



Monday, July 13

No Scheduled Programming

Tuesday, July 14

Business Casual Attire

9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Check-In
9:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Dean's Welcome (livestream) W. Josh Cox, DO, FACOFP, Executive Dean of the College of Osteopathic Medicine Kenneth Heiles, DO, FACOFP-d, Dean of the College of Osteopathic Medicine, Joplin
9:45 – 10:15 a.m.	Making the Most of Your Orientation Experience Shannon Peterson, Assistant Vice Provost of Student Services, Joplin
10:15 – 11:00 a.m.	Team Trivia
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Lunch & Welcome Leader Introductions
12:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Welcome Stations Student Welcome Leaders

Wednesday, July 15*Business Casual Attire*

9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Student Affairs Overview
9:30 – 10:15 a.m.	Information Technology Overview (<i>livestream</i>) Julie Fountain, MA, A+, Project+, Educational Technologist
10:15 – 11:30 a.m.	Campus Operations, Safety, and Emergency Management Jim Herrington, Senior Director for Safety and Campus Operations Josh Gilreath, Supervisor, Safety & Emergency Management, Joplin
11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Alma Mater Lunch
12:45 – 1:45 p.m.	Curriculum Overview (<i>livestream</i>) Robert Rogers, PhD, MA, Assistant Dean of Curriculum & Associate Professor - Physiology, Kansas City Joseph Williams, EdD, MS, Assistant Dean of Academic Assessment and Analytics & Assistant Professor Scott Andelin, MD FAAFP, Director of Preclinical Curriculum & Assistant Professor
1:45 – 2:45 p.m.	Learning Enhancement (<i>livestream</i>) Jeannie Gilbert, MS, Learning Specialist Robin Douglas, M.Ed, Learning Specialist
2:45 – 3:45 p.m.	Counseling Services Brandi Norman, PsyD, Associate Director of Counseling & Support Services Debra Swearengen, MS, LPC, Campus Counselor Mandy Hall, MS, LPC, Campus Counselor
3:45 – 4:00 p.m.	Wrap-Up Shannon Peterson, Assistant Vice Provost of Student Services, Joplin

Thursday, July 16*Business Casual Attire*

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Student Success Strategies (livestream) Ryan Cox, MA, PhD, Director of COM Student Success
10:00 – 10:15 a.m.	Break
10:15 – 11:15 a.m.	Introduction to Scientific Foundations of Medicine (livestream) Joseph Williams, EdD, MS, Assistant Dean of Academic Assessment and Analytics & Assistant Professor
11:15 – 11:20 a.m.	Break
11:20 – 11:50 a.m.	Launch Teams Overview Amber Schmidtke, PhD, Assistant Dean of Student Success
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch with Your Launch Team
1:00 – 2:30 p.m.	Financial Aid & Loan Management Kristi Nicol, MS, Director of Financial Aid
2:30 – 3:00 p.m.	Navigating Your Schedule (livestream) Debbie Bixler, MBA, Manager of Academic Operations Anna Ruhl, Senior Academic Coordinator
3:00 – 3:30 p.m.	Exam Services (livestream) Marcos Harders, Manager of Exam Services and Analytics Zack Nidiffer, M.A.Ed., Operations Supervisor, Exam Services and Analytics Felicia Graves, M.S.Ed., Coordinator, Exam Services and Analytics Kendra Jackson, MS, Coordinator, Exam Services and Analytics
3:30 – 4:00 p.m.	Improving the Well-Being of the Communities We Serve Shannon Peterson, Assistant Vice Provost of Student Services Matt Stuckey, Director of Student Affairs
4:00 – 4:15 p.m.	Wrap-Up Shannon Peterson, Assistant Vice Provost of Student Services



Friday, July 17

Casual Attire

8:00 – 8:45 a.m.	Yoga, OMMC (optional - sign up required)
9:00 – 10:30 a.m.	Point-of-Care Ultrasound Orientation Robert Arnce, MD, Interim Vice Dean of the College of Osteopathic Medicine
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Joplin Community Resource Showcase
10:30 a.m.– 12:00 p.m.	Scavenger Hunt Check In (optional)
Noon – 3:00 p.m.	Scavenger Hunt



