

# ILLINOIS TECH

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**MAY 23 + 24**  
**2024**

ILLINOIS TECH MIES CAMPUS  
THE McCORMICK TRIBUNE  
CAMPUS CENTER (MTCC)

# THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2024

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## 12 P.M.

### **12-2 p.m. CHECK IN** **Kacek Hall**

Check in and receive information about your stay at Illinois Tech including your schedule and any updates.

### **12-1 p.m. LUNCH (OPTIONAL)** **The Commons (MTCC)**

Join our SOAR Leaders and Engagement Mentors for lunch in our dining commons! Meet new students, enjoy great food, and make connections. Don't forget to check in and grab your meal tickets at the Check-In station.

### **12-1:30 p.m. LIBRARY TOUR** **Paul V. Galvin Library**

Take an extensive tour of the library to learn more about resources and services available such as textbooks, the media studio, study rooms and more. See you then!

### **12-1:30 p.m. ESPORTS ARENA TOUR** **MTCC Esports Arena**

Take a guided tour of the Esports arena at Illinois Tech. Explore the latest technology, discover competitive gaming opportunities, and dive into our campus Esports world.

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## 2 P.M.

### **2:15-2:40 p.m. SOAR WELCOME** **Hermann Hall Auditorium**

Your official welcome to SOAR: New Student Orientation. Hear from university leadership and SOAR staff as we welcome you to Illinois Tech's fall class.

### **2:45-3:35 p.m. SOAR GROUP MEETINGS (STUDENTS ONLY)** **See Page 8 For Locations**

Spend time with your SOAR Leader, get to know your fellow Scarlet Hawks and make connections with our campus community.

### **2:45-3:45 p.m. ALL THINGS STUDENT SERVICES (PARENTS ONLY)** **Hermann Hall Auditorium**

Hear from campus departments like Student Affairs, Student Health and Wellness Center, and our Center for Disability Resources.

## 3 P.M.

### **3:45-5:05 p.m. SAFE SPACES AND RESOURCES (STUDENTS ONLY)** **MTCC Auditorium**

Hear from campus departments like our Academic Resource Center, Public Safety, Office of Residence Life, and Dining Services.

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## 4 P.M.

### **4-5 p.m. 360 ADVISING (PARENTS ONLY)** **Hermann Hall Auditorium**

Hear from campus departments like our Undergraduate Academic Advising, Academic Resource Center, and Career Services.

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## 5 P.M.

### **5:10-5:55 p.m. FINANCIAL AID AND BEYOND (PARENTS OR STUDENTS)** **Hermann Hall Auditorium**

Learn about important resources from our office of Financial Aid and Student Accounting.

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## 6 P.M.

### **6-6:25 p.m. LIVING LIFE ON CAMPUS (STUDENTS ONLY)** **Hermann Hall Basement 002**

Gain valuable insights into life on campus as our Office of Student Life provides an overview of opportunities, resources, and support systems available to Illinois Tech students.

### **6-6:25 p.m. FINANCES Q&A (PARENTS OR STUDENTS)** **Hermann Hall Auditorium**

Stop by our Finances Q&A to get your questions answered regarding college affordability.

### **6:30-7:15 p.m. DINNER** **Hermann Hall Ballroom**

Indulge in a delightful dinner buffet as you gather to engage in an enriching evening session. Join university leadership as they share insights and visions for the future. Hear from our dedicated SOAR staff as they guide you through essential information and resources. Let's cap off a day of vibrant knowledge exchange with a celebration of learning and community.

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**7****P.M.****7:20–8 p.m. ASK ME ANYTHING WITH SOAR LEADERS (STUDENTS ONLY)****Hermann Hall Auditorium**

Bring your questions, and get some answers! Ask your SOAR leaders anything.

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**8****P.M.****8–10 p.m. EVENING SOAR LEADER ACTIVITIES (STUDENTS ONLY)****Kacek Hall**

Conclude your first day of SOAR with a burst of excitement through engaging activities designed to forge connections with your peers, interact with your SOAR leaders, and set the tone for an unforgettable journey ahead.

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**FRIDAY, MAY 24, 2024**

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**8****A.M.****8:15–8:45 a.m. CHECK IN****MTCC Visitors Center**

If you haven't yet checked in for SOAR, come by our check in station at the MTCC Visitors Center to get prepared for your day!

**8:15–9:00 a.m. BREAKFAST WITH SOAR LEADERS (STUDENTS ONLY)****The Commons (MTCC)**

Join our SOAR Leaders for breakfast in our dining hall! Meet new students, enjoy great food, and make connections. Don't forget your meal tickets you received at check in.

**8:15–9:00 a.m. BREAKFAST WITH ACADEMIC AREAS (PARENTS ONLY)****MTCC Ballroom**

Calling all parents! Enjoy a breakfast buffet, and meet representatives from each academic area.

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**9****A.M.****9:15–10:00 a.m. SOAR GROUP MEETINGS (STUDENTS ONLY)****See Page 8 For Locations**

Spend time with your SOAR Leader, get to know your fellow Scarlet Hawks and make connections with our campus community.

**9:15–10:30 a.m. STUDENT SERVICES 101 (PARENTS ONLY)****MTCC Auditorium**

Hear from campus departments like our Registrar, Public Safety, and the Office of Campus Life.

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**10****A.M.****10:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m. ENROLLMENT LOUNGE****MTCC BLUE ROOM**

Looking for guidance on our undergraduate admission process? Ready to secure your spot in our upcoming fall class? Visit the Illinois Tech Enrollment Lounge for personalized 1:1 support from our dedicated staff. We're committed to assisting you at every stage of your journey.

