

**DPT-Tampa
Class of 2029
On-Campus Orientation Day Schedule
Friday August 21, 2026**

Parking: Fee waived. Do not back into parking spots or you will be ticketed.

[On-campus Orientation Zoom Link for Recording Sessions](#) Meeting ID: 870 5080 9816

Time	Activity	Room
800-900 (60")	Arrival, Campus Tour, Welcome Students, Family and Friends	Rear Lobby
	Continental Breakfast	Cafe
830-900	Take Photo and Receive Shark ID Card	Mailroom
	Family & Friends On Your Own until 430 pm	
900-1020	Students: Welcome & Introduction to Campus Services (record)	3661
900-905 (5")	Welcome – Dr. Kathleen Manella, Program Director	
905-910 (5")	Erica Sherrard (Recruitment) & Danielle White (virtual), Graduate Admissions	
910-920 (10")	Stacy Ann Payne, Regional Building Manager	
920-930 (10")	Patrick McGowan, Public Safety and Security	
930-945 (15")	Maria Mateu and Branka Anicic, Financial Aid	
945-1005 (25")	Melinda Johnson, Library Services (on Zoom)	
1005-1020 (15")	Break - Take Photo and Receive Shark ID Card	Mailroom
1020-1100 (40")	Faculty, Staff, Student Introductions & Student Affairs: Recitation of NSU Creed & Shark Pins (Dr. Natacha Villedrouin on-campus)	3661
1100-1145	Student Organizations (selected students with faculty liaisons) (record sessions)	3661
1100-1115 (15")	SPTA – Dr. Pat Dorangricchia (Virtual) & Kaylee Lorenzetti (Virtual)	
1115-1130 (15")	Shark Motion – Dr. Lance Cherry & Ava Lytle	
1130-1145 (15")	Student Outreach – Dr. Beth DeMarse, Jake Wertheimer	
1145-200	Lunch Break - Take Photo and Receive Shark ID Card	Mailroom
1145-200	Faculty Advisor/Advisee Lunch (Student Affairs) Remote Faculty Advisors/Advisees (pick up lunch from 3125) Dr. Willgens & Dr. Dorangricchia meet virtually with their advisees	3125 3250, 3251
200-250	Professional Conduct Expectations (record sessions)	3661
200-225 (25")	Key Academic Policies – Dr. Kathleen Manella	
225-250 (25")	Professional Behavior in Clinical Education-Dr. Lance Cherry, Dr. Jonathan Dolutan	
250-450	Your First Semester Courses (record sessions)	3661
250-345 (55")	Applied Anatomy for Physical Therapists – Dr. Joy Rhoades	
345-400 (15")	Break - LAST CHANCE: Take Photo and Receive Shark ID Card	Mailroom
400-425 (25")	Professional Issues in Physical Therapy – Dr. Jonathan Dolutan	
425-450 (25")	Patient Care 1 for Physical Therapists – Dr. Beth DeMarse	
430-515 (45")	For Family & Friends – Supporting Your DPT Student – Dr. Kathleen Manella Family & Friends Session Class of 2029 Zoom Link Meeting ID: 884 4169 1079 Passcode: 340857	3201
530-700	Welcome Reception – Students, Family & Friends, Faculty & Staff	Cafe