WELCOME!

Hello! This is Tanvi and Ollie, your orientation coordinators, here to let you in on what we have been up to over the past month! We are current students who are working this summer to plan an orientation that’ll knock your stalks off! If you haven’t guessed already, this year’s theme is Botanical, so get ready for the days of a lifetime filled with adventure, discovery, and lots of workshops to get to know the campus and the exciting city that will be your home for the next few years.

We’ve been working around the clock to organize exciting events each night for you to meet your new classmates and win some wild prizes! You can look forward to events like Pratt Quest, Sophomore Lunch along with your Foundation professors & getting to explore the Pratt Campus! Get excited, because we are stoked to meet you. It’s going to be unbeleafable!

Remember to check your Pratt email, follow us on Instagram, and join the Facebook Group so you don’t miss out on anything! Orientation consists of both informational sessions, designed to prepare you for the year and give you all the resources Pratt has to offer, but also trips around the city including the Brooklyn Botanical Garden, the Statue of Liberty, Coney Island, Central Park, and much, much more!

If you have any questions in the meantime, feel free to message us on Instagram @prattorientation or send us an email at orientation@pratt.edu! We are here to answer any of your questions about orientation or life at Pratt!

As we approach Orientation in August you will receive a newsletter about preparing for move in and orientation, so keep an eye out!

Looking forward to meeting all of you in August!

Best,
Tanvi & Ollie
IMPORTANT DATES

MOVE IN

Move-in will take place on **Tuesday, August 24th** and **Wednesday, August 25th**. You should have received an email from reslife@pratt.edu with your housing assignment and about living on campus. Please be sure to read it. Move-in will be appointment based. Please make travel arrangements after receiving confirmation from Residential Life about the date and time of your arrival.

ORIENTATION

New Student Orientation will span over **Thursday, August 26th** and **Friday, August 27th**. Orientation sessions will take place in-person in accordance with the NY State guidelines at the time. There will be virtual components of all the mandatory sessions and some social events as well!

FIRST DAY OF CLASSES

The first day of online and in-person classes is **Monday, August 30th**.
☐ SOCIAL CONTRACT
Please be sure to read and sign with Pratt’s Social Contract by **July 30th**. This contract is an addition to the community standards to emphasize and protect the health and safety of the Pratt community. The Social Contract is linked below. [https://www.pratt.edu/coronavirus/health-and-safety/social-contracts/](https://www.pratt.edu/coronavirus/health-and-safety/social-contracts/)

☐ VACCINATION PROOF
All returning students are required to submit an electronic copy of their COVID-19 vaccination documentation online by **July 30th** before arriving on campus, with the exception of limited approved medical or religious exemptions. You have to log in to the vaccine form using your OneKey and upload a clear photo of the documentation. For more information visit: [https://www.pratt.edu/coronavirus/health-and-safety/covid-19-vaccine/](https://www.pratt.edu/coronavirus/health-and-safety/covid-19-vaccine/)
Please look forward to more information in your Pratt email regarding Orientation, things to do, and more Newsletters! For the most updated information, please refer to Pratt’s website, Back to Pratt: https://www.pratt.edu/coronavirus/

SOCIAL MEDIA

Lastly, if you want to stay connected on more things Orientation, go ahead and follow our social media accounts! We will update the social media everytime we send out a new email or update.

Instagram: @prattorientation
Facebook groups: Class of 2024/25: https://www.facebook.com/groups/107257634037686/