



Chapel Hall at Gallaudet University

Jumpstart 2011

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Welcome to Gallaudet University!

By Darian Burwell, Director

You will get a true “JumpStart” on your Gallaudet experience this summer being involved in Academic Success or the New Signers program.

The program is designed for students like you who want to improve their signing skills or learning strategies in English and Math. You will also have the opportunity to learn more about Gallaudet University, Deaf Culture, and Washington, D.C.

We will have faculty, staff, peer counselors, interns, graduate assistants, and tutors here at JumpStart. We also have tri-lingual and voice interpreters throughout orientation along with Computer Assisted Realtime Translation (CART) services. We are expecting over 60 new signers and academic success students.



Ms. Darian Burwell

Quote:

Teachers open the door,
but you must enter by
yourself.

-- Chinese Proverb

More inside!

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We felt it was important that you have a newsletter so we can prepare you better before your arrival at Gallaudet University. You will receive a bi-weekly newsletter with program news where you can share with your family and friends. So, do not be surprised to see a lot of pictures taken and potential interviews by us during JumpStart!

I will wait until the next newsletter to share more! You can always email us at jumpstart@gallaudet.edu with any questions you may have.

Have a great summer!

Dawn Burwell

Where to go on Arrival Day?

- 1) Get your Student ID Card from Department of Public Safety @ Carlin Hall
- 2) Check in your dorm room @ Benson Hall
- 3) Go to Multiple Purpose Room @ Jordan Student Academic Center

**Campus Map
inside!**

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Buy your Gallaudet gear!

Visit our Bison Shop!

Welcome to Gallaudet University!

We are glad you are here for Jumpstart 2011!

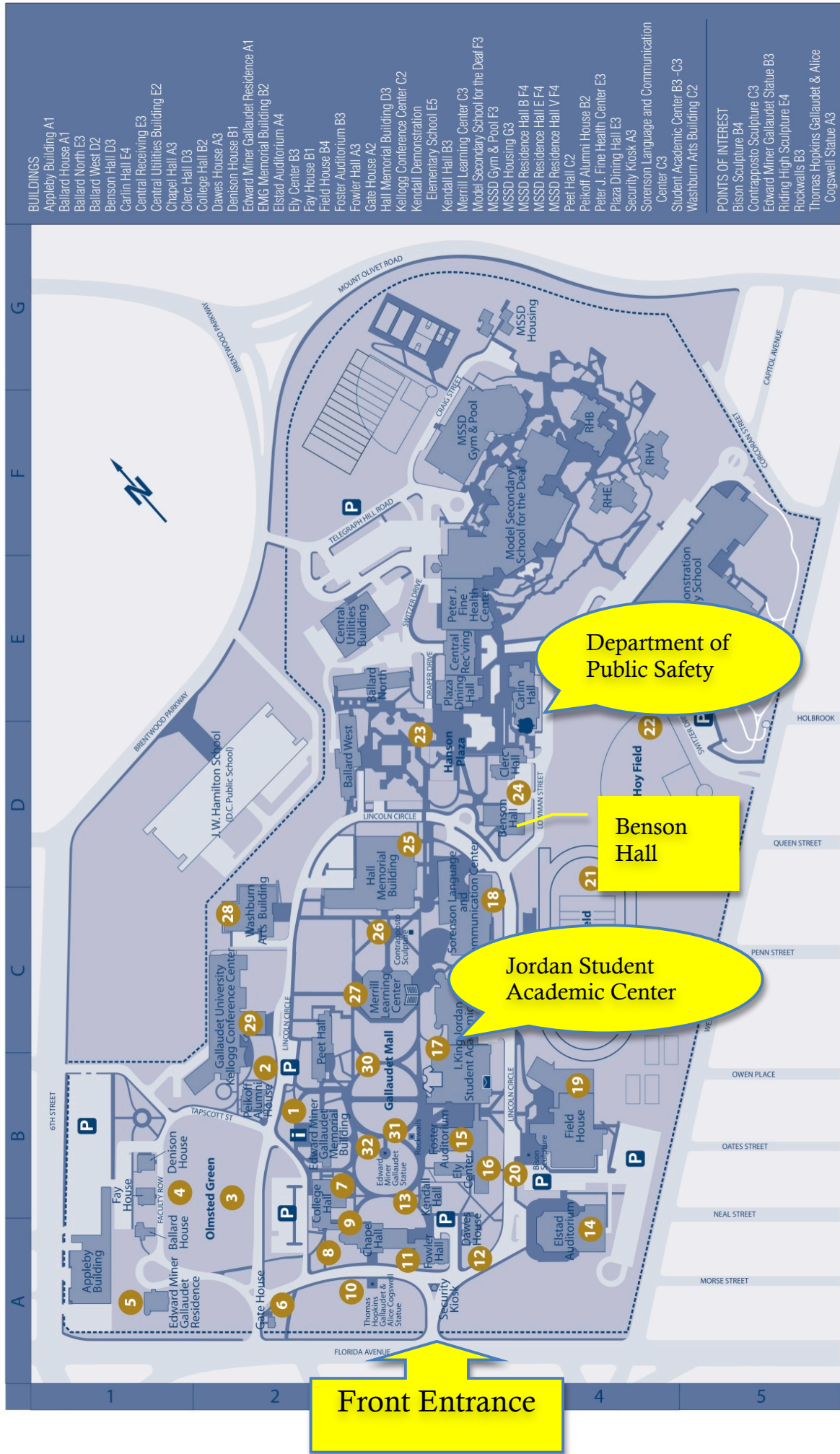
Be sure to pick up a discount coupon of **20%** from Orientation booth at Multi-Purpose Room.

