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## Viterbo Welcomes YOU!

President Rick Trietley and  
Vic the V-Hawk can't wait  
to see you on campus!

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## Important Dates

**Aug. 22:** Move-In Day

**Aug. 22-25:** V-Hawk  
Orientation Days

**Aug. 26:** First Day of Classes

**Aug. 29:** Welcome Back Bash

[Click here](#) for more details.

## Meet the Team!



### ELLA SANS CRAINTE

Ella (she/her) is a **senior nursing and Spanish** major. She is an orientation officer and has worked with orientation for three years. She spends her free time traveling and learning as much as she can.

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### COLIN BURNS-GILBERT

Colin (he/him) is our **director of orientation and engagement**. His office is 108 Marian Hall, and he is always ready to help students find their niche at Viterbo and the community through service.

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Do you remember  
your photo with Vic?



## STAR 2024

[CLICK here](#) to view more photos from STAR 2024. Bonus points if you make it a profile pic on socials!

## Orientation 2024 | First Service Saturday

Join your orientation leaders on **Saturday, Aug. 24**, for your first of many Service Saturdays. [Click here](#) to view the amazing service locations as well as a detailed description of their service needs. Service is one of Viterbo's five core values, and we hope your first Service Saturday inspires you to look forward to all the service opportunities at your time at Viterbo.



### La Crosse Queen Sunset Cruise

You and your classmates can get a different view of La Crosse aboard the La Crosse Queen on **Friday, Aug. 30**. [Click here](#) for more information on the sunset cruise and to reserve your spot. Space is limited to 149 people. Don't miss out on the breathtaking views and relaxing vibes on the mighty Mississippi!

## Advice

- [22 Tips for First-Year College Students](#)
- [10 Tips for Transfer Students on a New Campus](#)



## What should I do now?

- Log into your Viterbo email using your [VU credentials](#)
- Reach out to [accessibility services](#) and/or [counseling services](#) to transfer care/be proactive with support.
- Start the [Common Read book](#) (*Heartland*)
- \*Download the [Viterbo App](#) and [V-Hawk Safe App](#). Look for more information on the app in the orientation group chats coming soon.



## INDOOR MOVIE VOTING



**\*\*Click [HERE](#) to choose your top choice for the indoor movie during orientation weekend as well as options for welcome week! Priority Response deadline is August 1st\*\***