



## GEORGETOWN PREPARATORY SCHOOL

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# Freshman Orientation Schedule

### Day 1

Thursday, August 27, 2026

- **8:15 a.m. Welcome & Opening Prayer**
  - Location: Chapel
  - Presenting: Dean Hilgartner  
Fr. Van Dyke, S.J.  
Headmaster Mr. Glennon  
Sam Pentz '27 President of the Yard
- **8:45 a.m. Profile of an Ignatian Parent & FAQ**
  - Location: Chapel
  - Presenting: Dr. Napolitano and Dr. Maginnis
- **9:00 a.m. What is a Hoya?**
  - Location: MPR (Hanley Center)
  - Presenting: Dean Hilgartner
- **9:15 a.m. Academic Life at Prep**
  - Location: MPR (Hanley Center)
  - Presenting: Dr. Maginnis
  - Technology
  - Understanding your class schedule
- **10:00 a.m. Snack/Break with Advisory Groups and Big Brothers**
  - Location: MPR
  - Debrief with the Big Brothers
- **10:30 a.m. Rock, Paper, Scissors Tournament**
  - Location: MPR
  - Presenting: Associate Dean Ryan Eskow
- **11:00 a.m. Campus Tour**
  - Campus Tour with Big Brothers
- **11:30 a.m. Lunch with Advisory Groups & Big Brothers**
  - Location: South Room
  - Presenting: Big Brothers
- **12:00 p.m. Closing Remarks**
  - Location: MPR (Hanley Center)
  - Presenting: Dean Hilgartner
  - Student Handbooks
- **12:15 p.m. Student Pickup**
  - George Center Circle



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### Day 2

Friday, August 28, 2026

- **8:15 a.m. Breakfast**
  - Location: South Room
  - Presenting: Dean Hilgartner
- **9:00 a.m. Schedule Walkthrough**
  - With help from the Big Brothers, students will find their classroom and meet their teachers.
- **11:00 a.m. Lunch**
  - Location: South Room
- **12:00 p.m. Health and Wellness**
  - Location: MPR (Hanley Center)
  - Presenting: Dr. Napolitano
- **12:30 p.m. Advisory Meeting**
  - Students will meet in their Advisory Groups
- **1:15 p.m. Mass**
  - Location: Chapel
  - Celebrant: Fr. Van Dyke, S.J.