Come and visit us at our Bison Shop!



Gallaudet University Campus Map

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Are you ready?

Student success is where preparation and opportunity meet. The opportunity is now to complete four things before your arrival at Jumpstart 2011 on July 18, 2011.

- 1.** Complete and submit your Jumpstart Registration Form, Health Form, and Housing contract.
- 2.** Get your Bison Email account!
- 3.** Complete your American Sign Language Placement Test online at my.gallaudet.edu.
- 4.** Pay your JumpStart fee!
- 5.** Bring a copy of audiogram for WMATA SmartCard!

If you have any questions, email us at jumpstart@gallaudet.edu.

What to Bring?

Toiletries

- Toothbrush/Toothpaste
- Combs/Brushes
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Deodorant
- Soap
- Shower sandals/Flip-flops
- Towels/Washcloths
- Laundry Bag/Detergent

Linens

- Comforter
- Mattress pad
- Sheet sets (twin extra long)
- Blanket
- Pillow(s)/Pillowcases

Desk

- Desk lamp
- Pencil holder
- Message Board
- Wastebasket

Miscellaneous

- Flashlight
- Umbrella/Raincoat
- Surge protector
- Backpack
- Alarm Clock
- Clothes Hangers
- Refrigerator (4.5 cubic feet)
- Television/DVD
- Swimsuits

JumpStart 2011: Academic Success Orientation Week

July 17-23, 2011

Day/Time	Monday 18	Tuesday 19	Wednesday 20	Thursday 21	Friday 22
8:00 am	Breakfast	Breakfast w/Instructors	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
9:00 am	Arrival Day Check-In @Multi-Purpose Room (MPR)	English Placement Testing @ SAC 1213 & 1214	Review JS Program @ SAC 1011	Tutorial Instruction Program L. Williams @ SAC 1011	Deaf Reach Earl Terry @ MPR
10:00 am			Smartrip Card/Orientation @ SAC 1011	What do you do if you are home sick? @ SLCC 1302-04	Free Time
11:00 am				Keeping the Promise @ SAC 1011	
12:00 pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:00 pm	Welcome Presentation -Faces of JS & Gallaudet Staff @ A. Foster Auditorium -Team Building (2 pm to 3 pm) @ MPR	Math Placement Testing @ SAC 1213 & 1214	Costa Rica Touria Boren @ SAC 1011	Off-Campus: Amazing Race @ outside of SLCC building	Service Learning Haiti @ LCB 111 (Library)
2:00 pm			Admissions Staff @ SAC 1011		
3:00 pm	HSLs Tour Matt Bake @ SLCC 2 nd floor	ASLPT @ SAC 1213 & 1214	Office of Student Conduct Carl Pramuk @ SAC 1011		
4:00 pm	Residence Life/ Point System Clayton Ide @ SAC 1011	Free Time	Drug & Alcohol Policy Carl Pramuk @ SAC 1011		
5:00 pm	Residence Life Tour Clayton Ide @ Benson Hall		Free Time		
6:00 pm	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner @ Union Station	Dinner
7:00 pm	Get to know RAs/CREs @ Benson Hall Lobby	Ice Cream Social @ Ely Patio Area	Movie	Improv Nicka Noble @ SLCC Atrium	Free Time

