



NEW ORLEANS

BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

New Student Orientation – Day 1

Thursday, January 16, 2025

- 9:00am: Check-In & Breakfast** *Leavell Dining Hall*
- 9:30am: Worship & Welcome** *Leavell Chapel*
- 10:30am: Welcome from the Dean of Graduate Studies** *Sellers Recital Hall*
- 10:45am: Panel Discussion: How to Succeed as a Grad Student** *Sellers Recital Hall*
- 11:15am: Degree Program Breakout Sessions** *Locations on last page*
- 12:15pm: Welcome Lunch** *Leavell Dining Hall*
- 1:15pm: Campus Expo Begins** *Luter Student Center (LSC) Atrium*
**Come learn about our campus offices, student organizations, and all that our campus has to offer!*
- 2:00pm: Prepare Her/Prepare Him Conversations** *LSC Classrooms*
**Immediately following, please sign up for your Serve Here opportunities!*
- 3:00pm: Counseling Department Orientation & Advising** *LSC 230*
- 3:00pm: International Student Orientation** *Registrar & Student Success Office*
- 3:00pm: All Other Grad Students: Break Until Dinner** *Around NOBTS Campus*
**The Student Life Office will be open for Student IDs during this time. Otherwise, please enjoy our coffee shop, find all of your classrooms, or play some ping pong in the Student Center!*
- 5:30pm: Dinner for the Family sponsored by NAMB** *Leavell Dining Hall*
**You and your registered guests are invited to dinner with us!*
- 7:00pm: Date Night sponsored by THRIVE** *Martin Chapel*
**All married couples are invited to attend this Date Night hosted by the Dews.*
- 7:00pm: Game Night** *LSC Atrium*
**Join new and current students and play some fun board games to end your day!*

Thanks for joining us today – We will see you tomorrow!
(See reverse side for Friday's schedule)



NEW ORLEANS
BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

New Student Orientation – Day 2

Friday, January 17, 2025

- 9:45am: Day Two Check-In & T-Shirt Giveaway** *Leavell Chapel*
- 10:00am: Morning Session Begins** *Leavell Chapel*
- 11:00am: NOLA Expo** *LSC Atrium*
** Come learn about churches, ministries, businesses, and other resources in greater New Orleans!*
- 12:00pm: Lunch with Q&A about New Orleans** *Leavell Dining Hall*
- 1:00pm-3:00pm: Before you Prepare Here, Serve Here** *Ministry Sites Around New Orleans*
** Students will have the opportunity to visit a ministry site in New Orleans to serve for the afternoon.*

Classes & Chapel Begin on Tuesday, January 21!



NEW ORLEANS

BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

NOBTS Spring 2025 Degree Program Orientation Room Locations

| Degree/Department | Professor(s) | Location |
|---|--|-------------|
| MDiv Christian Ministry and Non-Degree, MDiv/MA Pastoral Ministry, MDiv Chaplaincy/Pastoral Care, Leadership, and Expository Preaching | Dr. Cory Barnes & Dr. Ted Williams | Bunyan 102 |
| MDiv/MA Biblical Languages and Biblical Studies | Dr. Charlie Ray III & Dr. Archie England | Bunyan 103 |
| MDiv/MA Christian Apologetics, Theology, Christian Thought, Philosophy, Islamic Studies, Master of Theological Studies | Dr. Adam Harwood & Dr. Tawa Anderson | Bunyan 101 |
| MDiv Church Planting, Missions, Urban Missions; MA Cross-Cultural Studies and Missiology | Dr. Greg Mathias & Dr. Ken Taylor | Bunyan 105 |
| MDiv/MA Christian Education, MDiv Ministry Leadership, MDiv Collegiate Track, and MA in Discipleship, MDiv/MACE with concentration in Social Work and MA Church & Community Ministries | Dr. Jody Dean, Dr. Donna Peavey, Dr. David Odom, & Dr. Michael Wang | Bunyan 106 |
| MDiv/MA Counseling with specializations in Marriage and Family Therapy and Clinical Mental Health Counseling | Dr. Craig Garrett, Dr. Jeff Nave, & Dr. Kristyn Carver | LSC 230 |
| MDiv/MA Church Music and Worship Ministries | Dr. Greg Woodward & Dr. Jessica McMillian | Sellers 127 |