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Congratulations on your admission to Colby, and welcome to campus.

The faculty, students, and staff are excited to meet you, answer your questions, and share their Colby experiences. I hope you and your family will make the most of today by exploring our beautiful campus and meeting as many members of the community as you can.

We have a full day planned for you to get to know more about Colby. I encourage you to attend all of the classes that interest you. Don’t hesitate to strike up conversations with people you meet. Colby students are enthusiastic and friendly, and they’d love to give you reasons to join them here on the Hill.

Definitely plan to check out the Spotlight on Teaching sessions to learn more about what members of our faculty are doing for research and how they are involving students in the process. Please ask them questions—they’ll be happy to tell you more about student-faculty collaboration. You can also learn about the Career Center, study-abroad options, the advising system, and more by attending scheduled sessions throughout the day. And make sure to visit the Colby Museum of Art—it’s the best college art museum in the country.

Have lunch in Roberts Dining Hall (AKA Bobs), and then wrap up the day with students, faculty, and staff over locally made ice cream. If you’re staying overnight, we have many other great opportunities for you to meet your future classmates and have some fun.

I hope that, at the end of your visit, you are as impressed by Colby as I was when I attended this day for prospective students four years ago.

Best,

Justin Deckert ‘15
President
Student Government Association
# OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULE

Much like a Colby education, there is no one-size-fits-all approach to your day. You are free to pick and choose, focusing on offerings that are of most interest to you. Sit in on sessions together or divide and conquer, but we hope at day’s end, you will have a sense of the broad scope and depth of a Colby experience.

Please note: Start times are generally on the half-hour, but some classes and panels begin or end on the quarter hour.

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- For Students
- For Families
- For Everyone
- For First Semester Abroad Students and Families

**Room**
- Diamond Atrium
- Given Auditorium
- Ostrove Auditorium
- Page Commons
- Parker-Reed Room
- Pugh Center
- Pulver Pavilion Patio
- Reading Room
- Silberman Lounge

**Building**
- Diamond Building
- Bixler Art and Music Center
- Diamond Building
- Cotter Union
- Schair-Swenson-Watson Alumni Center
- Cotter Union
- Miller Library
- Cotter Union
PROGRAM DETAILS

8-8:45 a.m.
Registration and Coffee Reception
Pulver Pavilion, Cotter Union
Join current students, alumni, and staff for light refreshments prior to the start of the day.

9-9:45 a.m
Welcome and Opening Session
Lorimer Chapel
Deans, vice presidents, and students will share their thoughts about what makes Colby Colby and how it may be a good fit for you.

10 a.m. Options
Admissions Q&A
Pulver Pavilion, Cotter Union
If you have a quick question or need help deciding how to plan your day at Colby, stop by the registration table after the opening welcome. We're happy to help.

Attend a Class
See schedule for list and locations.

Campus Tour
Tours depart from the front of Lorimer Chapel.

Financial Aid
Lunder House (Admissions)
Individual appointments with financial aid staff are available throughout the day and can be made at registration, but this session on financing a Colby education may help answer your questions without an appointment.

First Semester Abroad
Silverman Lounge, Cotter Union
For students accepted to Colby's First Semester Abroad programs in Dijon and Salamanca and their families. Meet Director of Off-Campus Study Nancy Downey, FSA program directors, and several students who began their Colby careers abroad. Get answers to your questions, hear about students' experiences, and learn how past participants have transitioned to campus after their semester overseas.

General Information Session
Lorimer Chapel
If this is your first visit to campus, attending this information session is a great way to get a broad overview of Colby's programs and to help you choose which sessions to attend throughout the day.

Internships and Careers
Parker-Reed Room, Scharf-Swenson-Watson Alumni Center
It's never too early to start planning for your future. Join Career Center staff to learn more about job-shadowing and internship opportunities, our four-year career prep program, Colby Connect, and how our graduates have leveraged their liberal arts degrees into fulfilling and successful careers.

Spotlight on Teaching
Given Auditorium, Bixler Art and Music Center
While only students may sit in on actual classes, all are invited to attend these sessions featuring our faculty. A pair or trio of professors will discuss their research and areas of expertise and explain how research informs their teaching. These presentations will feature faculty from across all academic divisions.

10:30 a.m. Option
Student Research Exhibition
Atrium, Diamond Building
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Tour of the Museum of Art
Lobby, Colby College Museum of Art
The museum serves as a central site for intellectual engagement, artistic contemplation, and social activity. It is a primary teaching resource for the College and the greater community, using a spectacular collection for interdisciplinary study. As the finest college art museum in the country, it is a must-see.

