

RED RAIDER FAMILY WEBINAR SERIES



What to Expect at Red Raider Orientation

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What to Expect at Red Raider Orientation

- **What is RRO?**
- **Why should parents and family members attend?**



Prior to Red Raider Orientation

- **Remove Holds**
- **Check TTU Email Daily**
- **Complete RRO Online Modules**
- **Red Raider Family Network**
 - Receive a monthly newsletter from Parent & Family Relations
 - Receive emailed updates based on your interests
 - Request access to student records once they're enrolled

What to Expect at Red Raider Orientation

- **Guest fees**
 - Adult Guests (8+ years old): \$50 per guest (**non-refundable**)
 - Children (7 and under): Free
- **What does the guest fee cover?**
 - Guest fees for Two-Day sessions cover program materials, Day 1 Dinner, Day 2 breakfast, guest shirt, Parent & Family Social, parking, staffing, and administrative and technology costs.

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– **Schedule Highlights - Day 1**

- Student and Guest check-in begins at 10:00 AM on Day 1
 - Parking - Z-3 Parking Lot - 19th and Detroit - watch signage
 - Check-In - Student Union Building (SUB)
- Day 1 Morning/Afternoon
 - Hold Removal, Welcome Session, College Welcome, Red Raider Families: Supporting Your Student's Transition
- Campus Resource Fair
- Breakout Sessions:
 - Financial Matters with Financial Aid and Student Business Services, First year Success, First Gen Raider Experience, Study Abroad, Student Organization Fair, and more
- Fajita Dinner with your student
- Parent & Family Social at the McKenzie-Merket Alumni Center

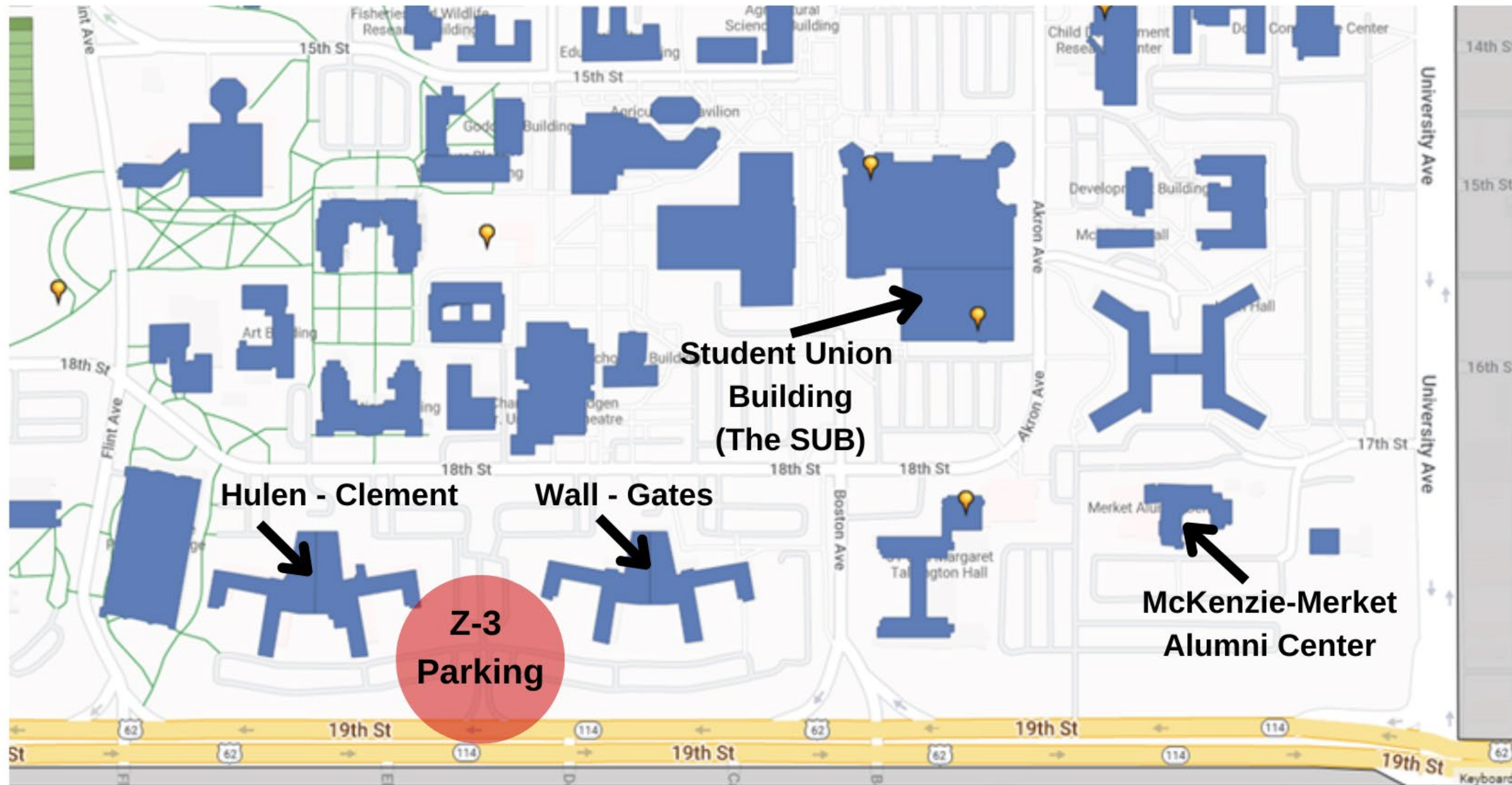
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– **Schedule Overview - Day 2**

