

 **Iris Li**



Hi everyone! I am a rising sophomore from Shenzhen, China. I am interested in studying Chemistry and Psychology and am engaged in the Wellesley Equestrian Team, Wellesley Polo Team, and 180 Degrees Consulting. My Orientation experience was very eye-opening as I was fed with information about college life and life at Wellesley. Everyone in the Wellesley community is so caring and supportive that I always felt comfortable meeting new people and asking questions. I look forward to welcoming you to the Wellesley family next fall!

Mohar Li

 **Leanne Shen**



Hi everyone! I'm a rising sophomore from Lower Gwynedd, Pennsylvania. I'm interested in Computer Science, English, and Economics. On campus, I'm involved with the Wellesley College Democrats, the Whiptails (Wellesley's Ultimate Frisbee team), and WZLY 91.5 FM! Despite its name, Orientation can feel a little.. *disorienting* at times. We're here to make the transition as easy as possible for everyone. Wellesley is an amazing community, and we can't wait for you all to be a part of it!

Leanne Shen

 **Cat Larson**



Hey! I'm from Amherst, Massachusetts. I'm a rising sophomore interested in studying Economics and Computer Science. On campus, I'm part of college government, Chamber Music Society, and Dead Serious (Wellesley's one and only improv group!). Wellesley has a little something for everyone and I'm so excited for you all to experience Orientation as a jumping off point to find your niche. I hope you're all psyched about coming to campus and I can't wait to meet all of you and help you thrive at Wellesley!

Cat Larson

 **Kayli Hattley**



Heyo everyone! I'm a rising sophomore from Houston, Texas interested in studying Biochemistry. On campus i'm involved with WCTV (Wellesley College Television), Yanvalou Drum and Dance Ensemble, and Chamber Music Society. Moving far away from home was a big challenge for me at first and I found it very scary. However Orientation showed me that Wellesley could be my home away from home with all the nice people I met, interesting events I attended, and great memories I made! I hope you're all ready to join the sisterhood and find out for yourself what Wellesley has to offer. I can't wait to meet y'all and have a blast this fall!

Kayli Hattley

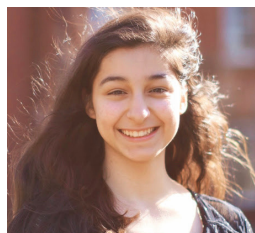


Welcome!

Welcome Class of 2023, transfer students, and Davis Scholars! Congratulations on your acceptance to Wellesley College and for beginning a new chapter in your educational lives. College will be filled with new opportunities, obstacles and challenges, but you don't have to navigate them alone. As your Orientation Coordinators, we are here to help you transition into our community, through creating an impactful and fun Orientation program and guiding you to all the resources available at Wellesley. If you ever need any help, feel free to contact any of us.

All six of us are very excited to be planning your Orientation, and we can't wait to meet you all. As you prepare for your arrival to campus, remember to check the Entering Student Checklist on a monthly basis and complete all the necessary tasks by the respective due dates. Please read the information in the welcome packet carefully and follow us on Facebook (Wellesley New Student Orientation) and Instagram (@wellesleyorientation) to keep up to date on all things Orientation. We are here for you and if you have any questions, you are just a person away from an answer. We can be reached at orientation@wellesley.edu and 781-283-2327. Enjoy your summer, and we will see you in the fall!

 **Isabel Ortiz**



Hello! I grew up in Garden Grove California. I'm a rising sophomore, who's interested in majoring in Political Science and Economics. On campus, I'm a member of the Wellesley Ballroom Dance Team, the Wellesley Debate Society, House Council, College Government, and C.P.L.A. I enjoy being involved and I remember that during my Orientation, I was very excited to learn more about the many clubs and opportunities that Wellesley had to offer. I hope that during your Orientation, you may find clubs that excite you and communities where you could make new friends. Some advice, don't be afraid to try new things, the best way to learn and grow is by doing things you have never done before. Congratulations to all of you and I can't wait to meet you! Welcome to the Wellesley family!

Isabel Ortiz

 **Marie Tan**



Hi there! I am from Shrewsbury, Massachusetts! I am a rising junior majoring in Biology and minoring in Health and Society. On campus, I am involved with the Balance Health Educators, the Guild of Carillonners, and the WC Emergency Medical Services. I remember walking into Orientation feeling excited, yet a bit nervous about making new friends and finding things that I am passionate about. By the end of Orientation, I felt that I had some sense of what I wanted to do and made friends who I knew I could rely on. It's okay to not know what to do at Wellesley, but I hope that orientation is your first step into the opportunities and support systems that are available at Wellesley! I look forward to seeing you all.

Marie Tan