Life at Colby: By Students, for Students
Page Commons, Cotter Union
Enjoy a candid opportunity to learn about the Colby experience from those who live it. Current students will talk about what they were looking for in a college and what they found at Colby. Learn about adjusting to the rigors of college-level work, living in residence halls, and getting involved on campus. Bring your questions and get the answers you need!
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Noon Options

Academic Support Services and Advising
Room 215, Lovejoy Building
What happens when students hit bumps in the road? Come learn about the advising process and the special services available to students for maximizing their academic potential. Hear from Assistant Professor of Psychology and Coordinator of Multicultural Student Programs and Support Joe Atkins, Associate Vice President for Student Affairs and Senior Associate Dean Barbara Moore, and Director of Colby’s Writing Program and Assistant Professor of Writing Stacey Sheriff.

Art Studio Tour (12:15 start)
Lobby, Colby Museum of Art
If you’re planning to take studio art classes, a tour of our studio spaces is in order. Join art faculty and students for a tour of the photography, foundations, painting, sculpture, and printmaking studios. You’ll also pass through lounges and halls where students display their work.

Attend a Class
See schedule for list and locations.

Green Colby
Room 117, Davis Science Center
As one of only four carbon-neutral colleges in the country, Colby takes being green seriously. This session will outline the various green initiatives underway by students and staff.

Lunch
Dining Hall, Roberts Building
Enjoy lunch with Colby faculty, staff, and students.

Lunchtime Concert (12:15 start)
Lobby, Colby College Museum of Art
The Colby College Museum of Art will host five student ensembles during the noon hour. Hear of some of our most talented musicians in an inspiring setting. Tour the museum either before or after.

Preprofessional Advising
Room 100, Lovejoy Building
Though you’re now an expert in applying to college, applying to law school and health professions schools after Colby will require a different approach and a new set of skills and prerequisites, which you could begin working on in your first semester. Hear from Career Center Associate Director Cate Talbot Ashton ’80 and Professor of Psychology Ed Yeterian, first-year health professions advisor, who support Colby students and graduates through the application process, and from current students on the pre-health track.

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Wellness at Colby (12:15 start)
Silverman Lounge, Cotter Union
Health and wellness, broadly defined, are important values of the Colby community. Panelists will talk about outreach, education, support, and services available to students. Meet student educators who encourage their peers to make smart and healthy choices and who help foster a safe and active campus community, and hear from staff in the health center, counseling center, and the Dean of Students Office.

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Study Abroad
Ostrove Auditorium, Diamond Building
Nearly 70 percent of Colby students opt to study away from campus at some point in their college years, most in foreign countries. Hear from current students about their experiences away and how they chose the right program for their academic and personal interests. Find out what they learned about the world and themselves and what they brought back to campus when they returned. Facilitated by Director of Off-Campus Study Nancy Downey.

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1 p.m. Options

The Arts at Colby
Lobby, Runnals Building
Learn about Colby’s vibrant arts community from students and faculty in theater and dance, visual arts, cinema studies, creative writing, and music.

Attend a Class
See schedule for list and locations.
Beyond Mayflower Hill: Community Service and Civic Engagement
Parker-Reed Room, Schair-Swenson-Watson Alumni Center

If you are passionate about volunteering and community service, we invite you to meet with students from the Colby Volunteer Center, mentors from Colby Cares About Kids, and others who are engaged in the community through College partnerships.

Campus Tour
Tours depart from the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid in Lunder House.

Diversity, Inclusion, and Social Justice
Pugh Center, Cotter Union

While our stories and backgrounds may shape us, our identities and perspectives are always in flux. College presents an amazing opportunity for self-discovery, but also for exploration and appreciation of differences. Come learn about the many programs that encourage understanding, dialogue, and support for social justice. Panelists will include Associate Dean of Students and Director of the Pugh Center Tashia Bradley, Associate Dean of Students Sue McDougal, and several Colby students.

Lunch
Dining Hall, Roberts Building

Enjoy lunch with Colby faculty, staff, and students.

Outdoor Education
Ostrove Auditorium, Diamond Building

Given our location in the great state of Maine, it’s no surprise that the Colby Outing Club (COC) is one of the largest student organizations on campus. In keeping with the outdoor ethos that permeates the campus, all first-year students participate in COOT (Colby Outdoor Orientation Trips). Director of Outdoor Programs Ryan Linehan, COC leaders, members of the Colby Mountaineering Club, and COOT leaders are ready to share stories of Colby outings near and far.

