
NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION
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1. Students will be introduced to the university's history, traditions, and culture
2. Students will meet with an academic advisor, understand the courses they need to take, and complete the registration process
3. Students will develop a connection to the institution through interacting with fellow students, faculty, and staff
4. Students will familiarize themselves with campus
5. Students will understand the responsibilities and expectations of a student in order to be successful at Purdue Fort Wayne

MASTODON ORIENTATION 101 – Online self-guided orientation

MASTODON ADVISING – Meet with academic advisor to discuss courses

MASTODON ORIENTATION 102 – In-person or virtual New Student Orientation

MASTODON ORIENTATION 103 – Welcome Weekend


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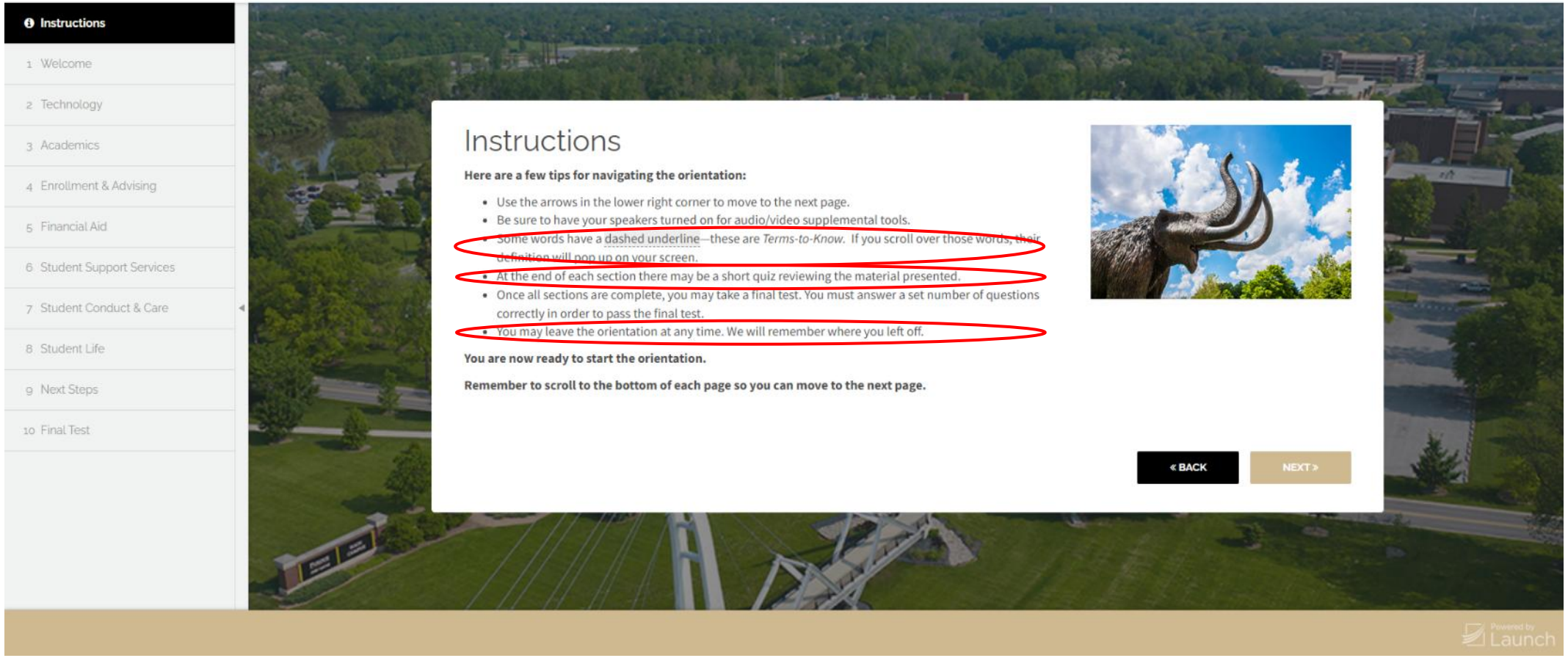
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March 1, 2027

