



Trinity Law School Spring 2025 Orientation Schedule

Live, Friday, January 10, 2025 – Saturday, January 11, 2025
with pre-work due January 9, 2025

Participation in Orientation is mandatory for students new to Trinity Law School.

There are multiple parts to Orientation:

- Part I: Technology Pre-Work on Canvas – Complete by January 9 at 6:00 p.m. PT
- Part II: On Demand Videos on Canvas – Complete by January 9 at 6:00 p.m. PT
- Part III: Live In-Person and Online – Attend on Friday, January 10 at 9:00 a.m. PT
- Part IV: Live In-Person and Online – Attend on Saturday, January 11 at 9:00 a.m. PT

Orientation Part I and Part II – On Demand

Complete these mandatory sessions by Thursday, January 9 at 6:00 p.m. PT

These first-year JD Orientation sessions are pre-recorded for you to watch on your own schedule. All sessions are mandatory and must be completed by January 9 at 6:00 p.m. PT (the day prior to live Orientation sessions). All of the material and recordings are found in the Canvas Orientation Course.

Part I: Technology Pre-work Videos and Verifications

Part II: Videos -

- Professionalism & Honor Code – Associate Dean Dana Clark
 - Spiritual Formation in Law School –Professor Adeline Allen
 - Differences between Online and In-Person – Associate Dean Daniele Le
 - Wise Financial Planning – Associate VP of Operations Jennifer Tracy
 - Starting Law School – Steps to take in your first semester – Registrar Allison Quient
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Part III — Live In-Person Sessions – Friday, January 10

- 9:00 - 9:30 a.m.** | **Registration and Refreshments**
- 9:30 - 9:45 a.m.** | **Welcome**
Dean Eric Halvorson
- 9:45 - 9:50 a.m.** | **Orientation Overview**
Assistant Dean of Academic Support Joy Statler
- 9:50 - 10:00 a.m.** | **Professionalism and Conduct in Law School**
Associate Dean Dana Clark
- 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.** | **Intro to the Structure of the U.S. Legal System and Case Law**
Clinical Professor Neil Rodgers
- 11:00 - 11:15 a.m.** | **Break**
- 11:15 - 12:15 p.m.** | **Academic Skills 1: Reading and Analyzing a Judicial Opinion**
Associate Professor Andrew DeLoach
- 12:15 - 12:30 p.m.** | **Meet the Student Groups**
- 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.** | **Lunch with Faculty**
- 1:30 - 2:00 p.m.** | **Maintaining a Balanced Life in Law School**
Professor Adeline Allen
- 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.** | **Academic Skills 2: Class Prep, Case Briefing & Note Taking**
Assistant Professor Rachel Toberty
- 3:00 – 3:15 p.m.** | **Break**
- 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.** | **Academic Skills 4: Course Outlining**
Clinical Professor Neil Rodgers
- 4:15 – 4:45 p.m.** | **Schedule Management**
Assistant Dean of Academic Support Joy Statler
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Part IV — Live In-Person Sessions – Saturday, January 11

- 9:00 - 9:30 a.m.** | **Refreshments**
- 9:30 – 11:00 a.m.** | **Academic Skills 3: Mock Class Session – Contracts**
Adjunct Professor Andrew McCarron
- 11:00 - 11:15 a.m.** | **Break**
- 11:15 - 12:15 p.m.** | **What to Expect in Law School**
2L/3L/Alumni Panel Moderated by Associate Dean Dana Clark
- 12:15 - 1:15 p.m.** | **Lunch with 2L's and 3L's**
- 1:15 – 2:15 p.m.** | **Academic Skills 5: Exam Taking**
Associate Professor Andrew DeLoach
- 2:15 – 2:45 p.m.** | **Academic Support and Success in Law School**
Assistant Dean of Academic Support Joy Statler
- 2:45 - 3:00 p.m.** | **Break**
- 3:00 - 4:30 p.m.** | **Academic Skills 6: Mock Class Session – Torts**
Associate Dean Dana Clark
- 4:30 - 4:45 p.m.** | **Closing Remarks**
Dean Eric Halvorson
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