**
French, History, Political Science, Spanish - **Jacobson Faculty Tower Lobby**
Biology, Mathematics, Earth Science (Geology) -
Coykendall Auditorium

Exploratory Experience (Undeclared Students)

10:45 a.m.

Various Locations

Begin your academic breakout session by exploring one of the academic schools and majors that is of interest to you. This is just one opportunity for you to begin the exploratory experience.

12:30 p.m.

Lecture Center 102

Join the Office of Academic Advising to learn more about the Exploratory Experience at New Paltz. This opportunity supports our undeclared students in a holistic way by providing intentional academic advisement and direct connections to crucial resources on campus. The presentation will include an overview of the Exploratory Experience with a focus on academic advising and our suggested "road map" to declaration.