

DIVERSITY OPEN HOUSE (DIVOH) PROGRAM



SAMPLE

Saturday

3:00 p.m.

Registration & Campus Tours

Check-in. Then take a look around campus to get oriented and learn more about Amherst College's traditions and history.

6:30 p.m.

Performance at Amherst

Entertainment hosted by Amherst College dance and a Capella groups.

8:00 p.m.

General Welcome

Katie Fretwell, Director of Admission & Senior Associate Dean of Admission, officially welcomes all DIVOH participants to campus.

8:20 p.m.

Student Rap Session

Diversity Interns facilitate a casual, yet frank conversation about student life at Amherst.

9:30 p.m.

Evening Activities

Participate in your choice of events taking place on campus or get some much needed rest in your Amherst College dorm room.



Diversity Interns: Alda Chan '14, Spencer Russell '12, Kayla White '14, Chris Lim '12, Melissa Aybar '14

Sunday

9:00 a.m. **Breakfast at Valentine Hall**

10:00 a.m. **Admission Workshop**
Members of the Amherst College Office of Admission introduce themselves and facilitate an interactive workshop on the factors admission offices consider in making admission decisions.

12:00 p.m. **Lunch**

1:15 p.m. **Introduction to the Liberal Arts**
Learn about the benefits of a liberal arts education from the perspective of Amherst professors.

A panel of professors will introduce themselves and answer questions about the educational experience at Amherst College.

2:30 p.m. **Break with Refreshments**

3:00 p.m. **Financial Aid Session**
Michael Ellison, Associate Dean of Admission & Financial Aid
Learn how Amherst's need-blind policy and ability to meet 100% of the demonstrated need of all students helps make Amherst among the most affordable college options.

4:20 p.m. **Q&A Session with Admission Deans**
Ask Amherst College Admission Deans your questions about the admissions process.

5:30 p.m. **Dinner at Valentine Hall**

7:00 p.m. **Evening Activities**
Explore the campus and initiate one-on-one conversations with current students by attending the evening events.

Monday

8:00 a.m. Breakfast with Faculty and Admission Deans

Members the Amherst College faculty and staff will be present.

9:00 a.m. Visit Classes

Review the Monday class list and organize your morning accordingly. We recommend that you visit at least one or two classes before you leave campus. The classroom is one of Amherst College's best attributes!

12:00 p.m. Lunch

2:00 p.m. Departures

Students will depart throughout the day, with a majority departing between 1:00-3:00 p.m. A label on your program folder will clearly indicate your departure time, location and shuttle number. Shuttles will transport students to Bradley International Airport, the train or bus station for on-time departures.

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