PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Campus Tour

Campus tours cover the main academic quads, including the library and student center. These tours are offered during every time slot, are 50 minutes and led by student guides.

Biology & Chemistry Lab Tours

Faculty members offer guided tours of the state-of-the-art facilities used by our undergraduate students. Guests must register at check-in upon arrival. Departure locations will be shared upon registration.

think[box] Tour

Visit the university's 50,000-square-foot makerspace and innovation center where you'll find everything you need to take an idea from concept to prototype. This \$50 million facility offers the latest in high-tech prototyping and fabrication equipment—from laser cutting and 3D printing to electronics, waterjet cutting, 3D scanning, welding, metal and wood-working equipment and more. Sears think[box] is open to all students regardless of major.

Cleveland Museum of Art Tour

Students guide visitors on a 45-minute mini-tour of a few of the treasures within the museum's 45,000-object collection. Meet at the circular welcome desk inside the atrium of the museum.

Residence Life Tour

Residence hall-only tours take you through typical first-year accommodations.

Lunch

Bring your meal pass to Leutner (D2), 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. or Fribley (E6), 11 a.m. – 4 p.m. to feast on college food, CWRU-style.

CWRU Overview

Why Case Western Reserve University? Come learn what makes a CWRU undergraduate education unique and why we are one of the top universities in the country.

Arts, Humanities, Math, Natural Sciences and Social Sciences

After a brief presentation highlighting the rich opportunities for learning at CWRU, meet faculty from college departments, including anthropology; art history; astronomy; biology; chemistry; classics; cognitive science; dance; earth, environmental and planetary sciences; English; history; mathematics and statistics; modern languages and literature; music; philosophy; physics; political science and international studies; psychology; religious studies; sociology; and theater.

Career Preparation

Students at CWRU have a wide variety of opportunities to gain experience in their fields. Ranging from cooperative education (co-op), to internships, to practicum and other programs, students are able to put their ideas to work and to learn what things are like out in the real world. Join a member of the Career Center staff to learn more about services, as well as what CWRU grads move on to.

Cleveland Humanities Festival Lecture

As part of Cleveland Humanities Week, Brandy Schillace, PhD, senior research associate at the Dittrick Museum, will give a short TED-style talk on the rapid industrialization and immigration boom of the early 20th century in Cleveland.

CWRU Live!

Experience the energy, creativity, and culture of life on CWRU's campus. Interact with more than 50 student organizations; engage with student researchers; and enjoy a sampling of the talented performing arts groups on campus. Students from across the university demonstrate the wide array of opportunities and possibilities that are part of the CWRU undergraduate experience.

Engineering Overview

If you've thought about majoring in engineering, come to learn about programs and opportunities within the Case School of Engineering. With 13 majors, chances to co-op or intern, and the possibility of integrated graduate study, there are many unique pathways to follow. Enjoy a broad overview of the school, and learn what sets the Case School of Engineering apart.

Engineering Department Visits

Engineering department visits are an in-depth look at the majors within the Case School of Engineering. Typical visits may include a presentation about the department led by a faculty member, a demonstration and/or a lab tour.

Financial Aid, Student Employment and Billing Statements

There is little question a college education is one of the best investments you'll make in your lifetime. Representatives from the offices of the Bursar, Student Employment and Financial Aid will discuss how families can prepare to approach this investment.

First-Year Experience Panel

What will your first year be like at CWRU? The First-Year Experience panel begins with what communication you should expect over the summer and throughout your first year at CWRU, as well as New Student Orientation and Parent Orientation. Representatives from Residence Life, Greek Life, Orientation, First-Year Experience, Undergraduate Studies, Kelvin Smith Library, Multicultural Affairs, and Student Activities and Leadership can answer your questions about your academic, social and leadership experiences during your first year at CWRU.

Diversity and Inclusion

Prospective students and families have the opportunity to interact with CWRU faculty, staff and students to learn how the CWRU community embraces diversity and inclusion.

Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Students and staff highlight CWRU's startup culture. Hear how students capitalize on entrepreneurship courses, networking opportunities, hackathons, competitions, Sears think[box] and LaunchNet consulting services to build products and businesses that command attention in the marketplace and at international trade shows.

Humanities@Work

Learn about CWRU's unique commitment to ensuring humanities majors are prepared to compete for the nation's top jobs, including in the fields of medicine, law, technology and finance.

Living on Campus

CWRU residence halls are more than just a place to sleep, they're dynamic communities where students live, learn and find support. Join representatives from Residence Life and University Housing to learn about living on campus and how to choose housing.

Management School: Accounting, Business Management, Economics, Finance and Marketing

The Weatherhead School of Management at CWRU is one of the top undergraduate business programs in the country, giving students a solid academic foundation while also exploring research and best practices from the business community. Learn about majors and minors, including accounting, business management (with concentrations in innovation and entrepreneurship, international business, organizational leadership and supply chain management), economics, finance and marketing.

Music Department Open House

If you've thought about majoring in music or participating in music ensembles or lessons, come learn about programs within the CWRU Department of Music: BA Music, BS Music Education, minor in music. Our BA Music degree can be combined with any other degree program that CWRU offers as a double major, dual degree or secondary major. Our BS Music Education program leads to teacher licensure. After a brief presentation highlighting the wide range of opportunities for musical study or participation and our Joint Music Program with the Cleveland Institute of Music, students will have the chance to meet with faculty and current music majors.

Nursing Overview

As one of the top-rated private nursing programs in the country, the Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing prepares students for successful and rewarding careers. Learn about the nursing program, including hands-on clinical work that begins in your first semester, research opportunities, and opportunities for learning that can take you from the top hospitals in our neighborhood to public health settings around the country. This session includes a tour of the School of Nursing. Please allow 90 minutes.

Open Hours: Model First-Year Residence Hall Room

Stop by anytime between 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. for a look at a typical first-year room. Tour guides will be available to answer any questions.

Overnight Matching

Admitted students will be matched with their Spartan Ambassador host (current student) at the conclusion of the CWRU Live! event. Overnighters should check in Thursday morning with the overnight coordinators to ensure we have the necessary paperwork. We cannot guarantee matches to students who arrive late Thursday evening without prior notification.

Parents' Cocktail Reception

Parents are welcome to enjoy beverages and appetizers with CWRU faculty, advising staff and others who support students at CWRU.

Pre-med and Pre-health

If you are setting your goals toward becoming a doctor, come learn about the ways in which CWRU students receive excellent preparation for the challenges of medical school. From our unique setting among top medical centers, to undergraduate research opportunities, to outstanding programs in the sciences, the CWRU experience can help you take the next step toward medical school.

Research Opportunities

The ability to conduct research with a faculty mentor as an undergraduate is one of the opportunities that sets a CWRU undergraduate education apart. Learn how the SOURCE Office (Support of Undergraduate Research and Creative Endeavors) assists and prepares students to engage in research.

Student Activities Panel

Take some time to learn about student life and activities on campus, including Division III athletics, performing arts ensembles, community-service groups, student government and student-run media.

Study Abroad Panel

Forty-five percent of CWRU undergraduates study abroad. Programs can span from a week to a semester or longer, and include opportunities to study, research, complete internships and more. Hear from students who have studied abroad and learn how you can have global experiences, stay on track for graduation, retain financial and institutional aid, and increase life and career skills.

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