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WELCOME TO ORIENTATION!

Welcome to Marian University!

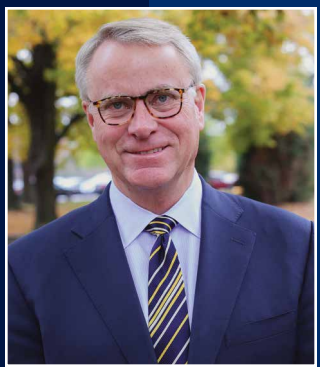
Thank you for choosing Marian University for your college education. We are very excited to welcome you to campus and to the Marian community.

New Student Orientation is a great opportunity for you to make new friends, ask questions, and learn how Marian will support you during your time here. You will learn about what to expect in the classroom and how to thrive there as well, while meeting faculty and staff members who are here to ensure you get the most out of your time at Marian.

The connections you make at Orientation with fellow incoming students, current students, faculty, and staff, will have a strong influence on your Marian experience. Throughout the day, you may meet a future roommate, a best friend, a current student who becomes a mentor for you, a faculty member who connects you with your dream job a few years down the road, or a staff member who ends up writing you an amazing recommendation letter for graduate school. This is the time to step out of your comfort zone and start building a strong network that you will carry with you for years to come.

Parents, families, and guests, we welcome you to the Marian family as well. You will play a pivotal role in the success of your student. During Orientation, we will provide you with information and strategies that will help you support them. We couldn't be more thrilled to have you on our campus and we look forward to seeing you back at Marian for Family Weekend this fall.

Today is the first day of a new and exciting journey. Being admitted to Marian and becoming a college student is an achievement worth being proud of. Pursuing a college degree is an investment in your future. We at Marian are committed to your success and growth, both as a scholar and as a leader. We look forward to seeing you thrive both in and outside of the classroom at Marian.



GO KNIGHTS!

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President

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CONGRATULATIONS ON JOINING THE MARIAN UNIVERSITY FAMILY!

The upcoming years will be among the most memorable and impactful of your life. At Marian University, you will build connections and friendships that will last a lifetime, while building leadership skills and the competence to excel throughout your professional career.

At Marian, we find that students can thrive both inside and outside of the classroom when they are able to get off to a strong start at orientation and during their first year. As your First-Year Experience professional staff, we are here to ease your transition to Marian and help you become connected and engaged with our campus community. We challenge you to step out of your comfort zone today and begin building your Marian network by getting to know your classmates, orientation leaders, faculty, and staff.

To our parents, families, and guests, we are eager to meet you as well and look forward to supporting you throughout this transition. If there's anything we can do to assist your student or if you'd like to get connected to other resources at Marian, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. The support you provide to your student will have a significant impact on their success at Marian, and we thank you for playing such an important role in their lives so far.

Marian has countless opportunities for you to get involved and a plethora of support services for our students. Please do not hesitate to stop by either of our offices or send an email if you need assistance connecting to these opportunities. We are so happy to have you at Marian University, and we hope your experience at Orientation gives you confidence that you chose an incredible institution for your college education.

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CHECKLIST: DURING YOUR ORIENTATION PROGRAM

- ☐ Meet with your advisor and register for classes.
- ☐ Visit the bookstore and browse for some Marian spirit wear.
- ☐ If needed, set up an appointment or stop by the Office of Financial Aid in Marian Hall.
- ☐ Submit your Orientation evaluation at the end of the day.
- ☐ Pick up your student ID from the checkout table at the end of Orientation.
- ☐ Get any remaining questions answered before leaving campus.

CHECKLIST: BEFORE MOVING IN AND STARTING CLASSES

- ☐ Submit your most up-to-date transcripts.
- ☐ Submit your health records.
- ☐ Complete your on- or off-campus housing application.
- ☐ Complete your financial aid and student loan documents.
- ☐ Pay the balance on your student account or set up a payment plan.

If the preceding items are not completed by the Thursday before classes begin, you will be required to attend KnightQuest to meet these objectives.

For more information, visit **marian.edu/knightquest** or contact knightquest@marian.edu.

Major Campus Events

KnightQuest

KnightQuest is an event at the beginning of each semester, which gives incoming and returning students the opportunity to address last-minute details and complete all required campus business before classes begin on the following Monday. If the following items are not completed by KnightQuest, you will be required to attend.

- ☐ Submit your enrollment deposit and health forms.
- ☐ Submit your most up-to-date transcripts.
- ☐ Complete your housing application or the off-campus residency request.
- ☐ Complete your financial aid and student loan documents.
- ☐ Pay the balance on your student account or set up a payment plan.

Welcome Week

Welcome Week provides students with endless opportunities to meet new people and become familiar with campus during their first week on campus as a Marian student. During this week, there will be a variety of events and activities each day. We're also excited to invite parents and families to join us for events on Move-In Day, including the New Student Convocation and the President's Reception. Attire for Friday events is business casual.