Monday, July 20
Athletic Attire

8:00 – 8:45 a.m.	Group Walk to Mercy Park, Meet at KCU Front Entrance (optional)
9:00 – 10:30 a.m.	Early Clinical Experiences Orientation Freeman Health Systems Access Family Community Clinic
10:30 – 10:45 a.m.	Student Records Cindy Miller, MA, Registrar Tabitha Hoadley, MBA, Assistant Registrar Urneth Arreguin, Enrollment and Academic Records Coordinator
10:45 – 11:15 a.m.	Student Accounts Shanelle Brewster, Director, Student Accounts
11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Myers-Briggs Tim Everly, Career Counseling Specialist
12:15- 1:15 p.m.	Lunch International Student Meeting (required for international students only) Liz Davis, Associate Registrar
1:15 – 4:15 p.m.	THRIVE Carlton Abner, DNP, RN, Vice Provost, Student Engagement and Well-being Nathan Matney, MPH, Director, Campus Health & Wellness Toni Nicoline, Campus Wellness Coordinator, Campus Health & Wellness

Tuesday, July 21*Casual Attire*

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Military Medicine Information Session (optional) <i>For those interested in the military medicine track and/or HPSP</i> Scott Pusateri, MD, Assistant Professor of Primary Care <i>South Classroom</i>
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Balancing Family Life Panel (optional) <i>1505 Conference Room</i>
10:00 – 11:00 a.m.	Underrepresented Students in Medicine Identity Group (optional) <i>South Classroom</i>
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	LGBTQ+ Identity Group (optional) <i>1505 Conference Room</i>
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	First-Generation Students Identity Group (optional) <i>South Classroom</i>
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	Population Health (required) (livestream) Catherine Satterwhite, PhD, MSPH, MPH, Executive Director & Professor of the Center for Population Health and Equity Ben Grin, MD, MPH, Assistant Professor of Primary Care
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Clinician Panel (required)
3:00 – 3:45 p.m.	Living Our Values (required) Thomas Moorman, Ed.D., Senior Vice Provost for Student Success
3:45 – 4:15 p.m.	White Coat Rehearsal (required) Inge Hafkemeyer, CMM, Director of University Events, University Relations
4:15 – 5:15 p.m.	Muslim Students Identity Group (optional) <i>South Classroom</i>
5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Significant Others Meet & Greet (optional) <i>Front Patio</i>



Wednesday, July 22
Scrubs

8:00 – 10:00 a.m.

Lab Groups A & B: Intro to OMM Lab

Kelley Joy, DO, Chair of Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine

Lab Groups C & D: Intro to Simulated Patient Encounters (SIM)

Rebecca Bowden, Ph.D., CHSE, CHSOS, Senior Director of Simulation

10:00 a.m. - Noon

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Thursday, July 23

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Campus Open House

*Kansas City University
2901 St. John's Blvd.
Joplin, MO 64804*

5:00 – 6:30 p.m.

White Coating Ceremony

*Joplin High School Performing Arts Center
2104 Indiana Avenue
Joplin, MO 64804*



Friday, July 24

Casual Attire

9:00 – 10:15 a.m.	Student Panel (required)
10:15 – 10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Alumni Panel (required)
11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Medical Equipment Pick-Up <i>Campus Store</i>
Noon – 12:30 p.m.	DO/MBA Dual Degree Information Session (optional) (livestream) Dave Lingerfelt, EdD, MBA, Director of the DO/MBA Program and Healthcare Certificates & Clinical Assistant Professor of Management and Analytics
12:30 – 1:00 p.m.	Bioethics Dual Degree Information Session (optional) (livestream) Aaron Segal, PhD, Assistant Professor of Bioethics Becky Sprague, MA, Bioethics Program Coordinator
1:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Public Health Certificate and Dual Degree Information Session (optional) (livestream) Catherine Satterwhite, PhD, MSPH, MPH, Executive Director, Center for Population Health and Equity Rex Archer, MD, Director and Professor of Population and Public Health Tanya Honderick, MPH, MS, RN, CPH, Campus Director, Center for Population Health and Equity

Save the Dates

PASS Mentorship Luncheon: 11:30 – 1:00 p.m. Monday, July 27

COM Student Organization Fair: August 4, 5:00-6:30 p.m.

WE CARE Community Service Day: Friday, August 7