

Application Workshop Schedule

8:30-9:00 a.m. Registration	8:30-9:00 a.m.	Registration
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Lavin-Bernick Center, 1st floor lobby (bldg. #29)

9:00-9:15 a.m. **Welcome**

McAlister Auditorium (bldg. #43)

9:15-10:30 a.m. **Campus Tour**

10:45-11:15 a.m. **Session 1**

Lavin-Bernick Center, Race Room (bldg. #29, 2nd floor, rm. 201)

11:20-11:50 a.m. **Session 2**

Lavin-Bernick Center, Rechler Room (bldg. #29, 2nd floor, rm. 202)

11:55-12:30 p.m. **Session 3**

McAlister Auditorium (bldg. #43)

12:30-1:20 p.m. Lunch with current students

Bruff Commons, (bldg. #48)

1:30-2:00 p.m. Student Panel

McAlister Auditorium (bldg. #43)

2:05-2:50 p.m. **Session 4**

Lavin-Bernick Center, McKeever Room (bldg. #29, 2nd floor, rm. 210)

2:55-3:40 p.m. **Session 5**

Lavin-Bernick Center, Korach Room (bldg. #29, 2nd floor, rm. 208)

3:45-4:00 p.m. Closing remarks

McAlister Auditorium (bldg. #43)



Session Descriptions

Session 1: "Why is my personal statement important?" College Essay Writing Workshop: Students will learn general information about writing college essays, view sample prompts, discuss the writing process, and make a schedule for moving forward with writing their own personal statements and learn where to get help after today's session. (Facilitator: Lindsey Hoyt)

Session 2: "What else did you do in High School?" Creating a phenomenal resume: Students will create and/or polish their application resume to showcase their experience, skills and interest. By combining a snapshot of your academic/nonacademic accomplishments, paid/unpaid work, and on/off campus activities this workshops allows you to walk in with a draft and walk out with a great presentation of your experience and skills!

Session 3: "Did I get Admitted?" Mock College Admissions: Gain a behind-the-scenes look at how college admission committees make decisions, by serving as an admission counselor yourself! During this session students will work in small groups to evaluate a set of college applications including essays, transcripts, and recommendations. You will be in charge of admit, deny, and waitlist decisions!

Session 4: "How do I pay for College?" Financial Aid and Scholarships: With the help of our Financial Aid Office you will learn the different options you have to pay for college including the FASFA, CSS profile, grants, and scholarships. You will walk away knowing the meaning of financial aid terms and resources including: the "sticker price", cost of attendance, and net price calculator!

Session 5: "Why do you want to attend Tulane University?" Speed Interview Workshop: Ever heard of speed dating? TU's admissions counselors want to introduce you to speed interviewing to help you prepare for your upcoming college interviews. This workshop allows you the opportunity to sit down one-on-one with our counselors who will give you interview tips and feedback!