Fall and Spring Activities Fair

Activities Fairs are events where student organizations gather together and host tables to give information about joining their groups and events for the year. Held the second Tuesday of every semester, the Activities Fair provides students with the opportunity to explore ways to get involved on campus and make new connections.

Family Weekend

Held during the fall semester, Family Weekend gives students the opportunity to share their college experience with their families, introducing them to the Marian University campus and some of the exciting events that are so much a part of the university community. Family Weekend is a great way for families to celebrate the "college experience." Parents can reminisce about their own college days, and younger siblings get a taste of the college life they've dreamed about. Family Weekend gives students and their families a chance to reconnect and share a wonderful weekend filled with fun.

Homecoming

Homecoming at Marian University, especially for students and alumni, is dedicated to Knight spirit and campus life. The week will include a variety of events and activities on campus leading up to the Knights' Homecoming football game.

Thanksgiving Dinner

Every year prior to Thanksgiving break, the Marian community comes together for a Thanksgiving dinner served by our faculty and staff in the Dining Commons. This tradition has been part of our community for nearly 20 years and is known for being one of the best meals served on campus.

All-Campus Mass

Throughout the year, All-Campus Masses are held in celebration of important milestones and times of the year. We invite all members of the community to join, even if you are not a practicing Catholic. At these times, we cancel classes and close offices so that all students, faculty, and staff have the opportunity to gather together.

Getting Involved at Marian

With nearly 40 clubs and student organizations, as well as weekly events, there are plenty of ways to get involved and build strong connections at Marian. Please see below for a listing of some of the student organizations on campus. For more information, please visit the Fall Activities Fair or log into Connect at **marian.edu/connect**.

Access MU

Access MU is a disability club, for students with disabilities to have a place to share and be empowered. We believe that Marian University needs a safe space where there are people who are aware of disabilities, thought either by experience or thought knowing someone with them. This safe space will be a place where students won't be nervous to share about their disability, and unafraid to ask for help.

Alpha Delta Gamma National Fraternity

Alpha Delta Gamma is a national fraternity that is driven by the 5 S'—spiritual, scholastic, service, school spirit, and social. Through these 5 S', the men of ADG come together to become better leaders in our community.

Alpha Psi Omega

At a national level, Alpha Psi Omega exists to provide acknowledgement to those demonstrating a high standard of accomplishment in theatre and a wider fellowship for those interested in theatre. Membership is earned through participation with the theatre program and high academic achievement. Student members of Marian's chapter work to promote interest in theatre on campus, encourage theatre scholarship, and assist in fundraising efforts for theatre activities by hosting events and organizing community service projects.

American Sign Language Club

The ASL Club supports and invites the Marian student body, faculty, and staff to gain a greater awareness of Deaf culture and language. With this purpose in mind, the ASL Club and its members seek to bring awareness to and advocate for the Deaf community, celebrate diversity, and remain rooted in the Franciscan sponsorship values, especially dignity of the individual and peace and justice.

Asian Student Association

Founded with the mission to promote awareness and understanding of Asian American cultures, we strive to provide an environment which is welcoming and supportive of Asian American undergraduate students at Marian University. As part of our commitment we hold cultural, educational, social, and outreach events throughout the academic year for all students. Our biweekly meetings promote intercultural understanding and foster ASA Knights' involvement in racial justice work. As a club we have conducted years of community service and continue doing so as an organization, to further engage our members in the community surrounding Marian University.

Association for Women in Mathematics
Encourage girls and women as they consider and/or prepare for careers in mathematics. Have a greater understanding of the contributions of women in the mathematical sciences. Promote an increased knowledge of and greater interest in the mathematical science, including pure and applied mathematics, statistics, and their application.

Be The Match on Campus
Be The Match is a nonprofit organization that is dedicated to matching prospective marrow transplant donors to those in need of a marrow transplant (bethematch.org).

Best Buddies
We are here to promote inclusion and create friendships between college students and adults with IDD (intellectual and developmental disabilities).

Campus Activities Board (CAB)
Campus Activities Board is responsible for fun, inclusive, and school-spirited campus-wide programming. Our events usually take place Friday evenings. It is made up of a four-person executive board and six committees including; Coffee House, Special Events, Homecoming, Formal, Multicultural, and Movie Night.

College Mentors for Kids
College Mentors for Kids pairs with the national College Mentors for Kids organization to provide mentoring via Marian University students to children in low-income families that will stress the importance of higher education.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes
The Fellowship of Christian Athletes' mission is to teach the gospel of Jesus Christ through bible study and conversation on the Marian University campus. The club conducts weekly bible studies and events throughout the semester for athletes to grow closer to Christ and to build a community of Christians that can rely and trust each other.

Fiat
Fiat is a joyful community of women seeking to grow in holiness while discerning religious life through the sacraments, prayer, community, and service, in union with the Holy Roman Catholic Church. “Fiat” is the Latin word for Mary’s “yes” to God’s will to be the Mother of God. This community desires the same docile and courageous openness to God’s loving and wise will. Members commit themselves to prayer, form community through the sharing of meals and fellowship, and seek the counsel of other women religious, in order to discern a vocation to religious life more fully.

