

# LAFAYETTE COLLEGE ORIENTATION MOBILE APP

Guidebook is a mobile app used by Lafayette's Division of Campus Life to share information about the annual new student orientation program and helpful resources for students to utilize as they become new members of the Lafayette community. Parents and students are encouraged to download Guidebook to familiarize themselves with what to prepare before arriving on campus, the orientation schedule, review important information and resources, and receive important notifications, live during orientation. The Guidebook will be available for the first few weeks of the semester before it is hidden for development for the next year's orientation program.

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## Mobile App

Guidebook works best on a mobile app. With most events, you'll be on the go and want to have your schedule and maps available to you within easy reach. Just visit your device's app store and search for "Guidebook Event". The logo looks like the image to the right. Alternatively, you can visit <http://guidebook.com/getit> in a web browser, which will prompt you with a QR code to capture with your mobile device.



The mobile app also helps Lafayette College meet our [sustainability initiatives](#) by reducing the amount of paper and supplies that are used to conduct events on our campus.

# Using the Guidebook Mobile App

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## Finding an Event

Event organizers will provide participants with information on how to join an event. The invitation may come from an email message and/or from information posted on the orientation website and may include a QR code or web link. You may also be able to search for an event by name if the event organizer has created the guide as a public guidebook.



## Special Note for New Student Orientation (Students Only)

When students arrive on campus, students need to click the “check-in” tab on the left-hand side of the screen within the app to acknowledge that they are here and have access to the information in the guide.

## Navigation

There are three tabs at the bottom of the Guidebook app. The Explore tab will show guides for events happening now or coming up soon.

## Allow Push and Location Services

We highly recommend that you **allow push notifications** so you don't miss any important announcements and that you **allow location services** so you can use the map features in the app.

## Computer/Web App

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In addition to a native mobile app, guides are also available through any modern web/mobile browser. Visit <https://guidebook.com/g/laforientation/>. This is helpful as a backup in case there are issues accessing information from the app, where information and updates will be directed.

## Helpful Links

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| External Links:         |   |
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| Accessing a Guide       | <a href="https://support.guidebook.com/hc/en-us/articles/202891364-Accepting-and-Using-a-Guidebook-App">https://support.guidebook.com/hc/en-us/articles/202891364-Accepting-and-Using-a-Guidebook-App</a> |
| Lafayette Links:        |   |
| New Student Orientation | <a href="https://firstyear.lafayette.edu/">https://firstyear.lafayette.edu/</a>   |