

Earlham

"I think my Earlham education allowed me to grow into my true self. I didn't feel like I had to pretend to be someone who I wasn't. And that for me was an incredible, sort of personal awakening."

- CARRIE SELTZER '04

Welcome to campus, future Earlhamite!

We're so happy to have you here for Admitted Student Day. This event is all about showing you what to expect from the Earlham experience. You'll get to interact with faculty, stay in our residence halls and learn more about the Epic Journey you're about to embark on.

This is your chance to understand what it means to be an Earlhamite. So, ask questions, explore and (most importantly) have fun. Our students and faculty members are here to help with any questions or concerns you have—we're excited to welcome you to our community.

Sunday, Feb. 18

Noon-4 p.m.

Airport Shuttles and Driving Tour of Richmond

For students who are flying to campus unaccompanied by family

4-5:30 p.m.

Check-in: May-Crossen Student Commons

Check in and meet your host; settle into residence hall.

4-6 p.m.

Family Reception: Center for Visual and Performing Arts Lobby

After check-in, family members are welcome to drop into a reception, have some light refreshments and meet the leadership team of the college.

5:30-7 p.m.

Dinner: Earlham Hall

Students will join their hosts for dinner in the dining hall.

7-9 p.m.

Student Life Events: Various Locations

Planetarium Show and Escape Room Board Game, Joseph Moore Museum

Esports (PC, PS4, Nintendo Switch), Runyan Center

Board Games Galore, Runyan Center

"Stuff your own squirrel" Student Activities Board (SAB) event,

May-Crossen Student Commons

Back campus hike, Meet at May-Crossen

9 p.m.

Overnight Stay Check In: May-Crossen Student Commons

All overnight visitors MUST check in at this time.

Monday, Feb. 19

7:30-8:30 a.m.

Breakfast: Earlham Hall

Students who stayed overnight can grab breakfast in the dining hall; students should drop their belongings in Tyler Hall as they won't be returning to the residence halls prior to departure.

8-8:45 a.m.

Check-in: Athletics and Wellness Center Concourse

All students and families should check in for the day.

8:15-9:15 a.m.

Academic Fair: Druley Performance Gymnasium

Learn about our academic offerings from teaching faculty while enjoying light refreshments.

9:25-9:45 a.m. Welcome: Druley Performance Gymnasium

Hear a welcome address from a current student plus an overview of the day.

10-10:45 a.m. Morning Sessions A:

Session descriptions and locations listed on the next page

11-11:45 a.m. Morning Sessions B:

Session descriptions and locations listed on the next page

11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m. Lunch: Earlham Hall

Recruited athletes may also use this time to eat with coaches and/or the team.

1-1:45 p.m.

Afternoon Sessions:

Session descriptions and locations listed on the next page

2-2:30 p.m.

Next Steps: Lingle Recital Hall, Center for Visual and Performing Arts

An introduction to the Countdown to Earlham portal, August Wilderness and New Student Orientation.

2:30-4 p.m.

Open Office Hours: Various Locations

Questions? Visit any of these offices during open office hours:

Office of Admissions: Tyler Hall

Office of Financial Aid: Tyler Hall

Office of Disability and Accessibility

Services: Lilly Library

Office of Student Life: Earlham Hall
Office of Residence Life: Earlham Hall

Honors Program: Carpenter Hall 306

Epic Centers: CoLab, Noyes Hall Epic Centers: Landrum Bolling

Center Commons

Campus Store: Runyan Center Confirmed or confirming students will receive a voucher to pick out a sweatshirt.

Equestrian Barn Tour: Meet in Center for Visual and Performing Arts parking lot.



Residence Hall Tour (students only): Meet outside Athletics and Wellness Center

Get a peek into the various housing options available to students.

Class Visits: Various Locations

Students will have the opportunity to sign up for a class visit at check-in. Please plan to arrive a few minutes early to introduce yourself and stay until class is dismissed. Classes are 50 minutes long and will let out at 10:50 a.m.

Back Campus Tour (students and guests welcome): Meet outside Athletics and Wellness Center

Morning Sessions B

General Information Session: Tyler Hall

If this is your first time on campus, this is a great place to start. This session will give you an overview of academics, student life and the Epic Journey at Earlham.

Off-Campus Study: Richmond Room, Landrum Bolling Center

More than two-thirds of Earlham students study off campus at least once during their four years. Learn about the many off-campus study options available to every student, regardless of major and with limited additional costs.

Affinity Spaces on Campus: Multicultural Resource Center, Runyan Center

Hear directly from current students in Black Student Union (BSU), Latin and Caribbean Student Association (LCSA), South Asian Student Association (SASA), Visit the Suzanne Hoerner Jackson Equestrian Center and Miller Farm, two programs that offer students unique outdoor experiential learning and leadership opportunities on our back campus.

Student Success—A Panel Discussion (guests only): Lingle Recital Hall, Center for Visual and Performing Arts

Hear directly from faculty in the Office of Student Life, the Office of Academic Affairs, the Office of Disability and Accessibility Services, and the Center for Career Education about the support systems Earlham has in place to help your student thrive.

Monday, 11-11:45 a.m.

Earlham Disability Advocates, Trans Student Union and Minority Association of Pre-Medical Students (MAPS) about the diversity of students' lived experiences.

Your Epic Journey—The First Year and Beyond: CoLab, Noyes Hall

Earlham's Epic Journey is an intentional integration of excellent classroom preparation with transformative learning experiences outside the classroom. Learn what that looks like, from the first-year experience to the Epic Advantage funding guaranteed to all students, to the incredibly rewarding research, internship and leadership experiences available to all students.

Programming for First-Generation College Students: Lilly Library

Explore Earlham's tailored support for first-generation college students through the LIFT and McNair programs.