Freshman Class
The Freshman Class organization represents the voice of first-time freshmen at Marian University to the Student Government Association. Led by an executive board, this group hosts service and social events throughout the year.

Junior Class Board
The Junior Class Board is an organization that creates events and activities for the junior class.

Just Earth at Marian University
Informed by a commitment to social justice, Just Earth strives to educate the Marian University community about environmental issues, empower its members to promote environmental improvement, and take action toward lasting change on campus and beyond.

Kappa Delta Pi
Kappa Delta Pi, the International Honor Society in Education, was founded in 1911 to foster excellence in education and promote fellowship among those dedicated to teaching. For over a century, the society has consistently grown, starting with a local chapter to become the international organization it is today, with an initiated membership that exceeds 1.2 million.

Knights for Life
Knights for Life's mission is to provide and uphold the dignity of the individual, most importantly, the dignity of every life from conception to natural death. We believe in spreading the pro-life message through activism, education, and helping women in need.

Knights for Rights
Knights for Rights is an activist club that works to spread awareness of current issues such as reproductive rights, Black Lives Matter, LGBTQ+ rights, pollution, domestic violence, disability awareness, sexual assault, discrimination; etcetera. We spread information on social media and through fliers/announcements on campus. We work with other campus organizations to host events and peaceful protests or demonstrations in support of these ideals.

Marian Alliance
The Marian Alliance is a club open to all Marian University students that seeks to understand, support, and celebrate sexual orientation and gender identity in the community by focusing on the four core Franciscan sponsorship values of dignity of the individual, peace and justice, reconciliation, and responsible stewardship.

Marian Maniacs
The Marian Maniacs strive to build a culture that entices all students to get excited about everything Marian University. Our primary focus is to encourage all students to get involved and meet their peers through mutual excitement for our sports teams. We hope to provide a fun and outgoing environment that appeals to all Marian students and members of our great community.

National Alliance on Mental Illness
The National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) on campus is part of the NAMI family, the nation's largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to building better lives for the millions of Americans affected by mental health conditions. NAMI advocates for access to services, treatment, support, and research, and is steadfast in its commitment to raising awareness and building a community of hope for everyone.

National Association for Music Educators
The National Association for Music Education (NAfME), among the world's largest arts education organizations, is the only association that addresses all aspects of music education. NAfME advocates at the local, state, and national levels; provides resources for teachers, parents, and administrators; hosts professional development events; and offers a variety of opportunities for students and teachers.

National Honors Society of History
The Marian Chapter of Phi Alpha Theta is dedicated to the celebration and preservation of multi-cultural history. This organization works in union with the Department of Applied Social Sciences to promote historical education on the campus of Marian University.

National Society of Leadership and Success
The National Society of Leadership and Success' slogan, "We build leaders who make a better world." resonates with the goals that Marian University has for its students. This society is not only a great resume booster, but also a great way to be the best version of you that you can be.

The Organization for Social Work Students

The purpose of this organization shall be to form a reliable, helpful, and community of social workers on Marian University's campus. The Organization for Social Work Students will promote and recognize the values and ethics that are exhorted in the National Social Work Association (NASW). As a group, we will better serve and assist our Marian University and surrounding communities through service and aid while practicing and studying skills and abilities of the social work profession.

Pre-Health

Pre-Health is an organization focusing on exploring all pre-health professions at the undergraduate level while bringing different students together under a common interest in medicine.

Psychology Club

The purpose of the Psychology Club is to create an association in order to provide extra-curricular opportunities for students interested in the area of psychology, as well as to advance the science of psychology by sponsoring professional speakers, supporting student participation in undergraduate research conferences, and providing a vehicle for student interaction on the Marian campus and in the larger community.

Senior Class

The Senior Class organization represents the voice of first-time freshmen at Marian University to the Student Government Association. Led by an executive board, this group hosts service and social events throughout the year. Join us!

Sigma Delta Pi Alpha Alpha Chi

The purposes of this society are:

1. To honor those who attain excellence in the study of the Spanish language and in the study of the literature and culture of the Spanish-speaking peoples;
2. To honor those who have made the Hispanic contributions to modern culture better known in the English-speaking world;
3. To encourage college and university students to acquire a greater interest in and a deeper understanding of Hispanic culture;
4. To foster friendly relations and mutual respect between the nations of Hispanic speech and those of English speech;
5. To serve its membership in ways which will contribute to the attainment of the goals and ideals of the society.

Sigma Zeta

Based upon academic achievements, members are selected for the Gamma Eta Chapter of Sigma Zeta. Sigma Zeta is a selective national undergraduate honor society that strives to encourage research and scholarship. Gamma Eta Chapter at Marian University offers career development and networking resources. Members have the opportunity to attend exclusive social events, national meetings, and gain volunteer experience that incorporate the fields of mathematics and science.

