



Summer Vestibule Program 2026

Key Dates:

August 9th - Move In

August 10th - Parent & Family Orientation

August 11th - SVP programming begins

Welcome New Tigers!

We are excited to welcome you and be part of your upcoming journey. As a former Tiger myself, I remember the feeling of excitement along with the expected nervousness that comes with starting off your college experience. The Summer Vestibule Program (SVP) team will help support students every step of the way from the moment that they accept NTID's offer of admissions to the first day of classes.

Please see below for detailed Move In information. On August 9th and 10th, the SVP Team will be here to help students and their families with the required move in process. We will have a variety of activities scheduled for students and their families. Attending these events is highly encouraged for both students and their families.

Families will have the opportunity to spend time with their incoming students up until Monday evening, August 10th. After Monday evening, there will be no flexibility in the SVP Programming Schedule. Students are expected to attend all required events starting at 9am on Tuesday, August 11th.

Sunday - August 9th, 2026 9am to 1pm Move In Required

RIT hosts several Orientation programs with different move in dates. Students attending our NTID Summer Vestibule Program are scheduled to move in on August 9th.

All SVP students are required to arrive, check in, and pick up their key and ID during this time. If you have any known foreseeable conflicts, please contact our office as soon as possible so we can work with you.

Monday - August 10th, 2026 9am to 6pm Parent & Family Orientation Highly encouraged

NTID will offer a variety of events such as Service Fair where staff members from various departments across campus will be available to answer questions and provide resources.

NTID faculty & staff will introduce themselves and be available to answer questions during both our Academic Affairs & Student Affairs panel.

Tuesday - August 11th, 2026 9am SVP Begins

Students must attend ALL required programs during SVP. Students will receive a copy of the schedule upon checking in on Move In Day which will indicate required events, and optional events.

During SVP, we will provide a series of workshops which have been carefully tailored to help give our incoming students tools they need to navigate through their first year here on campus. These workshops will touch on a series of topics such as resources offered, how to advocate for themselves during their time here, tips & strategies to help them tackle common situations, and many other key topics.

Prior to August 9th, the SVP team will be working closely with students to make sure they're able to complete everything on their new student checklist before they arrive on campus. Please keep an eye out for emails from the SVP team as well as other campus departments to accomplish all items on the list in a timely manner. All emails will be sent to student's RIT email only. Please check this email often. Please reach out to the SVP team with any questions or concerns using the email address below. If we cannot provide an answer, we will refer you to the appropriate department.

We look forward to welcoming you soon!

Note: A Program Fee of \$1,500 will be added to your Fall Bill. For questions or concerns about this, please email ntidsvp@rit.edu

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