



August 20, 2019

Dear Counselor,

Fall is one of the most exciting times to visit Mississippi State University! I'm writing to let you about all of the opportunities we have for your students to visit campus this semester. Below, I have briefly outlined each of our fall events so that you can begin to encourage your students to sign-up when registration goes live on **September 16th at 9:00 a.m. CST.**

The first set of events I want you to know about is **Scholars Recognition Days**. This year we are offering three dates exclusively for high school seniors who have a composite ACT score of 30 or higher. These events are designed specifically for high achieving seniors giving them opportunities to visit our academic colleges, chat with current students in small groups, learn about the Shackouls Honors College, and tour campus. Because this is an invitation-only event, there is no charge for prospective students and guests. However, **space is limited and seats will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis.** Invitations for these events will be mailed out toward the end of August. Students should also receive an email invitation from our office during the month of September, which will include a link to register for the event. If you have students who meet the criteria but do not receive an invitation, please encourage them to contact our office.

The second set of events is **Fall Preview Days**. These events are similar to an "open-house" and are geared toward high school juniors and seniors. The goal is to have them spend an entire day on campus and see what a day in the life of a Bulldog is all about. Students and their families will have the chance to hear from academic representatives, check out our residence halls, eat lunch at one of our on-campus eateries, learn how students get involved at MSU, and so much more!

SCHOLARS RECOGNITION DAYS

October 21, October 28, November 4, 2019

(choose one)

Invite-only; Seniors with a 30+ ACT

No charge

Space is limited

Registration live September 16th at 9:00 a.m. CST

FALL PREVIEW DAYS

October 14, November 11, November 25, 2019

(choose one)

Open House; geared toward Juniors and Seniors

\$10 per person

Space is limited

Registration live September 16th at 9:00 a.m. CST

****Scholars Recognition Day and Fall Preview Day events are NOT designed for you to bring a group of students from your school. If you would like to bring a group from your school, please visit campusvisit.msstate.edu and click on "Schedule your Visit" to request a group visit.***

If you have students who would prefer a smaller, more personalized visit to campus, please encourage them to check out the Campus Visit program by going to campusvisit.msstate.edu. Learn more about our on-campus recruiting events by visiting admissions.msstate.edu/events. Thank you for all you do to help students reach their full potential. If the Orientation & Events team can ever be of assistance to you, please feel free to contact us at events@msstate.edu.

Hail State!

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