Sophia Club

The Sophia Club is affiliated with the Department of Theology and Philosophy and is committed to educating, discussing, and providing fellowship of theology- and philosophy-related topics.

Sophomore Class
As representatives of the sophomore class, we ensure that the voices of second-year students are present in the Student Government Association. Additionally, we plan service and social events throughout the year.

Students for H.O.P.E.
Students for H.O.P.E. is a national organization comprised of individual chapters at colleges, universities, and high schools throughout the United States. Marian University's Students for H.O.P.E. is affiliated with the Maddog Strong Foundation, a 501 (c) (3) non-profit charity that engages in organ and tissue donation and transplantation education and registration.

Student Government Association
The Student Government Association (SGA) serves as the voice of the undergraduate student body. SGA focuses on representing and promoting student interests and student activities both on and off campus. SGA holds bi-weekly meetings every other Tuesday that are open to all students, faculty, and staff.

Student Nurses Association
The purpose of this organization is to contribute to nursing education in order to provide for the highest quality healthcare, to provide opportunities for students with a specific interest or concern to hear from current professionals, and to aid in the development of the whole person, and his/her professional role, and his/her responsibility for the healthcare of people in diverse communities.

Student Organization of Latinos (SOL)
The Student Organization of Latinos (SOL) strives to improve and enhance the educational experiences of Latino students at Marian University by implementing academic, cultural, and social programs designed to address Latino needs and further individual success.

Table Top Gaming Club
The Tabletop Gaming Club (TGC) is a group for students who enjoy any strategy, fantasy, cooperative, adventure, role-playing, or deck-building games.

Theta Phi Alpha
Theta Phi Alpha is a national women's social fraternity, and is a member of the National Panhellenic Conference. The mission of Theta Phi Alpha encompasses far more than providing a social network for college women. For more than 100 years, the sisters of Theta Phi Alpha have maintained a history rich in educational excellence, professional achievement, and a deep commitment to social service.

The Ultimate Frisbee Club
The purpose of The Ultimate Frisbee Club is to teach the rules, strategies, and other such details of the sport of Ultimate Frisbee through practices, drills, and games and to cultivate a community of sportsmanship, athleticism, competition, and fun.

Union for Black Identity
The purpose of this organization is to build community, cultivate differing cultures, and to create a family dynamic that involves Marian's campus, as well as our surrounding neighbors.

Versiti Leaders for Life
As an organization on Marian's campus, we will partner with Versiti Indiana Blood Center to empower volunteers to save lives through blood donation. Our club will host blood drives, encourage and educate others, and advocate for other health initiatives.

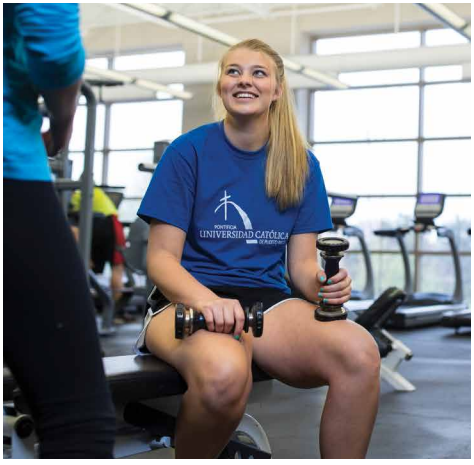
Young Americans for Freedom
The Young Americans for Freedom chapter at Marian University is dedicated to creating a college campus environment that advances and expresses the traditional American values and principles of personal responsibility, freedom of expression, right to bear arms, individual liberty, limited government, and the moral foundations of the Judaic ethic of Justice and the Christian ethic of Love. Through our organization, we plan to invite speakers, set up displays, and promote healthy dialogue and debate on campus to help nourish growth and knowledge in areas concerning social justice issues, political ideologies, and economic freedom.

M. Anne Haire
Memorial
Prayer Garden

Overview of Institutional Learning Outcomes

The Marian University undergraduate educational experience integrates the Catholic Franciscan intellectual tradition and our four Franciscan sponsorship values: dignity of the individual, peace and justice, reconciliation, and responsible stewardship with our degree-specific and general education curriculum. This experience is enriched with experiential learning activities from our athletic, co-curricular, internship, study abroad, and transformational leadership programming. Thus, Marian University aspires to cultivate graduates who will initiate opportunities to advance human flourishing by:

- Practicing the Franciscan sponsorship values and possessing a deep understanding of their ethical implications.
- Demonstrating the ability to solve problems in an inquisitive, thoughtful, creative, informed, and just manner.
- Applying exceptional listening, writing, critical reading, and oral communication skills to build and sustain relationships with others.
- Displaying respect for individual differences by embracing and learning from diverse cultures, perspectives, and traditions.
- Experiencing the practice of self-awareness and self-care focused on their physical, mental, and spiritual well-being.
- Exhibiting a high degree of proficiency in their disciplinary area and in the application of their learned expertise.



