



ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

#MySPU2019

Date: Wednesday, 30 January 2019

Venue: Library Auditorium, Central Campus (Scanlan Street)

Academic Orientation

Time	Item	Speaker/ Facilitator
08:00		
08:30 – 09:00	Arrival of First Years	
09:00 – 09:15	Welcome and Announcements	Mr Lukhanyo Makhenyane
09:30 – 15:00	Academic Orientation in the various Schools.	

***Please note the time frame for each programme may vary.
Ask a member of staff or a Peer Mentor for assistance where needed***



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Date: Thursday, 31 January 2019

Venue: Library Auditorium and Central Campus Square, (Scanlan Street)

Support Services Orientation Programme

Time	Item	Speaker/ Facilitator
08:00	Arrival of First Year Mentors and staff	
08:30 – 09:00	Arrival of First Years	
09:00 – 09:15	Welcome Address to First Year Students	Mr Malesela Maepa, Senior Manager: Student Affairs
09:15 – 09:25	SRC Welcome Address	Ms Nomathamsanqa Qiza, SRC Deputy-President
09:30 – 09:45	Introduction to the Information and Technology (IT) Department with specific reference to: student laptops, IT rules, Moodle and IT support.	Mr Lawrence Blanckenberg, Director: Facilities and Services
09:45 – 10:00	Introduction to the SPU Library and its services	Mr Jabu Radebe University Librarian
10:00 – 10:30	Security Brief and Rules at SPU	Mr Michael Mahada, Director: Campus Security
10:30 – 10:45	Health and Safety on SPU Campuses	Ms Thato Mothudi, Occupational Health and Safety Officer
10:45 – 11:15	Thuthuzela Rape Centre	Ms Zandi Deyi, Social Worker
11:15 -11:45	Gender Commission: Gender Based Violence	Ms Georgina Links, Education Officer & Mr Tsietsi Shuping, Legal Officer

11:45 - 12:15	HAWKS: Human Trafficking Presentation	Colonel Mdleleni,
12:15 – 12:45	NSFAS Product information for First Years and funding information	NSFAS
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH	
14:00 – 16:00	<p>Round Robin Showcase of Student Affairs Services. These include information with regards to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Residences 2. Student Sports 3. Student Development (SRC and SPU Clubs and Societies) 4. Health and Wellness 5. Career Services and Alumni 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ms Faith Nkonyane, Senior Manager: Residences 2. Mr Tshepo Masoeu, Sports Officer 3. Mr Gobonamang Merahe, Student Development Officer 4. Sr. Danelia McCarthy, Primary Health Care Nurse & Ms Nthabiseng Afrika, Counsellor/ Psychologist 5. Ms Feroza Nooroodien, Career Services and Alumni Officer



ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

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Date: Friday, 01 February 2019

Venue: Central Campus Sports Field (Lawson Road)

Student Sports Orientation Programme

Time	Item	Speaker/ Facilitator
08:30	Arrival of First Years	
09:00	Opening and Welcome	Mr Tshepo Masoeu, Sports Officer
09:15 – 16:00 (lunch at 1pm)	Sports Presentations and Demonstrations as well as registrations and sign ups as well as Student Fun Day <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mini Olympics • Talent Showcase • Sack Running • Spoon and Egg race • Tug of War 	Tshepo Masoeu, Sport Coaches, Mentors and Student Affairs Staff



ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

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Date: Saturday, 02 February 2019

Venue: Examinations Hall, Central Campus (Scanlan Street)

Official Welcome and Opening by the VC

Time	Item	Speaker/ Facilitator
08:30 – 09:00	Arrival of First Years	
09:00 – 10:30	Opening and Welcoming Address (School of Humanities and School of Natural and Applied Sciences)	Prof Yunus Ballim, Vice-Chancellor & Principal
11:00 – 12:30	Opening and Welcoming Address (School of Economic and Management Sciences and School of Education)	Prof Yunus Ballim, Vice-Chancellor & Principal
13:00	First Years Welcome Picnic at the Central Campus Sports Field	SRC