

Hey First Year Students!

My name is Sarah and I will be your mentor for your first year at DePauw! Basically, I will be here to help you get acquainted with life at DePauw and guide you through the adjustments along the way. There is so much to experience in your first year, and especially in the first few weeks, so I will help to expose you to all that DePauw has to offer! If you need guidance about anything from class selections and professors, athletics, activities, community service, Greek life, or anything else you might be wondering about, feel free to ask me both over the summer and throughout the year!

Let me tell you a little about myself...I have lived in the Chicago area my whole life and live in a northern suburb called Kenilworth. I went to New Trier High School, which is HUGE (about 4500 students in all), so coming to a smaller school like DePauw was definitely an adjustment for me, but I have loved it! At DePauw, I am involved in DePauw Community Service, or DCS as you will come to know it, and volunteer at a school in Greencastle during the year. I usually work with preschool or kindergarten, which is so much fun! I am a member of a sorority and I hold a position in my house and involved in a lot of activities both within my house and within the whole Greek community. I am majoring in English Literature and have minors in both Spanish and Economics. I will be a senior this fall, and have no idea what I would like to do after college, but have a few different ideas that I am all considering!

I hope that everyone is having a wonderful summer!! I know that I am so far! I can't wait to meet all of you in the fall and teach you all of the great things about life at DePauw! My first year was so much fun, between meeting all the new people, experiencing new types of classes, and even living away from home! So get excited for a great year ahead!

If you ever have questions about anything over the summer, feel free to send me an email at: sarahheck_2009@depauw.edu. OR, you can always look me up on Facebook and send me a message!

Get excited for a jam-packed year!!! But in the meantime, have a wonderful, fun, and relaxing summer break! I will see you all in the fall on campus!

~Sarah