Student Engagement and Life at Colby
Page Commons, Cotter Union

As a residential campus, opportunities for learning abound in all corners of our community. Colby’s residence halls, student organizations, teams, and governance groups provide ample venues for leadership development and active citizenship. Panelists will include Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students Jim Terhune, Senior Associate Dean of Students and Director of Campus Life Jed Wartman, and several students.

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2 p.m. Options

Admissions Q&A
Reading Room, Miller Library
Do you still have questions or concerns? Stop by the newly renovated Miller Library reading room and ask one of the admissions staff members. We will be happy to help or direct you to others who can.

Athletics Center Tour
Lobby, Harold Alfond Athletic Center
Athletics staff members and students will be on hand to lead you through the athletic facilities, including the fitness center.

Attend a Class
See schedule for list and locations.

Spiritual Life at Colby
Room 215, Lovejoy Building
Spirituality, mindfulness, and faith are important in the lives of many Colby students. Meet the College chaplains and students who are part of religious life on campus. Learn about the Multi-Faith Council and how individual faiths are practiced at Colby and in the local community. Session will be lead by Dean of Religious and Spiritual Life Kurt Nelson and Instructor in Jewish Studies and Jewish Chaplain Rabbi Rachel Isaacs.

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2:30 p.m. Option

Ice Cream with Colby’s Community
Pulver Pavilion Patio, Cotter Union
Join current students, faculty, and staff for Maine’s take on an old-fashioned treat. [Inclement weather location: Page Commons, Cotter Union]

Please complete your event evaluation form (in your folder) for a chance to win Colby gear at the ice cream social.
11. 18 Below
Raw bar/grill/lounge
18 Silver Street
Waterville
207-861-4454

9. Amici’s Cucina
Italian cuisine
137 Main Street
Waterville
207-861-4440

13. Asian Café
Pan-Asian
53 Bay Street
Winslow
207-877-6688

9. Barrels Community Market
Locally sourced lunch and weekend brunch
74 Main Street
Waterville
207-660-4844

12. Big G’s Deli
Sandwich shop, huge portions
581 Benton Avenue
Winslow
207-873-7808

8. Buen Apetito
Mexican cuisine
4 Chaplin Street
Waterville
207-861-4449

11. Cancun Mexican Restaurant
Mexican cuisine
14 Silver Street
Waterville
207-872-7400

2. Early Bird Restaurant
Breakfast all day
37 Main Street
Oakland
207-465-9608

3. Pad Thai Too
Thai cuisine
400 Kennedy Memorial Drive
Waterville
207-859-8900

4. Quarry Road Recreation Area
Four-season recreation trails and events
200 Quarry Road
Waterville
207-660-4744

8. Railroad Square Cinema
Movie theater featuring independent films
17 Railroad Square
Waterville
207-873-6526

5. Joseph’s Fireside Steakhouse
Steak and seafood
99 W. River Road
Waterville
207-877-8325

11. The Last Unicorn
Fine dining
8 Silver Street
Waterville
207-873-9363

10. Mainely Brews
Pub and brewhouse
1 Post Office Square
Waterville
207-873-2457

7. Ming Lee
Chinese cuisine
Fine Tree Square
365 Main Street
Waterville
207-873-2828

6. Mirakuya
Japanese hibachi and sushi
JFK Plaza, 150 Kennedy Memorial Drive
Waterville
207-616-0088
LOCAL ACTIVITIES

2015 Maine Open Juried Art Show
April 13 and 20, 10 a.m.-7 p.m.
Waterville Public Library, 73 Elm Street

Now in its 25th year, the Maine Open Juried Art Show attracted 90 artists representing 50 Maine communities and a variety of media, including oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel, and other media.

Three Colors: White (Trois Couleurs: Blanc) (1994)
April 20, 7 p.m.
Waterville Opera House, One Common Street

A sly, brilliant cinema masterpiece about immigration of the heart and the soul, from one of the great filmmakers of all time.
91 min. In Polish, French, and Russian with English subtitles. Rated R.
Sponsored by Colby College Cinema Studies

Mary Chapin Carpenter with Special Guests Lúnasa
April 20, 7 p.m.
Waterville Opera House, One Common Street

Five-time Grammy Award-winning singer-songwriter and 2012 Nashville Songwriters Hall of Fame inductee Mary Chapin Carpenter will perform an intimate acoustic show.