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Campus Offices and Resources

21st Century Scholars
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6330
marian.edu/21stcenturyscholars

In support of the mission and vision of Marian University, the Office of 21st Century Scholars is dedicated to enhancing the educational experience of scholars. Driven by excellence and quality, the Office of 21st Century Scholars aids in the creation, development, and implementation of programs and activities allowing scholars to reach their highest potential.

A sampling of services offered to 21st Century Scholars include:
- 21st Century Scholars lounge area equipped with snacks, microwave, study areas, and school supplies on the first floor of Clare Hall
- 21st Century Scholars staff that are dedicated to supporting scholars
- Career development, community engagement, and academic success programs

Academic Advising
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6577
marian.edu/academicadvising

Advising is a collaborative process that encourages students to take ownership of their academic experience by exploring dreams, identifying goals, and developing meaningful academic plans. Academic advisors provide advice and support to students as they navigate the path to academic success and graduation.

Academic Advisors:
- Serve as an accurate source of information about general education, program, and graduation requirements.
- Refer students to appropriate campus resources.
- Help advisees discover their strengths, skills, and abilities.
- Celebrate student success and challenge them to reach their full potential.
- Assist students as they design individual academic and post graduate plans.

Academic Engagement
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6595
marian.edu/academicengagement

To assist in your success, the Office of Academic Engagement offers a variety of services to help you meet your academic needs, including Peer Tutoring, Supplemental Instruction, Organized Study Groups, Student Success Seminars, and Academic Success Coaching. We focus on student-centered and student-led learning. From supplemental instruction

to peer tutoring, our purpose is to help you meet your academic goals in an educational, relaxed, and nonthreatening environment. All of our student leaders are specially trained to help you comprehend course material, apply new study strategies, and effectively prepare for exams.

Peer Tutoring
Marian University's peer tutoring program is a free resource and service offered through the Office of Academic Engagement. The goal is to help students develop the confidence and skills necessary to be successful. The Peer Tutor Center is located on the first floor of Clare Hall. Tutoring is provided on a one-on-one basis or in small groups. Services are offered for most entry-level courses and some upper-level courses.

Academic Success Coaching
Academic success coaches are professional staff members who meet one-on-one with students. The purpose is to help students develop action plans and identify necessary steps to facilitate academic success. Based on a student's needs, success coaches explore topics such as study strategies, learning preferences, time management, goal setting, academic and student support resources, and campus engagement.

Success Seminars
Each semester, the Office of Academic Engagement offers a series of workshops designed to aid in student success. These 50-minute sessions are high-energy, informative, and interactive.

Athletic Academic Support
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6471

This office works directly with student-athletes to provide comprehensive academic support. This includes, but is not limited to, meeting with student-athletes one-on-one, monitoring NAIA and institutional eligibility, and connecting student-athletes to campus resources.

Bookstore
Alumni Hall | 317.955.6314
marian.edu/bookstore

At the Marian University Bookstore, you will find textbooks, course materials, and school supplies, as well as Marian apparel, accessories, and gifts.

Business Office
Marian Hall, Room 103 | 317.955.6020 or 800.952.3917
marian.edu/tuitionandfees
busoff@marian.edu

Through the Business office, you can manage your balance, set up a payment plan, and find help with all questions regarding paying for Marian, adding a Person Proxy, and completing KnightQuest.

Student account balances can be managed and paid through MUHUB under the Student Finance tab or with cash or check in-person at the Business Office. In MUHUB, you can also set up a payment plan each semester and receive any refunded amounts within the Payment and Refund Options tab.

Students may grant 'person proxy' access to an individual to access certain aspects of their student MUHUB account. Common person proxies may include a parent or guardian, a spouse, or a family member.

Proxy access can permit designated individuals to view billing information, view financial aid information, and/or view student grade information. A student chooses which information to grant proxy access. This can all be set up within User Options under View/Add Proxy Access in MUHUB.

Campus Ministry
Oldenburg Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6566
marian.edu/campusministry

Committed to serving all in their spiritual journey, Campus Ministry creates an environment for students to find faith-filled answers to the big questions of life: "Who am I? What are my most deeply felt values? Do I have a mission or purpose in life? Why am I in college? What kind of person do I want to become? What sort of world do I want to create?"

Led by a passionate staff and student leaders, Campus Ministry creates outreach, spiritual formation, and fellowship opportunities that meet people where they are, reveal God, and call for a response. We do so by empowering faith-filled leaders who are discerning, developing, and discipling.

Campus Ministry offers daily Mass, service opportunities, prayer services, retreats, and leadership experiences that will help students find faith-filled answers in a supportive community.

Campus Safety
Paul J. Norman Center | 317.955.6789
marian.edu/campussafety

The Marian University Police Department provides 24-hour-a-day patrol protection to the campus, including parking lots and residence halls. Marian University police officers are vested with full law enforcement powers and responsibilities. All officers that are employed by Marian University are required to be certified graduates of the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy.