Monday, 1-1:45 p.m.

Afternoon Sessions

Campus Tour: Tyler Hall

This is an opportunity to learn about campus and student life directly from a current student.

Off-Campus Study

See previous description.

Affinity Spaces on Campus

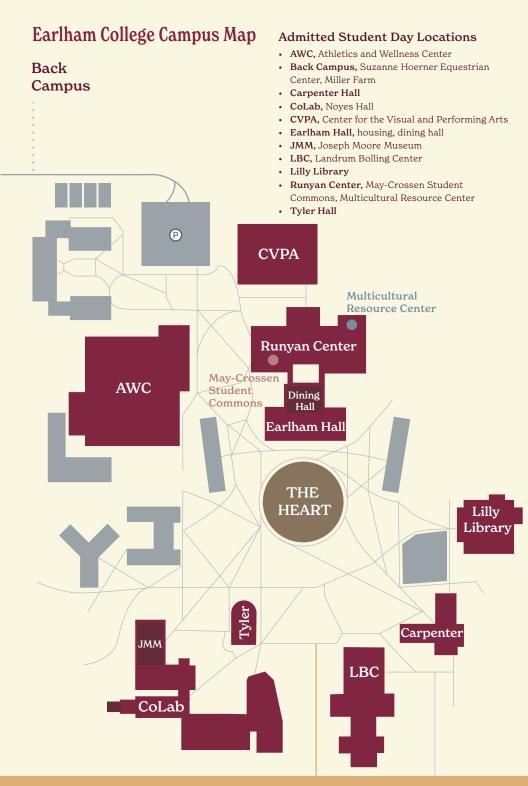
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Your Epic Journey

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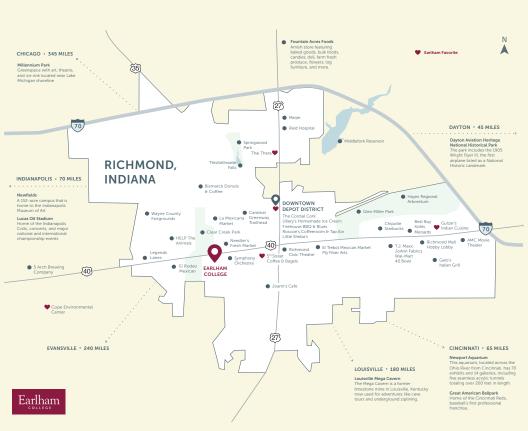
Introducing, Richmond, Indiana

Whether you and your family are looking for something to do this weekend or you're taking notes for next year, there's plenty to do in and around Richmond.

Family fun

- Head to the Wayne County Historical Museum, a great place to soak up the rich heritage of Wayne County, Indiana.
- Take a walk on the Cardinal Greenway trail, Indiana's longest span of recreational trails.
- Roll in style at The Skate roller-skating rink.
- Score a turkey (three strikes in a row) at either Legends Lanes or Richmond 40 Bowl
- Find the bottom of a box of popcorn while taking in a movie at AMC Classic Richmond 11.
- · Bird-watch at Cope Environmental Center.

- Find your superpower at Comic Relief comic bookstore.
- Turn the tables at Block Head Records Store.
- Mini road trip: Visit the Levi and Catharine Coffin house, known as the "Grand Central Station of the Underground Railroad" in Fountain City (20-minute drive north on Hwy 27). Tour the home and find out how these brave Quakers helped more than 1.000 freedom seekers.
- Try the free samples and pick up some fresh donuts at Fountain Acres, an Amish-run store in Fountain City.



Take notes for next year, future Earlhamite!

- Next fall, consider getting lost in Today's Harvest corn maze or picking your own apples and taking a wagon ride at Wesler Apple Orchard.
- As winter changes to spring, test-drive a classic car at the Model T Ford Club of America Model T Museum.
- Looking for something to do in the spring? Join a softball league at Clear Creek Park.
- When the weather warms up, stop by Richmond's Food Truck Wednesdays at Elstro Plaza or take to nature by kayaking, paddle boating or canoeing at Middlefork reservoir.

A mini-glossary for future Earlhamites

Athletics



Ready for some healthy competition? Forty percent of Earlham students participate in organized sports at intramural, club and NCAA DIII

levels. Our student-athletes receive holistic support and learn skills that pave the way for a successful personal life and career.

August Wilderness



You're eligible to sign up for this program right now.
August Wilderness is a preorientation program that takes incoming first-year

students on a 21-day expedition backpacking in the Uinta Mountains of Utah. This is a great beginning for your four-year adventure at Earlham, as you'll meet other new students, gain leadership training and earn three academic credits. No prior hiking experience necessary.

Epic Expo



This is the time for Earlham students to let the world know about their adventures in research, internships or other travel related to the Epic

Advantage. At the Epic Expo, we celebrate the Epic Journey and the experiences students underwent during their time on (and off) campus. Students will present on research, internships and travel experiences.

Epic Journey



What is the Epic Journey we keep talking about? It's the liberal arts education you're offered on our campus, the unique and personalized

teaching that our skilled faculty offer, the opportunity for funded research and internships, expert career discernment coaching, the focus on off-campus study and the access to co-curricular opportunities to help you grow.

Student Life



From academic support and athletics to holistic wellness and residence life, our Office of Student Life supports every aspect of your life outside of

the classroom. Find (or become) a peer tutor, get involved in a sport, ride a horse, join a club—or even start one of your own!

Instagram:

@earlhamcollege1847

TikTok:

@earlhamcollege

YouTube:

Earlham College

Parents Group on Facebook:

facebook.com/groups/ EarlhamCollegeParents



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