



## 2024 UAF Orientation Schedule

Below you will find an **overview** of events for UAF based DVM Orientation held **August 12-16**.

### MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 2024

**Your family and friends are welcome to join us this day from 8:00 – 8:50am for the welcome speech and faculty introductions. A free campus tour will be provided for them immediately following the faculty introductions.**

*8:00am – 8:15am* Arrive and check-in. Pastries and fruit provided.

*8:15am – 3:00pm* Presentations and small group activities. Lunch will be provided.

*3:00pm – 4:30pm* Friends and Family **Virtual** Information Session. This event is designed specifically for friends and family of incoming veterinary students to hear ways to support students in their journey through veterinary school. Incoming students are also welcome to attend, if they desire. This event is **optional**, and a link to access this event will be emailed to students in early August. The information session can be viewed from anywhere. We will have it pulled up in one of the vet med classrooms for any family or friends wanting to participate from UAF campus.

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 2024

*8:00am – 3:00pm* Presentations and West Ridge tour. Lunch will be provided.

*5:00pm – 5:30pm* Oaths and Passages Rehearsal

*5:30pm – 7:30pm* Oaths and Passages Ceremony and Banquet – **Family and friends are encouraged to attend. A virtual link will also be provided for anyone who wants to attend from afar.**

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 2024

*8:15am – 11:00am* Presentations

*11:00am – 12:30pm* LUNCH on your own (not provided), prep for outdoor excursion

*12:30pm – 5:00pm* Outdoor excursion and service project

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 2024

*8:15am – 5:00pm* Presentations, lower campus tour. Lunch will be provided.

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 2024

*7:00am – 11:00am* Sled dog rides (Optional)

*11:00am – 3:00pm* Networking opportunities with local veterinarians, dog mushing organizations, and tutors. Information on volunteer, clinic hour, and tutoring opportunities.

*12:30pm* Potluck lunch! **Bring your favorite dish to share.**