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Family and Guest

# What is My Student Doing Tomorrow?

## Presentation Overview

- Expectations from Colleges on Orientation Day
- Enrollment Ready
- Reminders
- Academic and Student Support Resources
- New Coogs Website

# What to Expect from Colleges

On day 2, students will meet with their academic advisor, and participate in two advising events.

- **College Presentation**

- A college representative will go over important policies and resources for students.
  - Policies - Academic Honesty, Academic Standing, Attendance, and Courseload
  - Resources - LAUNCH, Writing Center, CASA, and other tutoring services

- **Advising and Enrollment**

- Students will meet with their academic advisor, who will provide an overview of the department and major requirements before distributing a customized advising packet outlining the courses necessary for graduation.
- After the advising session, students will head to the computer lab to register for classes.

# Enrollment Checklist

- Send official college transcripts and test scores to University of Houston (Central)
- Remove all holds from myUH student account
- Confirm courses with an academic advisor
- Enroll for the summer and/or fall semester



# Transfer Coursework and Test Scores

If your student wants to apply transfer coursework or test scores toward their degree, they must submit this information to the UH Office of Admissions as soon as possible.

- **Transfer coursework (including dual credit)**

- Submit electronic college transcript to the UH Office of Admissions.
  - Students should also let their academic advisor know if they have pending transfer coursework.

- **Test Scores (AP and CLEP)**

- AP scores from exams taken in the spring are usually available in early July.
  - Student can check their College Board account to see if their official AP scores have been sent to UH.
  - Students should also let their academic advisor know if they have pending test scores.

# Resolve Enrollment Holds

Students should check their MyUH accounts to ensure there are no holds, as this could prevent them from registering for classes on the day of their new student orientation.

## New Student Holds:

- Bacterial Meningitis: Students can upload documentation to the To-Do List of their myUH account.
- TSI: Send exemption documentation to [TSI@uh.edu](mailto:TSI@uh.edu) or talk to an academic advisor during orientation.
- New Student Advising: This hold will be removed by the student's academic advisor.

# Academic Maps

- An academic map is a suggested semester-by-semester sequence of courses that will keep students on track toward timely degree completion.
- Academic maps are not official degree plans, but they serve as a guideline for planning courses throughout a student's four-year journey to graduation.
- Students should regularly meet with their major advisor to confirm their degree requirements.



YEAR 1	Semester 1 Fall			Semester 2 Spring			Total
	ENGL 1301	First Year Writing I (010)*	3	ENGL 1302	First Year Writing II (010)*	3	
	MATH 1324	Finite Math with App (020)*/**	3	ECON 2301	Prin of Macroecon (080)*/**	3	
	HIST 1301	The United States to 1877 (060)*	3	HIST 1302	United States Since 1877 (060)*	3	
	BCIS 1305	Business Computer Apps**	3	ACCT 2301	Principles of Financial Accting**	3	
	BUSI 1301	Business Principles**	3	BUSI 2305	Business Statistics (090)*/**	3	
	Semester Hours		15	Semester Hours		15	30

YEAR 2	Semester 1 Fall			Semester 2 Spring			Total
	ECON 2302	Principles of Microeconomics**	3	MARK 3336	Introduction to Marketing	3	
	GOVT 2305	US Gov: Congress, Pres & Ct (070)*	3	GOVT 2306	US & Tx Con & Politics (070)*	3	
	BUSI 3302	Connecting Bauer to Business	3	CORE	Creative Arts (050)*	3	
	ACCT 2302	Principles of Managerial Accting**	3	ACCT 3367	Intermediate Accounting I	3	
	ACCT 3366	Financial Reporting Frameworks	3	ACCT 3377	Cost Accounting	3	
	Semester Hours		15	Semester Hours		15	30

YEAR 3	Semester 1 Fall			Semester 2 Spring			Total
	INTB 3355	Global Environment of Business	3	FINA 3332	Principles of Finance	3	
	ACCT 3368	Intermediate Accounting II	3	ACCT 4331	Fed. Income Tax I - Individual	3	
	ACCT 3371	Accounting Information Systems	3	ACCT 4335	Financial Statement Auditing	3	
	CORE	Language, Phil, and Culture (040)*	3	MARK 3337	Professional Selling	3	
	CORE	Life & Physical Science I (030)*	3	CORE	Life & Physical Science II (030)*	3	
	Semester Hours		15	Semester Hours		15	30

