



**Minnesota
North College**



Boundary Waters College Outdoor Orientation 2026 Trip Itinerary

Sunday, August 16

Option to move into campus housing between Noon and 4pm.

- Please confirm that your campus housing is available (see enclosed form)

Monday, August 17

8am meeting on campus in Gym (Near college front entrance).

- Introductions and trip overview
- Bring your gear - gear shuffle/trip pack out – we provide packs
- Permit pick up and transport to Boundary Waters Entry Point
- Trail Lunch
- First night on the trail

Tuesday, August 18 – Thursday, August 20

On Trail - Travel Days

- Daily travel agenda is approximately 10 miles, plus portages each day
- Portage and paddle school
- Maps and navigation practice
- Campfire discussions about college
- Northern Lights, swimming, and fishing!?!?

Friday, August 21

Last day on trail, return to campus early afternoon

- Break camp and travel to van pick up
- Gear clean-up
- Trail lunch provided
- Debrief trip

**Housing Details

Official campus move-in days were assigned for you based on your room assignment. However, participants of the Boundary Water College Outdoor Orientation that are living on campus this fall have a few options to move into your campus housing. Please remember, **fall tuition payments and/or financial aid will need to be in order before you can move into your campus housing.**

Options for BWCOO participants to move into on-campus housing-

1. Move in before the canoe trip on Sunday, August 16th between Noon-4pm.
2. Move in after the trip Aug 22 or 23, from 11am-3pm.
Come up for the trip but plan to move-in after the trip. In this case you'll run home after the trip to get your belongings or have family/friends meet you for move-in on the regular move in dates. Campus housing and student services offices are open from 11am-3pm both Saturday and Sunday.

All housing check in's occur at the Residence Life Office in Vermilion Hall. (Enter Vermilion Hall by driving around the back side of the Theater). Enter and turn left down the hallway just before the RA offices. Proceed until you see the Student Life Office. Call 218-235-2124 if needed.

College Orientation

All new students are required to attend an orientation event on the evening of their move in day. Canoe trip participants will join the housing meeting on Sunday night and Orientation on Monday. See your RA for details after the trip.

Housing Questions???

Sara Yatckoske at sara.yatckoske@minnsotanorth.edu or 218-235-2124

Classes and Financial Aid Questions?

- Please reach out to your Academic Advisor who helped you register