

**SABANCI UNIVERSITY**  
**2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR ORIENTATION PROGRAM**  
**(24-25-26 September 2025)**

**24 September 2025, Wednesday (1<sup>st</sup> Day)**

LOCATION	TIME	PROGRAM
Sabancı University Performing Arts Center (SGM)	11:30-13:00	<b>MEET&amp;GREET**</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Registration for orientation program</li> <li>• Meeting with mentros/buddies</li> </ul>
	13:00-13:30	<b>OPENING SPEECH AND UNIVERSITY INTRODUCTION**</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rector</li> <li>• Vice Rector</li> </ul>
	13:30-14:30	<b>STUDENT LIFE &amp; UNITS' INTRODUCTION**</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Student Processes at SU (Academic, Administrative and Extracurricular Procedures) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Search and Rescue Club (SUAK) Presentation</li> <li>○ Theatre Club (SUO) Presentation</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Individual and Academic Development</li> <li>• Access to Information</li> <li>• Information Technologies</li> <li>• Campus Facilities</li> </ul>
	14:30-14:45	<b>Coffee Break</b>
	14:45-15:45	<b>FIRST YEARS OF EDUCATION AT SU*</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foundations Development Program</li> <li>• Foundations Development Year (School of Languages)</li> </ul>
Sabancı University Performing Arts Center (SGM) Foyer Area	15:45-17:00	<b>TREASURE HUNT (ORIENTEERING)*</b>

*\* Only undergraduate students are expected to attend.*

*\*\* All newly registered undergraduate and graduate students are expected to attend.*

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**25 September 2025, Thursday (2<sup>nd</sup> Day)**

LOCATION	TIME	PROGRAM	
FMAN Auditorium	10:00-12:00	<b>International Relations Office (Only for International Students)</b> • Welcoming Presentation	
Classes	11:30-12:30	Mentor – Mentee Meeting	
University Center Grass Field	13:30-20:00	<b>MEET&amp; JOIN EVENTS</b>	
	13:30-17:30	<b>Unit Stands</b>	<b>Sports-Club Events</b>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transportation services</li> <li>• Catering services</li> <li>• CIAD</li> <li>• CoSpace</li> <li>• SUGender</li> <li>• Institutional Partnerships and Alumni Relations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sport Teams</li> <li>• Club promotion stands</li> <li>• Workshops</li> </ul>
	14:00-17:00	DJ Performance	
	17:30-18:30	Radio Club DJ Performance	
	18:45-20:30	Music Club Orientation Concert	
	20:30-22:00	Welcome Concert	
	22:00-23:00	Radio Club DJ Performance	

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**26 September 2025, Friday (3<sup>rd</sup> Day)**

SEMINARS (10:00-16:40)									
SESSIONS	UNIT / SPEAKER	VENUE	10.00 10.40	11.00 11.40		13.00 13.40	14.00 14.40	15.00 15.40	16.00 16.40
Exchange Programs Opportunities Abroad	IRO*/ Gülin Karahüseyinoğlu	SBS G071	X (TR)		LUNCH				X (ENG)
"Residence Permit and Other Legal Procedures (for all)	IRO/Berna Vişne	Cinema Hall	X (ENG)						
Equivalence Application (only for undergraduate degree students)"									
Being a Foreigner in Türkiye	FDY*/David Hill	SBS G071						X (ENG)	
What's Happening in Collaboration Space?	CoSpace/Melih Yaylı	Collaboration Space					X (ENG)		X (TR)
Meeting with BADAs	CIAD*/Pınar Türker & Tuğçe Küpeli	FENS L067	X (TR)			X (ENG)	X (TR)	X (TR)	
Adaptation to University and Campus Life	CIAD/Alpay Filiztekin	Cinema Hall				X (TR)	X (TR)	X (TR)	X (ENG)
From Peer to Peer: What if I Struggle in Courses?	ASP*/Melisa Eren, Kerem Altunbaş, Aysu Sarı, Saghar Yeganehparast, Ali Osman Terlemez	FASS 1050				X (TR)	X (ENG)		X (TR)
From Peer to Peer: PURE Projects	Saghar Yeganehparast & Azra At	FENS L035				X (TR)	X (ENG)		X (TR)
From Peer to Peer: When Declaring my Major...	CIAD/Nil Özde Özgen & Ali Khaled A. Ishtay Altamimi	FASS 1001				X (ENG)	X (TR)	X (TR)	
When It Comes to Your Career, Sky is the Limit	Career Office/ Cemre Sandal, Fatma Çevik & Zehra Güney	FASS 1010				X (TR)	X (ENG)	X (TR)	
Inspiring Lectures	FENS*/Ali Rana Atılğan	FENS G032					X (TR)		
Inspiring Lectures	FASS*/Ayşecan Terzioğlu	FENS G032				X (ENG)			
Inspiring Lectures	SBS*/Can Akkan	FENS G032						X (TR)	
Let's Explore Equality at University Together...	SU-Gender/Gökçesu Özgül	FENS G015					X (ENG)	X (TR)	
The Power of Achieving Together: Team Building Workshop	CIP*/Zeynep Bahar Çelik ve Aslı Acar	FENS L061					X (TR)		
Health at SU	Dr. Gökhan Korel	FENS L062				X (ENG)		X (TR)	
Foundations Development Program: Philosophy and Design	FDP*/Marloes Cornelissen Aydemir	FENS G077		X (ENG)					
Life at School Of Languages	FDY*/Jacqueline Einer ve Pınar Gündüz	SBS G071		X (TR/ENG)					

**IRO\* International Relations Office**  
**FDY\* Foundations Development Year**  
**CIAD\* Center for Academic and Individual Development**  
**ASP\* Academic Support Programs**  
**FENS\* Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences**  
**FASS\* Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences**  
**SBS\* Sabancı Business School**  
**CIP\* Civil Involvement Projects**  
**FDP\* Foundations Development Program**

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**CLUB AND SPORT EVENTS (18.00- 22.00)**

CLUB	ACTIVITY	VENUE	18.00 18.40	19.00 19.40	20.00 22.00
<b>Outdoor Sports Club (SUDOSK)</b>	Camping / Workshop	Climbing Wall (Sport Center)	X	X	X
<b>Astronomy Club</b>	Observation	Rectorate Grass		X	X
<b>Street Games and Culture Club</b>	Blind Man's Buff	UC Grass			X
<b>Turkish Japanese Cultural Interaction Club (SUTJEK)</b>	Game Night	FENS G032			X
<b>Pandora Science Fiction and Fantasy Club (BKFK)</b>	Game Night	FMAN G098			X
<b>Music Club</b>	Acoustic Performance	UC Grass	X	X	
<b>Radio Club</b>	DJ Performance	UC Grass			X