JumpStart 2011: New Signers Orientation Week

July 17-23, 2011

Day/Time	Monday 18	Tuesday 19	Wednesday 20	Thursday 21	Friday 22
8:00 am	Breakfast	Breakfast w/Instructors	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
9:00 am	Arrival Day <i>Check-In @Multi-Purpose Room (MPR)</i>	ASL Screening @ SLCC 1302 & 2303	Review JS Program @ SAC 1011	Tutorial Instruction Program L. Williams @ SAC 1011	Free Time
10:00 am		English Placement Testing @ SAC 1213 & 1214	Smarttrip Card/ Orientation @ SAC 1011	Keeping the Promise @ SAC 1011	Peer Health Advocates
10:30 am				Free Time	
11:00 am	Meet w/GIS				
12:00 pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:00 pm	Welcome Presentation -Faces of JS & Gaudet Staff @ A. Foster Auditorium -Team Building (2 pm to 3 pm) @ MPR	Math Placement Testing @ SAC 1213 & 1214	Costa Rica Touria Boren @ SAC 1011 Admission Office @ SAC 1011	Off-Campus: Amazing Race @ outside of SLCC building	Service Learning Haiti @ LCB 111 (Library)
2:00 pm					
3:00 pm	Residence Life Tour Clayton Ide @ Benson Hall		Office of Student Conduct Workshop Carl Pruamuk @ SAC 1011		
4:00 pm	Residence Life/Point System Clayton Ide @ SAC 1011	Free Time	Drug & Alcohol Policy Carl Pruamuk @ SAC 1011 Free Time		
5:00 pm	HSLT Tour Matt Bake @ SLCC 2 nd floor				
6:00 pm	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner @ Union Station	Dinner
7:00 pm	Get to know RAs/CREs @ Benson Hall Lobby	Ice Cream Social @ Ely Patio Area	Movie	Improv Nicka Noble @ SLCC Atrium	Free Time

JumpStart 2011 Family Orientation Program Schedule

(Subject to change)

Monday, July 18

9:00-11	Check-in and Registration	JSAC MPR
12-1:00	Welcome Lunch for students and families (no charge)	Hanson Cafeteria
1-2:00	Welcome Address	Andrew Foster Auditorium
2-3:00	JumpStart Program Overview Meet the faculty and staff	Andrew Foster Auditorium
3:30-4:30	Personal Discovery	JSAC MPR

Tuesday, July 19

9:30	Academic Advising/Tutorial Services	JSAC 1011 Theatre
10:00	Office of Students with Disabilities	JSAC 1011 Theatre
10:30	Business Services (Meals, Safety)	JSAC 1011 Theatre
11:00	Residence Life (Policies, Residence Halls)	JSAC 1011 Theatre
11:30	Student Accounts, Financial Aid	JSAC 1011 Theatre
12:00	Lunch on your own	
1:00	First Year Study Tour	JSAC 1011 Theatre
1:30	Hearing, Speech, and Language Services	JSAC 1011 Theatre
2:00	Student Health Services	JSAC 1011 Theatre
2:30	Career Center	JSAC 1011 Theatre
3:00	Break	JSAC 1011 Theatre
3:30	"Letting Go"	JSAC 1011 Theatre
4:15	Wrap Up and Evaluations	JSAC 1011 Theatre

Introducing the Jumpstart 2011 Staff



Andy Tao

JumpStart Coordinator
Student Success Specialist
Student Success



Jessica Crane

Technical/Support
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Introducing the Jumpstart 2011 Faculty and Instructors



Bradley Brown

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Jumpstart 2011 and Family Orientation
First Year Experience

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Introducing the Jumpstart 2011 Faculty and Instructors



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Introducing the Jumpstart 2011 Faculty and Instructors



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Maria Waters

Family Orientation Program Coordinator

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Director of First Year Experience

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Introducing the JumpStart 2011 Peer Counselors & Interns



Bethany Baker

Class: Junior
Major: History
Home: Florida



Christopher Langan

Class: Sophomore
Major: Computer Science
Home: Maryland



Nicole Noble

Class: Senior
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Class: Senior
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Introducing the JumpStart 2011 Peer Counselors & Interns



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Jerry Sears

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Class: Senior
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Buff and Blue Wednesday

Gallaudet University has a tradition, the Buff and Blue Wednesday. This tradition is to urge everyone to wear our school colors, Buff and Blue and/or any Gallaudet gear (You can buy them at our Bison Shop). It is an outlet for our students, staff and faculty to show how proud they are of Gallaudet University!



**Safe Travels
&
See you all on
July 18!**