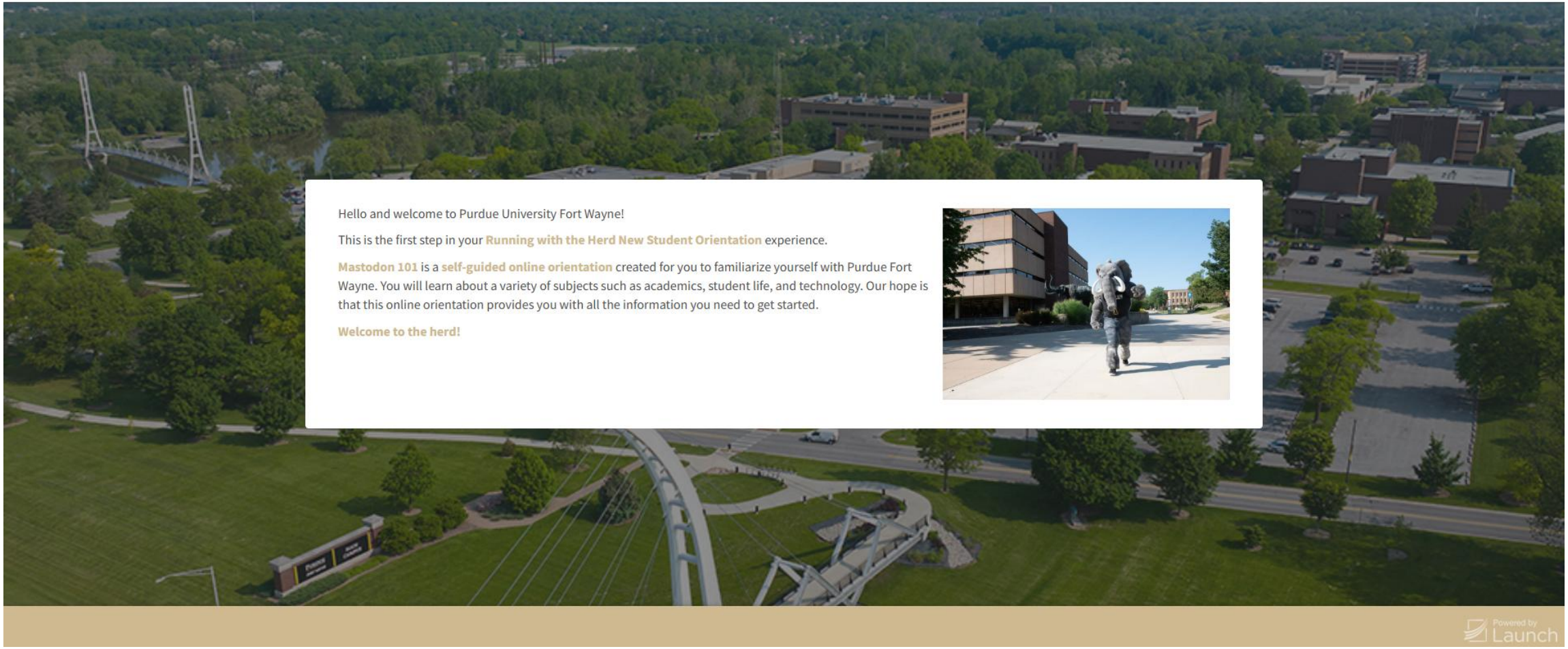
Mastodon Orientation 101 Opens

Beginning on March 1, students who have replied to their offer and paid their enrollment deposit will receive an email with a link to their self-guided orientation module. The link will also be available in their admission portal.

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Hello and welcome to Purdue University Fort Wayne!

This is the first step in your **Running with the Herd New Student Orientation** experience.

Mastodon 101 is a **self-guided online orientation** created for you to familiarize yourself with Purdue Fort Wayne. You will learn about a variety of subjects such as academics, student life, and technology. Our hope is that this online orientation provides you with all the information you need to get started.

Welcome to the herd!

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MASTODON ORIENTATION 102

Throughout the summer, we host orientations in-person and virtually to help students get acclimated to campus and connect with their peers. Content for this half day experience would include the following:

- Campus Resources and Student Organizations Resource Fair
- Learn about your Major Sessions
- Financial Aid and Paying for College informational sessions
- Campus Tours and Housing information sessions
- Student focused small groups and Parent and Family Sessions
- Other sessions to consider: IT, Student Health & Well-being, Civics Literacy


MASTODON ORIENTATION 103
MASTODON STAMPEDE
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MASTODON ORIENTATION 103

This four day student only extended orientation allows students to move onto campus early and experience college life before the first day of school.

- Class of 2030 Dinner with Alumni
- Pep Rally with Half Court Shot Competition
- Walmart Takeover
- Lunch with the Deans & Faculty
- College Orientations
- Mastodon Stampede down Mastodon Way
- Welcome Back BBQ
- Fort Wayne Fun Day
- Find your classes session
- Sunday Supper

