I stood in line for lunch today behind two students talking about their families who are coming in this weekend for Fall Family Weekend. Based on that conversation, one of the girls is *really* looking forward to her favorite chocolate chip cookies you are bringing, Mom! The upperclassmen she was speaking with was excited to have her Dad help her hang a new shelf in her apartment and then they were headed out to Coopers Rock to go hiking. No matter what the plans, with six weeks officially in the books for this semester, your students are excited to see you!

Knock on wood - it looks like it should be beautiful fall weather in Morgantown this weekend with temperatures in the low 70’s and sunny! There are many activities planned for families to participate in on campus and throughout town if you wish or just enjoy letting your students show you around their home-away-from-home. Check out the details, parking and transportation info, and schedules below. Safe travels and we’ll see you soon!

**Fall Family Weekend starts Friday!**

Be sure to drop by the Welcome Stop Friday evening from 4:30- 7:00 p.m., talk to some WVU folks and have a snack while you make your evening plans.

Saturday, plan to join us for the Mountaineer Game Watch: [http://bit.ly/FFWGameWatch2](http://bit.ly/FFWGameWatch2) and help cheer the Mountaineers to victory over Texas Tech (Our football team is currently 3-0 and ranked #12!) If you prefer the great outdoors, try one of the Adventure WV options like zip lining, kayaking or hiking. Or sign up for the Family Fun Run 5k to start your day. For the complete schedule of events go here: [http://bit.ly/FFWScheduleOfEvents](http://bit.ly/FFWScheduleOfEvents).


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