**10:15–11:10 a.m. ACADEMIC ADVISING (STUDENTS ONLY)****See Department Locations Below****ARMOUR COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING****Stuart Building Computer Lab 112E****COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE****S. R. Crown Hall 001****COLLEGE OF COMPUTING****Stuart Building Computer Lab 112J****DISCOVER+****Galvin Tower 14th Floor | 14C7-1****LEWIS COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND LETTERS****Stuart Computer Lab 112F****STUART SCHOOL OF BUSINESS****Pritzker Science Center 121****10:40–11:10 a.m. STUDENT LIFE WORKSHOP (PARENTS ONLY)****MTCC P-Club**

Discover all things you need to know about the student experience at our student life workshop!

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**11****A.M.****11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m. SOAR GROUP MEETINGS (STUDENTS ONLY)****See Page 8 For Locations**

Spend time with your SOAR Leader, get to know your fellow Scarlet Hawks and make connections with our campus community.

**11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m. ASK A SCARLET HAWK PANEL (PARENTS ONLY)**

**MTCC Auditorium**

Hear firsthand experiences, tips, and insights from current students, and get your questions answered as your student prepares for their journey at Illinois Tech.

**12 P.M.**

**12:00 p.m.–1:00 p.m. LUNCH**

**The Commons (MTCC)**

Join us for lunch during your second day of SOAR! It’s a great opportunity to fuel up, relax, and mingle with fellow students as you continue on your exciting journey at Illinois Tech.

**1 P.M.**

**1–1:45 p.m. SOAR GROUP MEETINGS (STUDENTS ONLY)**

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Spend time with your SOAR Leader, get to know your fellow Scarlet Hawks and make connections with our campus community.

**1–2 p.m. STUDENT LIFE BINGO**

**MTCC P-Club**

Come and join us for an enjoyable round of Student Life Bingo! Led by our Office of Student Life, it’s a chance for students and families to come together, relax, and have some fun with a classic game.

**1–3 p.m. CAMPUS CONNECTIONS RESOURCE FAIR**

**MTCC Bridge**

Join us at the Campus Connections Resource Fair where you can meet representatives from various resource departments across campus, fostering connections and discovering valuable support networks.

**1–3 p.m. FINANCIAL AID COUNSELOR CORNER**

**MTCC Yellow Room**

Experience personalized guidance and support as you meet one-on-one with our expert financial aid counselors, ensuring clarity and confidence in navigating the complexities of funding your education.

**1:45–5:00 p.m. ALEKS PLACEMENT TESTING**

**Stuart Building Computer Labs**

**112E | 112F | 112J**

Take the ALEKS placement exam to ensure you’re matched with the right courses for your math readiness. This assessment offers personalized testing, providing accurate placement recommendations. **Pre-registration is required.**

**2 P.M.**

**2–3 p.m. CHECK OUT**

**MTCC Visitors Center**

As new student orientation wraps up, make sure to stop by our check-out station to finalize your preparations, collect any last-minute information you may need, and don’t forget to fill out our survey to share your experience with us!

## Campus Resources

Academic Resource Center	312.567.5216
Campus Business Services Center	312.567.8968
Career Services	careerservices@iit.edu   312.567.6800
Center for Disability Resources	disabilities@iit.edu   312.567.5744
Dining Services	dineoncampus.com/iit   312.567.3098
Esports	esports@iit.edu
Galvin Library	library@iit.edu   312.567.6847
Office Global Services	global@iit.edu   +1.312.567.3680
Office of Residence Life	housing@iit.edu   312.567.5075
Office of Student Affairs	dos@iit.edu   312.567.3081
Office of the Registrar	registrar@iit.edu   312.567.3100
Office of Title IX Compliance	titleix@iit.edu   312.567.5725
Public Safety	publicsafety@iit.edu   (Non-Emergency) +1.312.808.6300
Student Health and Wellness Center	student.health@iit.edu   312.567.7550
Undergraduate Academic Affairs	aa@iit.edu   312.567.3300



# SOAR GROUP LOCATIONS

REFER TO LOCATIONS BELOW FOR **SOAR GROUP MEETINGS**

## **FIREBALL**

**Hermann Hall Basement 010**

## **EXPLORERS**

**Hermann Hall Basement 002**

## **SIZZLING STARS**

**Hermann Hall Basement 003**

## **PUFFY PLANETS**

**Hermann Hall Basement 005**

## **INTERSTELLAR EMPIRE**

**Hermann Hall Basement 007**

## **SPACE RANGERS**

**Perlstein Hall 108**

## **PLUTO PIONEERS**

**Perlstein Hall 109**

## **MOON STEALERS**

**Pritzker Science Center 129**

## **GALACTIC BUNNIES**

**Pritzker Science Center 152**

## **FINAL ARRIVAL CHECKLIST**

As you bask in your glorious landing at the end of *Talon's Galactic Trip*, take a minute to complete a final check of all the steps along your journey. **Here is the rundown of everything you need to do by August 19 (Fall 24 classes begin on this date):**

- Check out the Access Illinois Tech portal and your Hawk email
- Sign up for IIT Alert
- Submit your Room and Board Contract or Housing Waiver Application
- Submit final transcripts and AP/IB/A-Level exam scores for course credit
- Complete online pre-arrival module
- Register for SOAR: New Student Orientation and upload your HawkCard ID photo
- Complete the necessary academic assessments, schedule your initial advising appointment with your adviser, and register for courses
- Financial aid requirements**
  - Begin completing your financial aid checklist, if necessary
- Attend SOAR: New Student Orientation
- Submit health and immunization documents
- Waive Illinois Tech health insurance, if applicable
- Pick up HawkCard ID and U-Pass when you arrive on campus