The Marian University Police Department is responsible for a full range of public safety services, including all crime reports, investigations, medical emergencies, fire emergencies, traffic accidents, enforcement of laws regulating underage drinking, the use of controlled substances, weapons, and all other incidents requiring police assistance.

Marian University highly encourages all students to download the Campus Shield app on their smartphones and other devices. This allows the Marian University Police Department to quickly communicate emergency alerts with students and enables students to share their location with police when in need of emergency assistance.

CANVAS
marian.edu/canvas

CANVAS is the learning management system in use at Marian University. Students will use this online platform to review course content and complete assignments. It provides multiple avenues of communication and collaboration between faculty and students. CANVAS can be accessed through the MyMarian portal at the link above.

Center for Academic Success and Engagement (CASE)
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6376

The Center for Academic Success and Engagement includes a variety of services and offices that will help you succeed both within and outside of the classroom. Within CASE, you will find services provided through Academic Advising, Academic Engagement, Academic Support Services, 21st Century Scholars, and First-Year Experience.

Counseling and Consultation Services
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6150
marian.edu/counselingservices

The Counseling and Consultation Services (CCS) office at Marian University offers experienced professionals who can help you explore many different concerns. At CCS we realize anxiety, depression, and a host of other personal struggles can often prevent students from obtaining their full potential. Many students also visit CCS to explore life transitions, social, academic, and career concerns. To help students overcome obstacles and achieve a healthy well-being, CCS provides individual and group counseling, career counseling, outreach and consultation, and crisis services.

Dining Services
Clare Hall, First Floor
317.955.6410
marian.edu/dining

When dining at Marian University, you will have access to four convenient locations on campus with plenty of options. All full-time residential and commuter students are required to have a meal plan, which are outlined in detail at **marian.campusdish.com**.

Alumni Hall
The perfect avenue when you're undecided. Alumni Hall features Starbucks Café, Oath Pizza, and Knight's Table, serving breakfast, lunch, dinner, and snacks.

Dining Commons
This all-you-care-to-eat location, accessible via Clare Hall and the Physical Education Center, provides unlimited variety. With options to mix and match, you can try something new while you dine with friends.

P.O.D. Market
Whether you're looking for a quick snack, school supplies, or household essentials, P.O.D. Market, located in the Michael A. Evans Center for Health Sciences, has you covered.

SUBWAY®
Our campus SUBWAY®, located in the Paul J. Norman Center, is the perfect place to enjoy sandwiches, soups, and salads made just the way you like them.

Drew Family Health and Fitness Center
317.955.6071
marian.edu/health-and-wellness/fitness-center

Enjoy Marian's bright, spacious fitness center for students, faculty, and staff. The fitness center features more than 9,000 square feet stocked with equipment including power racks, power plates, hand weights, treadmills, elliptical machines, stationary bikes, spin bikes, and stair climbers. All cardio equipment has a monitor that connects to Netflix, Hulu, and other popular apps. Visit our website for updated weekly hours.

The Exchange
Mother Theresa Hackelmeier Memorial Library, First Floor | 317.955.6500
marian.edu/exchange

The work of The Exchange centers on promoting Experience that Matters: connecting students to learning opportunities of all types (internships, applied research, special projects) to help them hone their communication, problem-solving, team-building, and leadership skills. The Exchange also teaches students how to effectively translate their activities, achievements, and demonstrated abilities to advance their professional goals.

Specifically, The Exchange can assist with:
- Career exploration
- Networking opportunities
- Employer relations
- Career fairs and on-campus recruiting
- Mock interviews
- Job/internship search assistance
- Resume, cover letter, personal statement review
- LinkedIn and professional online presence
- Professional dress and etiquette; workplace expectations

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a federal law designed to protect the privacy of students' educational records. It applies to schools that receive funds through a United States Department of Education program including federal financial aid. FERPA applies to all Marian-enrolled students regardless of their age, whether they reside outside the United States, or if they receive financial aid. Marian follows FERPA guidelines regarding the privacy, release, and access of students' education record.

Family Engagement Team
317.955.6354
marian.edu/families

The Family Engagement Team looks forward to collaborating with the parents, grandparents, guardians, siblings, and friends of our Marian students so that we can ensure the best quality educational experience for them. Whether you have a question on how to support your student or you want to visit our beautiful campus for an event, head over to our website for more information or contact us at families@marian.edu. We hope to see you on campus this fall for our Family Weekend!

Financial Aid
Marian Hall, Room 119 | 317.955.6040
marian.edu/financialaid

The Office of Financial Aid is available to provide assistance to students with scholarships, grants, FAFSA, work-study, federal loans, private loans, and financial counseling.

First-Year Experience
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6354 | fye@marian.edu

First-Year Experience at Marian University is committed to supporting students and families during their transition to Marian and throughout their first year. We host New Student Orientation, Welcome Week, and other programming during your first year. You will also engage with us through your First-Year Seminar class, which is designed to help you get off to a great start on your Marian University journey.

