

## Hawk Days

Hawk Days are a series of programs and events that focus on academic success, stress relief, career and life planning workshops, and how to get involved at KU. Hawk Days are designed to help you become oriented to academic services and resources at KU, thus helping you become connected and academically successful.

**Gearing Up – September 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup>** – Programs are focused on preparing students for what to expect as a first year student at the University of Kansas.

**Involving Yourself – Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>** – Programs are focused on involving yourself academically and leadership development. These sessions are offered to encourage students to become involved on campus and in the community.

- **KU Majors Fair:** A campus-wide program designed to encourage KU undergraduates, especially freshmen and sophomores, to explore and choose appropriate academic majors. It features faculty, staff, and students from all majors and schools who share information about their departments with students in a fair-like setting.  
**Tuesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>; 11 a.m. - 3 p.m., 4<sup>th</sup> Floor of the Kansas Union.**
- **Faculty Food for Thought:** Professors and academic advisors are invited to have dinner in the various locations to engage in conversations with the students. The program puts faculty and students together and encourages discussion on professor expectations, strategies for success, appropriate resolution to common issues and concerns, and life outside the classroom.  
**Tuesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>; 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m., Gertrude Sellards Pearson Dining Hall & Oliver Dining Hall**  
**Wednesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>; 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m., Mrs. E's Dining Hall**

**Staying Focused - Oct 20<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>** – Programs are focused on study skills, academic success, and stress relief strategies.

**Finishing Strong – Nov 17<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>** – Programs are focused on the importance of major exploration, internship preparation, and career preparation.

Hawk Days are scheduled throughout the fall 2009 and spring 2010 semesters. Please visit [www.hawkdays.ku.edu](http://www.hawkdays.ku.edu) for an updated schedule of events.