The New Student Conference (NSC) is a two-day orientation program required of all new undergraduate students. In order to accept your offer of admission from Texas A&M, you must register for an NSC.

The following list, though not exhaustive, should help you prepare for your trip to Aggieland!

- NSC confirmation letter and NSC Handbook. If you do not have your confirmation letter, print out a copy of the AIS screen (http://applicant.tamu.edu/) that has your confirmed date under the last step.
- NSC parking permit print-out placed on the dashboard of your car (unless you plan to pay per hour to park in a visitor parking area).
- Transcripts for all college work previously completed that have not already been sent to Texas A&M.
- Texas Success Initiative test results or scores showing exemption if they have not already been sent to TAMU
- Government issued picture identification for verification at testing and to have your Texas A&M ID Card made. (Driver’s license, passport, etc.)
- Casual but appropriate clothes. You will be meeting the Dean of your college and academic advisors. Weather during the summer in College Station is very hot and humid. Weather in January in College Station is unpredictable. Please check the weather prior to your conference and plan accordingly.
- A jacket or sweater. The auditorium and conference rooms are often chilly.
- Comfortable walking shoes. Please note that you will be walking frequently around a LARGE campus for different meetings.
- Money for meals and extras. Please note that some services do not take credit cards.
- Umbrella or rain gear.
- Canvas bag or backpack for gathering and carrying materials from resource tables and meetings.
- A notepad and pen. You will be receiving a lot of information and will want to take notes.
- Laptop computer (optional). The academic catalog (which details degree plans, course descriptions, and other academic information) is available online through the Registrar at http://catalog.tamu.edu/. You will have access to Texas A&M computers in the lab, however, some find it convenient to bring their own laptop to view this resource.
- A refillable water bottle.
- If you are an international student, bring all of your immigration documents with you. You will need these during your New International Student Check-In appointment with International Student Services (ISS). Visit the ISS Check-In website (http://iss.tamu.edu/) for a list of immigration documents to bring with you.
- For guests staying on campus during the NSC, bed linens and towels are provided in the residence hall, but you may want to bring your own items to make your stay more comfortable. You can also bring items such as a cell phone, mattress pads, travel alarm clocks, extra blankets and pillows to use during your stay.