MS Orientation 2025

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[Announcer] LSU Health Shreveport welcomed 150 new medical students to campus, with a variety of events designed to help them get ready for the next step in their journey to become physicians.	Montage of huge group of students coming down the staircase, smiling as they receive their computers and trying on white coats
They began with a welcome party where students met and mingled, played games, and decompressed before classes started.	Montage of smiling students posing with signs declaring “So excited to start medical school”, chatting with dean of admissions and in a large ballroom cheering as one wins a game
[Carson] It's been super exciting. I think it's, great to come out and meet new people for the first time.	Young man in button up shirt with red curly hair in front of a purple banner with LSU Health Shreveport logo Text: Carson Smith Incoming Medical Student
[Zoe] It’s been great getting to meet all my new classmates.	New students talking with older students around a table covered with display materials
I’ve loved just hanging out with them and just becoming really excited to see what it’s going to look like to go to school at	Young woman in white shirt with hair pulled back in front of a purple banner with LSU Health Shreveport logo Text: Zoe Curtis Incoming Medical Student
LSU Health Shreveport and become a doctor.	Students chatting as they mark Bingo cards
[Moiz] I've been having a great time meeting new people, seeing new things. The facilities here are amazing.	Young man with dark floppy hair and glasses in front of a purple banner with LSU Health Shreveport logo Text: Moiz Fazalurrehman Incoming Medical Student

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[Dr. Johnson] And allow me to first welcome, and also to congratulate this year's class of first year students	Older gentleman in dark suit and purple tie at podium in large round auditorium Text: Doctor Lester Johnson Interim Chancellor
and to wish you and your family the very best.	Students in auditorium listen intently to Doctor Johnson
[Announcer] Orientation began by hearing from the interim chancellor, Doctor Lester Johnson, and about all the services available to help them navigate through the next four years. **Carson** A lot of insight that's been given on how to, you know, structure studying or you know, how we go about our classes and whatnot and how to reach	Various shots of students in large round auditorium listening as different people speak from a podium in the center
out to different faculty members and stuff like that. So I think it'll be a big help.	Carson on camera
[Moiz] We had so many interesting speakers come in and tell us what to expect.	Students listen to speaker at podium in auditorium
Honestly, I'm learning a lot just by showing up and being here. I'm not even, you know, studying for anything, so it's awesome.	Moiz on camera
[Announcer] An organization fair gave them a chance to learn about all the activities available, from medical specialty groups to cooking, there is something to interest everyone. **[Moiz]** So I'm interested in ophthalmology, the ophthalmology interest group	Montage of shots of students around various tables discussing many different student organizations
as well as, I joined the radiology interest group as well,	Moiz on camera
as well as a surgery interest group. So I'm interested in surgery, but I also want to see kind of other things as well and some things that I haven't really seen before.	Various shots of students as they learn about a variety of interest groups

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[Announcer] The week wrapped with a ceremony where students received their white coats. These students will begin seeing patients early in their training. **[Dr. Johnson]** This occasion, this morning, signifies the beginning of a student's journey and caring for patients. And it serves as the stepping stone to receiving a long white coat, once a student becomes a physician.	Montage of smiling students receiving their white coats two at a time from two faculty members and stopping to smile and pose for photographs
[Carson] For most of us that are trying to go into this field, it's something that we've been looking for for a long time. So I'm really excited to see my parents, my grandparents and all the people I love come out and see me get white coated.	Carson on camera then receiving his white coat from Dr. Johnson and smiling for a photo
[Moiz] So, actually, I come from a family of doctors. All my siblings have had their white coat ceremony done before, and now it's my turn to finally get a white coat. And then hopefully, I can become Doctor Fazal one day, you know, and join the rest of the pack.	Moiz on camera then receiving his white from Dr. Johnson and his father, who he hugs.
[Zoe] I'm really excited to have my family come see me get my white coat. It's something that I've been working really hard towards in the past couple of years. And I just really get to see this vision and dream of being a doctor come to fruition.	Zoe on camera then receiving her white coat from Dr. Johnson then posing for a photo with a huge smile on her face
[Announcer] Finally, friends and family were invited back to campus for Family Day, where they could tour the facility and see where their students will be spending most of their time over the next four years.	Montage of groups walking around campus and listening to a presentation in the library common room.
[Carson] know, I've been out of school for a year now, so I'm ready to get back in the classroom and get things going.	Carson on camera, smiling
[Zoe] I'm just really excited to start learning!	Zoe smiling on camera

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Announcer Congratulations to the class of 2029 and welcome to LSU Health Shreveport.	Class photo of students standing on and around stairs Text: Welcome Class of 2029!