

DISCOVERIES FSEM SESSION GUIDELINES

TUESDAY (2 HOURS): ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

TOPICS	OBJECTIVES
INTRODUCTIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Frame the week • Ice breakers • Ground rules
MY DU EDUCATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debrief Convocation & DU's mission • What is a liberal arts education? What is its value?
WHAT IS AN FSEM?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is FSEM • Program overview and course
WHO IS MY FSEM FACULTY MENTOR & WHAT DO THEY DO?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of FSEM faculty • Difference between FSEM advisor and other faculty
WHAT IS EXPECTED OF ME AS A DU COLLEGE STUDENT?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student role • Learning in college is challenging, may be uncomfortable, and is less transactional • Plagiarism, Honor Code, academic etiquette

WEDNESDAY AM (1 HOUR): BUILD YOUR COMMUNITY, KNOW YOUR RESOURCES

TOPICS	OBJECTIVES
ONE BOOK DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One Book discussion • Prep for All Campus Lectures

WEDNESDAY PM (1.5 HOURS): BUILD YOUR COMMUNITY, KNOW YOUR RESOURCES

WHAT DOES MY DEGREE LOOK LIKE?

- Common Curriculum
- Major exploration & questions to consider (prep for College Receptions)
- Advising structure

ALL CAMPUS LECTURES DEBRIEF & ONE BOOK DISCUSSION

- Debrief All Campus Lectures
- Continue One Book discussion
- Overview of One Book programming (author visit, Encountering Stories)

THURSDAY (VARIOUS): EXPLORE YOUR COLORADO COMMUNITY

TOPICS	OBJECTIVES
DESTINATIONS TRIPS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Get students off-campus • Navigate RTD • Do something fun!

FRIDAY (1.75 HOURS): DEBRIEF

TOPICS	OBJECTIVES
DEBRIEFING THE WEEK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debrief the week • What questions do students still have?
WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW TO HELP ME SUCCEED?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unspoken student expectations • Campus jargon & acronyms • Academic resources (Writing Center, etc.)