## NORBERT O. SCHEDLER HONORS COLLEGE INFORM AND INTERVIEW DAY

9:30 - 10:00 Check in- Student Center Ballroom (205A)

(Students will be pre-assigned to their small group instructor.)

- 10:00 11:05 Welcome and Introductions Honors Nuts and Bolts
- 11:05 11:20 Break
- 11:20 11:50 Panel Discussion by current Honors students (parents and students)
- 12:00 12:50 Lunch at Christian Cafeteria (cafeteria map included in folder)

"All you can eat" meal includes access to two hot meal lines, a pasta bar, a sandwich bar, a hamburger bar, a pizza bar, a breakfast station, and a salad bar.

1:00 - 1:50 Students Only - Large Group Lecture (SC 223/224)

Students will listen to an Honors College lecture. The topic will relate to the Peter Elbow response students submitted for admission. This lecture is meant to simulate the college lecture experience. Students will do a short writing exercise at the end of the lecture.

Parents - Q & A with UCA Administrators (SC 205A)

Parents will meet with UCA administrators and can ask questions about housing/food services, registration, admission, financial aid and scholarships, study abroad, campus safety, counseling and peer coach services, and student programs.

## **GROUP A**

2:00 - 2:50 Students Only - Break out into Small Groups (see Nametag)

A small-group seminar discussion based on the essay students wrote responding to Peter Elbow. This small group interaction will serve as an interview for the students, who will be evaluated based on their interaction with the faculty and other students.

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This is one more chance for parents to ask questions of the Honors College staff regarding curriculum, housing, scholarships, study abroad and internship programs, or any other questions that were not answered earlier in the day.

3:00 - 3:50 Tours of Honors Facilities (Students and Parents)

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