DISCOVER LOYOLA:

**Sunday, August 25**

9:00-1:00 PM: Rome Start students’ arrival and Move-In Day
Check-in and official IDs issued

*Parents and families are welcome to attend move-in day activities*

10:00-8:00 PM: Rinaldo's Coffee Bar open and serving food

1:00 PM: Welcome Address
Vice President and Director, Emilio Iodice; Dean of Faculty, Dr. Susana Cavallo; Associate Director of Rome Start, John Chandler S.J.

1:30 PM: Lunch for students and families

3:00-4:00 PM: Parent Q/A session:
- Financial Aid/Bursar info
- Core Curriculum
- Health and Safety at the JFRC

4:00-4:30 PM: All Students:
**Technology Session** – Assist students in logging-in and setting up internet connection.
**Phone session** – Assist students with use of campus phones and obtaining Italian cell phones.
**Building Tour**

4:30-5:30 PM: Walking tours of Balduina neighborhood for students and families.

6:30 PM: Mass

7:15 PM: Dinner in Rinaldo's Coffee Bar

**Monday, August 26**

9:00 AM: Breakfast (Coffee Bar)

10:00-12:30 PM: Discover Loyola Orientation Sessions: (Information Commons)

Welcome
Transformative Education in the Ignatian Tradition
John Chandler S.J., Associate Director of Rome Start

Educational Opportunities at Loyola: Your Major and Minor
Dean of Faculty, Dr. Susana Cavallo

The Core Curriculum at Loyola
Dr. Anne Wingenter, History Professor

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Technology, Resources, and Research at Loyola
Elise Aversa, JFRC Librarian

Living and Learning at the JFRC
Cynthia Bomben, Associate Dean of Students
Michael Beazley, Director of Residence Life and Student Services

Academic Support Services
Carla Mollica, Academic Services Advisor

12:30-1:00 PM: Q & A
1:00-2:00 PM: Lunch in Rinaldo’s Coffee Bar
2:00-5:00 PM: Free Time
5:00-6:00 PM: Keynote Address
Dr. Alexander Evers, Assistant Professor of Classical Studies and Ancient History
6:30 PM Walk to Rome’s historic center and orientation to Rome’s public transportation system
8:00 PM Pizza dinner in the city center
10:00 PM Gelato at “Old Bridge” Gelateria

Tuesday, August 27

9:00-10:00 AM: American Breakfast (Rinaldo’s Coffee Bar)
10:00-12:30 PM: AlcoholEDU for College
12:30-1:30 PM: Lunch in Rinaldo’s Coffee Bar
1:30-3:00 PM: Faculty-led discussion of the First-Year text (TBD) & Small Group Work
3:00-6:00 PM: Excursion in the Rome area TBD
6:00-8:00 PM: Free Time
8:30 PM Discover Loyola Banquet Dinner and Reflection
JFRC ORIENTATION:

**Wednesday, August 28**

9:00-12:00PM:  Rome Start bus to IKEA (Porta di Roma centro commerciale) *(optional)*

**JFRC Study Abroad students arrival and move-in throughout the day**

*Check-in and official IDs issued*

12:30-2:30 PM: Lunch in Mensa (Cafeteria)

4:00 PM: Walking tours of Monte Mario/Balduina neighborhood *(optional)*

5:00 PM: JFRC Community Standards Meeting

**Thursday, August 29**

10:00-12:45 PM: Mandatory Permit to Stay Paperwork Sessions

12:00-1:30 PM: Lunch in Mensa

2:00-3:15 PM: Survival Italian language session #1

4:00-5:00 PM: Walking tours of Monte Mario/Balduina neighborhood

*Group dinner in the neighborhood*

**Friday, August 30**

10:00-11:15 AM: Survival Italian language session #2

11:30-12:30 PM: ‘When in Rome’ Cultural Workshop

12:30-2:00 PM: Lunch in Mensa

2:00-3:00 PM: Academic and Student Life at the JFRC

3:30-4:30 PM: Safety in Rome – US Citizen Services sessions

6:30 PM: Welcome reception and buffet dinner

**Saturday, August 31**

10:00-11:15 AM: Survival Italian language session #3

11:30-1:30PM: Lunch in Mensa

2:00-6:00 PM: Roman Forum/Colosseum lecture and site visit

**Sunday, September 1**

Day trip to seaside resort

**Monday September 2**
Classes begin

**Friday - Sunday, September 6-8**

Weekend Orientation Trip – details forthcoming

*Schedule, times and locations are subject to change.
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