FRESHMEN

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Department of Residence Life, said that the purpose of this day is to extend the Aggie spirit.

"Freshman Welcome Day makes moving to campus a positive experience for freshmen," Sasse said. "It helps the freshmen and their families feel welcome."

In addition to volunteers helping move belongings and distribute water, there will also be volunteers to help freshman break down their boxes for cardboard recycling, Balkum said.

"Freshman Welcome Day makes moving to campus a positive experience for freshmen."

> — Ron Sasse director of Residence Life

"There will also be [Parking, Traffic and Transportation Services] personnel out helping to direct traffic, and there will be designated 'assisted unloading areas' close to the dorms," Balkum said.

Other universities in Texas-Austin (UT) offer a welcome to the freshman, but do not officially organize the day. The University of Texas has a program, Gone to Texas, in which university officials extend an official welcome to freshman, said Kerri Muse, a sophomore studio arts major at UT.

"Gone to Texas is our official freshman welcome, and we have a resource fair to get students out and meeting each other, but we do not have an official program that is dedicated to helping freshman move in," Muse said.

MEXICO

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these small Mexican villages.

"They often say, 'Oh gosh, we never knew it was like this.' They are horrified," Bates said. "One of the important things is to demonstrate caring - that these poor Indians in their villages on the dusty mountaintop are important people, they are humans."

Bates has also worked in other villages in Mexico and Costa Rica. Funding for his efforts comes from A&M, the Allen Foundation, the Episcopal Medical Mission Foun-

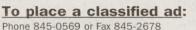
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