

Ready, Set, Go! August 2021

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	August 11, 2021 - Virtual	Location
Time	Activity	Location
10-10:55 a.m.	How to Navigate DCTC Virtually Learn about campus resources/services and how to access them virtually! This session will be recorded.	Online via Zoom
	Join session via Zoom Link: https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/99078088286?pwd=bnhyVDkrYU1jSXNyVERZcEpLeHB6QT09 Password: check your email or self-enroll in the Student Life D2L course.	
11–11:55 a.m.	Online Tools 101 This session will provide an overview of the online tools you will use as a student, including D2L BrightSpace, Starfish, and e-Service, as well as information on Zoom and O365. This session will be recorded.	Online via Zoom
	Join session via Zoom Link: https://minnstate.zoom.us/i/97927925339?pwd=ZzFwMlBXS1BtdTdqMUV6YXhBNUI0UT09 Password: check your email or self-enroll in the Student Life D2L course.	
12-12:40 p.m.	Students, Staff, & Faculty Panel Hear advice from students, staff, and faculty about being a successful student and navigating DCTC virtually and in person. This session will be recorded.	Online via Zoom
	Join session via Zoom Link: https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/96102621322?pwd=aGdxbnpvczRaVnA5MFpxRzNvMHZ1QT09 Password: check your email or self-enroll in the Student Life D2L course.	
12:45-1:15 p.m.	Virtual Meet & Greet After the panel, join us for an interactive meet and greet to speak 1-1 with the panelists, club advisors, and student leaders. Representatives from the following clubs and support areas will be available to speak with: Student Life , Athletics , TRIO/Student Support Services , Sexuality & Gender Alliance , Christians on Campus , Office of Equity and Inclusion , and more.	Online via Zoom
	Join session via Zoom Link: https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91522330832?pwd=Ny9NVkFkT2NwQVZYSHNyYzRzTW5Bdz09 Password: check your email or self-enroll in the Student Life D2L course.	
1-1:55 p.m.	How to Afford College 101 This workshop will help students explore various options to pay for college, including FAFSA, Scholarships, Grants, Student Employment, Federal Student Loans, Private Student Loans, Military Benefits, and more. This session will be recorded.	Online via Zoom
	Join session via Zoom Link: https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/92971322621?pwd=Yi82YXpTUjNCdW5USVpQbEQzL0INQT09 Password: check your email or self-enroll in the Student Life D2L course.	
2-2:55: p.m.	Study Skills Learn tips and tricks to create strong study skills when taking fully online classes. Topics include: Creating a healthy work space, building your academic focus, how to talk with people in your home about respecting your class time, learning active study skills to increase retention. This session will be recorded.	Online via Zoom
	Join session via Zoom Link: https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/96510245040?pwd=M0pIOEV0bDNRdFdINkEva3FhUmhhQT09 Password: check your email or self-enroll in the Student Life D2L course.	

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1-2 p.m.	Lunch & Student Social (Registration Required) Join us for lunch and a social to meet other students, staff, and faculty! Representatives from Student Life, Athletics, , TRIO/Student Support Services, Office of Social Navigation, Career and Transfer Services, Lions Club, Office of Equity and Inclusion, and more will be available to answer questions. Register here.	On Campus: Student Life Center / Central Commons
2-3 p.m.	Campus Tour (Registration Required) Not sure where to go your first day of school or where things are located? Staff and students will lead campus tours to show you around campus and share key information about services and resources. Register Here.	On Campus: Dakota Room
3-4 p.m.	Q&A Nervous about starting classes? Would you like to find your classrooms? Have questions about campus resources? Staff and student leaders will be available to help!	On Campus: Dakota Room
Thursday, Au	gust 19 – On Campus	
7:30-8:30 a.m.	Veterans Info Session	On Campus:
	Meet Veterans Services support staff, overview certification process for your benefits, meet employees and other students with military backgrounds, and get personalized tour of your classrooms and veterans and other support service areas.	2-204
9-10. a.m.	Breakfast & Student Social (Registration Required) Join us for breakfast and a social to meet other students, staff, and faculty! Representatives from Student Life, Athletics, TRIO/Student Support Services, Office of Social Navigation, Career and Transfer Services, Christians on Campus, Military Networking Group, and more will be available to answer questions. Register here.	On Campus: Student Life Center / Central Commons
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12-1:30 p.m.	How to Supercharge Your Conversations, Connect with Others, & Make New Friends Now that students, instructors and staff are back to campus, it's time to brush up on your face-to-face conversation and socializing skills. In this 90-minute webinar, author and "small talk" expert, Don Gabor will show you dozens of practical and confidence-building communication tips, techniques and strategies that are guaranteed to help you connect and build lasting relationships with your classmates and co-workers. This session will be recorded and emailed to those who register. Register here.	Online via Zoom

Recorded sessions will be available at https://www.dctc.edu/ready-set-go/