International Student Success and Global Engagement
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6670
marian.edu/isss

International Student Success and Global Engagement provides programs, services, and orientation to support international students and help them become familiar with the university and community. They also advise in matters regarding how international students can maintain their immigration status, including but not limited to passports, visas, employment issues, academics, and other concerns of the international student.

Intramurals and Wellness
317.955.6071

Intramural sports are organized programs that allow students, faculty, and staff to participate in team, dual, and individual sports activities. Intramurals promote wellness, the opportunity for physical activity, fellowship, and sportsmanship.

Current sports offered are basketball, cornhole, flag football, ultimate frisbee, volleyball, and dodgeball.

IT Help Desk
Marian Hall, Room 301 | 317.955.6444
marian.edu/it

The mission of IT Help Desk is to support the technological needs of the student, faculty, and staff populations of Marian University. If you are in need of assistance, you may visit them on the third floor of Marian Hall or call them during business hours. You may also submit a ticket at any time at **helpdesk.marian.edu**.

Students will have access to Wifi on campus using computers, phones, and tablets by logging into MU-Secure with their university credentials. Students wishing to connect a smart TV, gaming console, or other multimedia devices can request a media key at **marian.edu/it**.

As a student, you will be able to download and install Office 365 applications for free, including Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, OneNote, and Access. The link to download can be found on MyMarian under Office 365 for Students.

Connect
Connect hosts online pages for all of Marian's clubs and student organizations. Additionally, this online resource is the home to the events and activities calendar, as well as additional resources and news for getting involved on campus. Learn more at **marian.edu/connect**.

MUHUB
Download MUHUB, the official Marian University app, on your Apple or Android device. MUHUB provides quick and easy access to your student information, campus maps, news, events, and more. Future Knights can submit their enrollment deposit, access their financial aid offer, and register for classes after attending Orientation. Students can also access the MUHUB at **hub.marian.edu**.

MyMarian
MyMarian is an online portal which houses the links for all of the virtual resources accessible to Marian students, including: CANVAS, MUHUB, Connect, KnightWork, Microsoft Office 365, email, Helpdesk, and additional useful links for students. Learn more at **marian.edu/mymarian**.

Knightro's Pantry
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6376

Knightro's Pantry is a food pantry on campus that is free to use for Marian students facing food insecurity. A variety of non-perishable foods are available to students. Knightro's Pantry is accessible from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. on weekdays when the university is open.

Latino Leadership Initiative
Oldenburg Hall, First Floor

Marian University's Latino Leadership Initiative seeks to raise educational achievement among Latinos by infusing schools with transformational mentors; building a network of support; creating a center of faith, life, and culture; providing radical access to, and comprehensive support during, higher education; and expanding the resources necessary to accomplishing these ambitious goals.

Mother Theresa Hackelmeier Memorial Library
317.955.6090
marian.edu/library

The Mother Theresa Hackelmeier Memorial Library strives to provide the facilitation of active, collaborative research by students and faculty. It is a destination in which the library becomes an extension of the classroom, cultivating interdisciplinary thinking, learning, and resource-sharing in a safe, collegiate atmosphere.

Library users are welcome to browse our various collections and claim their preferred study space for quiet reading on the third floor, and share their notes and thinking via our dry erase boards in our second-floor collaborative study space. While waiting for class or tutoring provided by our Writing Center, hop on one of our fit desks located on the first floor. Above all, be sure to ask questions of library staff to ensure you have the resources needed to enhance your study and academic growth.

Nina Mason Pulliam EcoLab

The Nina Mason Pulliam EcoLab is committed to education about the environment through interaction with the environment. The EcoLab property is a 55-acre natural area on the Marian University campus where environmental restoration began 100 years ago with esteemed landscape architect, Jens Jensen and continues today with Marian students, K-12 school groups, and the general public.

Marian University students and faculty use the EcoLab in their classes as a site for hands-on experiences in the natural environment. It also provides a great location for undergraduate research and for internships in ecological restoration and environmental education.

Personalized Learning Center
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6540
marian.edu/plc

Marian University, through policy and practice, is committed to providing equitable access to learning opportunities for all students. In the Catholic, Franciscan tradition, we celebrate the dignity of each individual to ensure all students, including those with disabilities, have equal access and opportunities as Marian Knights.

At Marian University, we are committed to supporting students with all different types of disabilities and diagnoses, including permanent and temporary. Applying for accommodations is easy and can be started by visiting the PLC website at **marian.edu/plc**.

A student may request an accommodation at any time throughout the course of their academic career, but it is best to initiate the accommodation process as early as possible as it may take time to complete the process and accommodations are not implemented retroactively.

The Personalized Learning Center staff, along with students and faculty, engage in an individual interactive process to ensure accommodations are set up in a reasonable and supportive manner. Examples include, but are not limited to:

- Extending test time
- Reduced distraction testing environment
- Preferential seating
- Notetaking technology
- Assistive technology (magnifier, screed readers, speech to text software)
- Enlarged text
- Housing
- Sign language interpreting
- Captioned material

Registrar
Marian Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6050 | regis@marian.edu
marian.edu/registrar

The Office of the Registrar provides assistance with registration, change of major, change of advisor, course drop/add, transfer credit, certification for VA benefits, official transcripts, degree audits, and graduation clearance.

