Welcome to Madonna University

The International Students Office would like to welcome new and returning international students for the Fall semester. We are delighted that you have decided to join us. The International Student Office has several enjoyable events planned for the 2008-2009 academic year, and we encourage all student involvement and participation. The faculty and staff have pledged to work as hard as possible to support student needs. Feel free to approach us at any time throughout the academic year with any questions or concerns. With our combined efforts we hope to make this semester an overwhelming success.

Please remember:
- Submit copies of your passport, I-20, I-94, and emergency contact forms to International Students Office if you have not already done so. These items are due immediately.
- Change of Address Form are due to the International Students Office (Room 1207) within 10 days of your move. The form is available in the International Student office.
- Attention December graduates! If you wish to participate in the post-completion optional practical training, please contact Grace Philson at gphilson@madonna.edu or 734-432-5791 for more information.
- If you are interested in writing articles for the International Newsletter, please contact Qolette Jackson in the International Student Office.

Resource Guide for International Students

I have a different question or I'm confused about something.
Contact the International Students Office
Location: Room 1207, Academic Building
Phone: 734-432-5791 or 734-432-5763

I need help with a paper for my class.
Contact the Writing Center
Location: Room 2410, Academic building
Phone: (734) 432-5300

I'm having trouble in my class and I need a tutor.
Contact the Center for Personalized Instruction
Location: Room 1210, Academic Building
Phone: (734) 432-5599

I need help finding a job on campus.
Contact Career Services
Location: Room 1001, Academic Building
Phone: (734) 432-5623

I need to find out information about a place on campus.
Contact The Information Desk
Location: Main lobby on 2nd Floor near the Main Entrance of the Academic Building
Phone: 734-432-5300

International Student Office [ISO]

• Location: Academic Building Room 1207
• Website: http://www.madonna.edu/pages/IntlStudents.cfm
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On September 12th, 2008, Madonna University held its annual Welcome Party. New and returning students, international and domestic, gathered together to celebrate the upcoming academic year. Students enjoyed food and refreshments donated from various departments of the university. There was a dish for every taste and everything from spaghetti with meatballs to sushi and chop suey. The atmosphere was upbeat and cheerful as music circulated the Take-5 Lounge, while students mingled with new and familiar faces. A surprise raffle insured that fun was had by all. Students waited expectantly, hoping that their ticket number would be called, so they would get their chance at the prize table. Sweatshirts, umbrellas, candy, and bags, all with the Madonna University logo, were given away to eager students. Each walked away with smile on their face.

Movie Matinee
Date: 9/20, 10/25, 11/29, 12/27
Place: Highland Park
Come join a movie matinee.

BBQ Party
Date: 9/26
Place: Hines Park
Come have some fun in the sun before the Fall arrives at a great barbeque cookout.

Coffee Time
Date: 10/17, 11/14
Place: West Colonnade Lounge
It’s that time again. Every month the international students have a day of food and fun and this month’s theme is Asia! Make sure you come and be a part of this unique experience.

Shopping day
Date: 9/20, 10/25, 11/29
Place: Shopping Mall & Meijer
Getting low on groceries? Need to buy something for your dorm room? Well make a list and join us on our group shopping day and get everything you need.

Apple Orchard
Date: 10/3
Place: Erwin Orchards
Come celebrate the Fall with us as we take a trip to a Michigan apple orchard. Lots of fun and plenty of fruit to eat!

Movie Night
Date: 10/31
Place: Residence Hall
Tired of studying? Need a break? Join the students for an evening of relaxation as we watch a late movie in the comfort of the dorm.

Writing Center, Room 2410, (734) 432-5304
ESL tutor schedules for fall 2008

Mondays: 12 to 4 p.m. (Marian W. Gonsior) / 12 to 5 p.m. (Jeri Dolch)
Tuesdays: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Susan Ruellan)
Wednesdays: 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Marian W. Gonsior)
  1 to 4 p.m. (Joanna O. Caushaj, Susan Ruellan)
  2:30 to 6 p.m. (Quolette Jackson)
  3 to 6 p.m. (Jeri Dolch)
Thursdays: 1 to 4 p.m. (Joanna Olejniczak-Caushaj)
  4:10 to 5:55 p.m. (Amelia Burkhardt)
Fridays: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Quolette Jackson)