

# BEARKAT BOUND

## Bearkat Orientation

**[Click Here for Online Orientation!](#)**  
**[\(Current Students Only\)](#)**

All incoming freshmen students needing to complete the orientation requirement will be emailed instructions to their SHSU Email Address as soon as online orientation opens. We encourage you to continue to complete the [Accepted Student Checklist](#).

Bearkat Orientation is here to help you succeed in your transition. Sam Houston State University's Bearkat Orientation program is a wonderful opportunity to get questions answered and get started navigating the logistics associated with starting college or transferring from one school to another. It is also an opportunity to make friends and have FUN! The Bearkat Orientation Program hosts organized, purposeful, and positive introduction sessions for all new SHSU students and their families.

### Bearkat Orientation

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## Freshman Orientation

All 2017 - 2018 high school graduates are  
REQUIRED to attend (transfer hours do not count)

## Transfer Orientation

Optional for all students who graduated high  
school BEFORE the 2017-2018 academic year

Freshman Session Dates	Registration Status	Transfer Session Dates	Registration Status
January 10 <sup>th</sup> (Spring Admits Only)	Closed	January 10 <sup>th</sup> (Spring Admits Only)	Closed
Thursday, June 7 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, June 8 <sup>th</sup>	Closed	Friday, August 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Closed
Thursday, June 14 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, June 15 <sup>th</sup>	Closed	Friday, August 17 <sup>th</sup>	Closed
Thursday, June 21 <sup>st</sup> – Friday, June 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Closed		
Thursday, June 28 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, June 29 <sup>th</sup>	Closed		
Thursday, July 12 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 13 <sup>th</sup>	Closed		
Thursday, July 19 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 20 <sup>th</sup>	Closed		
Thursday, July 26 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 27 <sup>th</sup>	Closed		

### Accepted Students & Bearkat Orientation

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