Residential and Commuter Life
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6318
marian.edu/housing

College is a time for self-exploration and preparing for your future. It is also a time for you to meet new people, develop lifelong friendships, and begin building a professional network. The convenience of living on campus, freedom from most domestic responsibilities, and opportunities to live, learn, and connect with others makes living on campus a great option.

Our approach to housing allows you to begin your university experience in traditional student housing with resident assistants (or RAs). As you progress through your undergraduate or graduate program, you will have opportunities to move into more independent living spaces each year. If you have questions, call 317.955.6318 or visit **marian.edu/housing**.

Speaking Studio
Clare Hall, Lower Level, Room 018 | 317.955.6048 | speakingstudio@marian.edu
marian.edu/speakingstudio

Feeling anxious about an upcoming presentation? Unsure how to structure a research talk? Still confused about what to do with your hands? Visit the Marian University Speaking Studio for a one-on-one consultation and learn how to effectively communicate your ideas and expertise.

As the university continues to grow, the studio is ever mindful of its mission to support the entire Marian University community in strengthening its oral presentation skills. Today, our goal is to better serve everyone connected with our campus. This means that students, faculty, and community members are encouraged to make use of the studio.

Student Activities
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6638
marian.edu/studentactivities

The Office of Student Activities is responsible for advising student organizations, planning campus events, and providing leadership opportunities to students. We are here to help you get involved on campus and connected to the Marian community. Want to receive a personalized email with student organizations matched to your interests? Fill out the Involvement Calculator in Connect and get involved!

Student Health Center
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6154
marian.edu/health

Health management for Marian University students includes assessment, treatment, and education. Students with health insurance are expected to present their card upon arrival. All students will receive services regardless of insurance. Each visit requires a $10 co-pay, even if your insurance co-pay is greater than that amount. Our goal is to make the health center place students can get the answers and support needed to feel better and resume full engagement in coursework and campus life.

Health and wellness education is also emphasized, as this is an important element toward optimal wellness. The Student Health Center outreach programs include Wellness Wednesdays on CONNECT, pop-up tables bi-monthly in the Dining Commons, Student Health Fairs each fall semester and spring semester, and Love on a Leash the first Wednesday of the month.

When a student is seen in the health center or by their healthcare provider and unable to attend class, documentation is shared with the dean of students. A message documenting this will be sent to the faculty of that student. This does not excuse the student from completing assignments or future classes, however, faculty are asked to accommodate the student as appropriate relative to the missed class and time to complete missed work.

Study Abroad
317.955.6026 | abroad@marian.edu
marian.edu/studyabroad

Marian University recognizes the importance of all study abroad opportunities in contributing to the intellectual and spiritual development of students. The university values study abroad as a way to enhance the student's appreciation of global communities. We believe that these programs offer one of the best ways to explore first-hand the rich complexities of diverse cultures and civilizations around the world.

Students from all disciplines—from the traditional liberal arts majors to those specializing in the areas of professional studies—are strongly encouraged to participate. With careful planning, these off-campus study abroad opportunities can be some of the most enjoyable and satisfying educational experiences for the student.

Title IX
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marian.edu/title-ix

Marian University supports Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, which prohibits discrimination based on gender in educational programs receiving federal financial assistance. Title IX also protects students and employees both male and female, from unlawful sexual harassment, (unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature, unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal, nonverbal, or physical conduct of a sexual nature). Sexual harassment also includes sexual violence (sexual assault, battery, or coercion; rape), in school programs and activities.

Individuals with questions or concerns regarding monitoring of compliance or those who wish to file a complaint of non-compliance may contact the university's Title IX coordinator or deputy Title IX coordinator. Reporting forms are available here. Information about the Office of Civil Rights and Title IX compliance can be found at **ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr**.

Unity Center
Clare Hall, First Floor | 317.955.6572

The Unity Center welcomes all students, faculty, staff, and Marian community members, while specifically supporting and celebrating marginalized communities. It is home to the multicultural student organizations. The center was created to further the vision of the university, developing and creating strong, more culturally competent transformative leaders in their service to the world.

Writing Center
Mother Theresa Hackelmeier Memorial Library, First Floor
317.955.6244 | writingcenter@marian.edu
marian.edu/writingcenter

Whether you'd like to sound out ideas before writing them down, discuss strategies for organizing and developing written thoughts, or want extra help in charting revisions and edits, Marian University Writing Center tutors are eager to work with you.

The Writing Center is pleased to offer a range of services, including Spanish language-writing tutorials, writing workshops, online tutorials, and graduate student tutorials.

Thank you for taking time to join us on campus for Orientation! We hope you've had a great experience so far at Marian University and we look forward to seeing you again during Welcome Week. If you have any questions in the meantime, please feel free to reach out to us or to any of our campus offices.

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