YEAR 4	Semester 1 Fall			Semester 2 Spring			Total
	MANA 3335	Intro to Org Behavior & Mgt	3	Adv Elec	3000-4000 level course	3	
	SCM 3301	SCM Fundamentals	3	Adv Elec	3000-4000 level course	3	
	BUSI 4350	Business Law and Ethics (090)*	3	Gen Elec	1000-4000 level course	3	
	Adv Bus Elec	3000-4000 level business course	3	Gen Elec	1000-4000 level course	3	
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# Student Account

This is the home screen of a student's AccessUH account. Students can access this screen by clicking on the Student Center tile in their account. Students should become familiar with this screen because it has all the information they need.

Your Name

Your Student ID

Student Center

Admissions

Transfer Credit

Academics

Finances

Financial Aid

General Info

Your Name

Student Center

▼ Academics

My Class Schedule

Shopping Cart

My Planner

You are not enrolled in classes.

Other Academic Information

»

▼ Finances

Student Financials

Account Balance

Account Summary

Charges Due

Payment Plans

We are unable to display your account at this time. To access this information, contact the Bursar's office to complete your account profile.

Future Term Balance

Term Balance	\$0.00
Pending Aid	\$0.00
Term Total	\$0.00

Search for Classes

▼ Holds

Bacterial Meningitis

Freshman Orientation Advising

New Student Orientation

Pre-Orientation

Details ▶

▼ To Do List

New Stud Orn Registration Fee

New Student Orn Attend

New Student Orn Register

Details/Upload Documentation

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# After Orientation Checklist

## August

- Monday, August 19 - First Day of Classes
- Monday, August 26 - Last Day to Add a Class

## ✓ September

- Wednesday, September 4 - Last day to drop without receiving a grade

## ✓ October

- First Week - Time to schedule an academic advising appointment
- All Month - Visit professor's office hours to check-in on course progress

## ✓ November

- Wednesday, November 20 - Last day to drop a course with a "W" (Withdraw)
- First Week – Enroll for Spring 2025 classes

## ✓ December

- Monday, December 9 - Official Closing of the Session
- Monday, December 16 - Check grades in AccessUH, email professor(s) if there are any discrepancies

# Academic and Support Resources

- Get Involved – Campus Clubs and Activities
- CAPS – Counseling and Psychological Services
- **CASA – Center for Academic Support and Assessment**
- Center for Students with Disabilities
- Center for Student Advocacy and Community
- Center for Student Empowerment
- **Commuter Student Services**
- Cougar Pathway – University Career Services of Houston
- **LAUNCH – Learning Advancement for Undergraduate Cougars of Houston**
- **UH Writing Center**
- UH Libraries
- Stay Cougar S.A.F.E. (Safety, Awareness, Friends and Education)

# New Coogs Website

## Families and Supporters

### How do I help my student

- They have a parking ticket
- They need to schedule an advising appointment
- They need to get a refund
- They need to dispute a grade
- They have a question about TSI
- They have a question about where to send their transcripts

### Dean of Students Parent and Family Programs

As parents and family members, you are officially part of the University of Houston family. We recognize the critical role parents can play in their student's educational experience. We believe establishing a positive relationship with parents and family members is an important factor in the continued success of your student.

### Join Coog Moms

UH Coog Moms was established to promote fellowship among UH mothers, fathers, and guardians. Join their activities and events that support students and the UH community through programs, scholarships, and grants. Coog Moms hold quarterly general meetings, social events, fundraisers, community events, sporting events and other fun activities throughout the year.

Subscribe to [The Cougar Parent Connection](#) parent and family communications.



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# PEER ASSISTANT LEADERS

## We are your UH PALS!

PALS are here to help students create successful pathways throughout their experience at the University of Houston.



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# Retention, Graduation and Initiatives Office (RGI)

The Office of Retention and Graduation Initiatives (RGI) is dedicated to achieving the University of Houston's student success goals through proactive outreach, data-driven initiatives, and personalized case management of student academic barriers.





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