Orientation activities begin Sunday

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Some 1,000 freshmen from all points of the compass will converge on Montana State University Sunday to plunge into a week of orientation activities. The busy round of events in store for incoming freshmen will see them through the official registration process and introduce them to various facets of campus life before classes start on September 28, according to A. C. Cogswell, dean of students.

The orientation program will get under way Sunday with the president's reception from 2-4 p.m. in the Lodge to give students and their parents a chance to meet President H. K. Newburn, Dean Cogswell, and Dr. Maurine Clow, associate dean of students. New students will receive a choral welcome to MSU at a singing-on-the-steps at Main Hall at 8:30 p.m., with Prof. Lloyd leading the singing. The day will close with fireside welcomes in the lounges of the residence halls at 9 p.m.

For the next five days new students will be taking placement and aptitude tests and physical examinations, conferring with faculty advisers, learning their way around the campus, and getting acquainted with their classmates. Actual registration for freshmen will take place Friday in the Field House.

MSU administrators, faculty, and upperclass students cooperate in conducting the orientation program for new students, Dean Cogswell said.

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