1. What should I wear to Running Start?

You're welcome to dress casually for this event! Our main building is not air-conditioned, so you will want to dress accordingly.

2. Where should I stay?

Dubuque has a number of nearby hotels. Several hotels offer a college discount for families visiting Emmaus. Please contact the hotels listed below at the local number and ask for the college discount when booking your reservation, or contact the Admissions department for more information at (563) 588-8000 ext. 1320.

Hampton Inn: 3434 Dodge St. Dubuque, IA 52003 (563) 690-2005

Holiday Inn Express and Suites: 2080 Holliday Dr. Dubuque, IA 52002 (563) 556-4600

Holiday Inn: 450 Main St. Dubuque, IA 52001 (563) 556-2000

Country Inn and Suites: 1315 Associates Dr. Dubuque, IA 52003 (563) 583-2500

3. Is there a cost for Running Start?

After you have paid your deposit, the Running Start experience is free of charge for you and your parents! We're glad to provide you with refreshments in the morning and to treat you to lunch in our dining hall.

4. What should I bring?

You will want to bring any final paperwork related to your enrollment at Emmaus. Check with your Admissions Counselor or contact the Admissions department at (563) 588-8000 x1320 if you would like to know which item(s) you still need to submit.

5. What if I'm unable to attend?

If you are unable to attend one of the Running Start events, plan to register for classes during Welcome Week. We look forward to seeing you on campus!