- Breakfast in SUB Ballroom at 7:45 AM
- Preparing for Student Success at Texas Tech Session at 8:30 AM (Student Union Building)
- Academic Advising – *varies by college*
- OneStop and Residence Hall Tours – 10:00 AM - Noon
- Individual meetings with Financial Aid, Student Business Services, Military & Veterans Programs – 10:00 AM – 1:30 PM
- RRO Checkout at Jones AT&T Stadium – 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
- Library Tours Noon – 2:00
- Do not plan to leave RRO before 2:00 PM

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- **Parking**
- You will park in the Wall/Gates and Hulen/Clement Residence Hall parking lot (where students are staying for RRO).
- Please do not park in any other lots. Those are reserved for TTU faculty and staff.
- One week prior to your RRO session, you and your student will receive an email with parking registration instructions.
- Rental cars can be registered.
- ADA parking is permitted across campus with proper license plate or placard.



What to Expect at Red Raider Orientation

- **What to Bring - Students**

- Government issued ID – for Student ID pick up
- Laptop or tablet for course registration
- Bedding and towels for staying on campus - Twin XL sheets
- Swimsuit and/or athletic attire for Night at the Rec Center

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- **What to Bring**

- Financial documents if you will be speaking with Financial Aid or Military and Veterans Programs.
- Casual, comfortable clothing and shoes. Texas Tech is a very large campus, and you will be walking around. Expect summer Texas heat!
- A light jacket or cardigan as some meeting rooms can be cool.
- Money for meals not included in RRO. Dining locations on campus are cashless.

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- You will attend some sessions with your student and some on your own.
- Your student will be meeting lots of other students and making new friends.
- Students will meet with their advisors.
- Parents & Family Members will be involved with Advising (varies by college)
- You will not need to pay tuition at RRO—tuition is due three days prior to the start of classes
 - Bills will be electronically sent to your student's email address starting in late July



What to Expect at Red Raider Orientation & Red Raider Camp

Red Raider Camp

- Students will stay in the same dorm room that they did for RRO. They do NOT need to check-out on Friday.
- Your students will:
 - Further explore campus
 - Experience traditions
 - Make new friends
 - Have fun
- Parents & Family Members have an opportunity to further explore Lubbock.
- Students can still register for Red Raider Camp.



What to Expect at Red Raider Orientation

- **Don't leave without:**
 - Asking questions – there are plenty of opportunities built in to ask questions
 - Connecting with Parent & Family Relations staff
 - Meeting other families from your hometown or in your student's major



What to Expect at Red Raider Orientation

– Updates

- Be sure your student checks their TTU email address for updates about RRO, housing, academic advising, involvement opportunities, etc.
- Make sure you're part of the Red Raider Family Network – log in or create an account at ttu.campusesp.com



Next steps

- Visit www.parent.ttu.edu
- Follow us on social media @TTUPFR
- Additional webinars
 - Ready, Set, Texas Tech! What Families Need to Know about TSI and Raider Ready - May 22
 - Tuition, Financial Aid, & Scholarships - June 4
 - Campus Safety at Texas Tech - June 25
 - Academic Success at Texas Tech - July 9
 - More at www.parent.ttu.edu
- Family Weekend - October 24-26
- Family Days



Next steps

- Fall Tech-In Information:
 - Students will receive an email from University Student Housing about signing up for a Timeslot for moving in. The Timeslot program will open for all students June 3rd.
 - Visit www.housing.ttu.edu for information related to Fall Tech-In
- Raider Welcome
 - Activities and events from August 21-31



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- Need additional information about RRO?
 - Visit: www.orientation.ttu.edu
 - Email: orientation@ttu.edu
 - Call: 806-742-2993
 - Instagram: @TTUOrientation



Questions?

Use the Zoom Q&A feature

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