



NEW AGGIE WORK BOOK

CAMPUS RESOURCE DIRECTORY

Don't see the service you are looking for? **Call our office at 979.845.5826, and we will get you the information you need!**

Academic Success Center

successcenter@tamu.edu

asc.tamu.edu

979.458.4900

Aggie Dining

dining@tamu.edu

dineoncampus.com/tamu

Aggie ID Card

aggieonestop@tamu.edu

myaggiecard.tamu.edu

979.847.1787

Aggie One Stop

aggieonestop@tamu.edu

aggie.tamu.edu

979.847.1787

- Admissions
- Registrar's Office
- Student Business Services
- Scholarship & Financial Aid

Association of Former Students

AggieNetwork@AggieNetwork.com

tx.ag/YourNetwork

979.845.7514

Career Center

cc_advisor@tamu.edu

careercenter.tamu.edu

979.845.5139

Civil Rights & Equity Investigations

civilrights@tamu.edu

orec.tamu.edu

979.458.8407

Counseling & Psychological Services

caps@tamu.edu

tx.ag/NSCCAPS

979.845.4427

Corps Housing

housing@corps.tamu.edu

reslife.tamu.edu/options/corps

979.845.3443

Disability Resources

disability@tamu.edu

disability.tamu.edu

979.845.1637

Health Promotion

healthpromotion@tamu.edu

hp.tamu.edu

979.845.0280

LGBTQ+ Pride Center

lgbtq@tamu.edu

lgbtq.tamu.edu

979.862.8920

Multicultural Services

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dms.tamu.edu

979.862.2000

Off-Campus Student Services

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979.845.3111

Corps of Cadets

aggiecorps@corps.tamu.edu

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979.845.2811

Student Life

studentlife@tamu.edu

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979.845.3111

Residence Life

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reslife.tamu.edu

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Student Business Services

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sbs.tamu.edu

979.847.1787

Student Health Services

info@shs.tamu.edu

tx.ag/NSCSHS

979.458.8310

Student Legal Services

studentlegalservices@tamu.edu

studentlegal.tamu.edu

979.862.4502

Technology Services

helpdesk@tamu.edu

it.tamu.edu

979.845.8300

Transportation Services

parking@tamu.edu

transport.tamu.edu

979.862.7275

University Police Department

upd.tamu.edu

979.845.2345

(Call 911 for emergencies)



WELCOME to Aggieland

This workbook belongs to: _____ | _____
name phone



Howdy!

I'm pleased to welcome you to Texas A&M University.

You've joined our university at an exciting and pivotal time. We're ushering in a new era of success built upon our primary mission: preparing today's students for tomorrow's world.

As we enter the "Golden Age" of Texas A&M, we are committed to making higher education more relevant. We will continue to create opportunity, and we will influence our society in new ways. We will achieve this vision by advancing initiatives and efforts in four interwoven areas of strength: transformational education; connecting with our state, the nation and the world; a translational research enterprise; all while celebrating the Aggie way and guided by our core values: excellence, integrity, leadership, loyalty, respect and selfless service.



With more than 140 undergraduate degrees and 270 graduate programs, Texas A&M is full of possibilities for your education. Our world-class faculty members are committed to your growth and development through unique experiences both inside—and outside—the classroom.

As you begin your journey here in Aggieland, I encourage you to open your mind, explore and take advantage of the many opportunities available to you. There are more than 1,000 student-led clubs and organizations across the university, enabling you to find your unique community as you experience all of Texas A&M.

The Aggie Network is among the strongest alumni organizations worldwide. You are now part of the Aggie family of fellow students, faculty, staff and former students who support you now and long after you graduate from Texas A&M. I wish you the best as you begin this exciting new chapter of your life.

Thanks and Gig 'em!

M. Katherine Banks

President, Texas A&M University



Howdy!

On behalf of Texas A&M University, welcome to Aggieland and the special community of students, faculty, and staff that comprise the Aggie Family!

You are beginning an experience that will offer opportunities for intellectual, physical, and emotional growth. The changing nature of your life in the next few years will also undoubtedly have an impact on you and your family. It is our hope, in the Division of Student Affairs, that this will be a positive transition for you. As such, we provide a variety of programs, services, and engagement opportunities to support you and help you be successful at Texas A&M.

This workbook is published to help you engage with presentations at your New Student Conference and to provide information that will help you during this transitional time. We hope this information is helpful as you discover what it means to be a Fightin' Texas Aggie.

Please always feel free to contact our office if we can assist you. The Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs is the home of the students' Vice President, and everyone in our office is prepared and empowered to assist in your success.

Gig 'Em!

BG Joe E. Ramirez, Jr. USA (Ret.)

Vice President for Student Affairs



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NSC NEW STUDENT CONFERENCE

WELCOME NEW AGGIES!

Howdy!

Welcome to your new home for the next few years! Texas A&M University is a school rich in tradition, dedicated to honoring our history but also committed to innovation and growth. By choosing to attend Texas A&M, you're joining a family and lifelong network of more than 500,000 Aggies from all over the world.

We stand as the 12th Man not only at athletic events but also for our community and each other. With over 1,000 student organizations available, every student can find a place to build strong friendships and develop leadership skills.

Your New Student Conference (NSC) will lay the foundation for your success at Texas A&M and introduce you to resources and services to help provide a smooth transition to the University.

01 ➤ Keep this workbook handy throughout your NSC, and use it to engage with the presentations and take notes.

02 ➤ Get social with us! Follow @NSFPtamu on Twitter and Instagram, and like /NewAggie on Facebook. Use #TAMUnsc when posting about your NSC experience.



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@nsfptamu



/NewAggie

CONTACT

New Student & Family Programs

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979.845.5826

(Text Line) 979.256.1311

NEW STUDENT & FAMILY PROGRAMS

New Student & Family Programs (NSFP) assists new undergraduate students as they transition to Texas A&M while supporting families of all undergraduate students. NSFP serves as a campus leader in providing students and families a foundation to the expectations, academic standards, and a sense of belonging at Texas A&M. We build collaboration between students, families, and the institution for the common goals of student learning, development, and success.

What we do:

- **New Student Conferences (NSC):** The mandatory orientation for all incoming undergraduate students newaggie.tamu.edu
- **Howdy Week:** Aggieland's official welcome held at the beginning of the semester, for new and returning students to become acquainted with campus howdyweek.tamu.edu
- **Family Weekend:** A weekend dedicated to Aggie parents and family members that began in 1919 and provides students a chance to express their gratitude to those who have impacted their lives familyweekend.tamu.edu
- **Aggie Parent & Family Programs:** Keeping family members informed about university activities through the Aggie Parent & Family Connection portal (see below), webchats, and various publications familyprograms.tamu.edu

Student Leadership

- **Orientation Leaders (OLs):** A select group of dedicated student leaders who assist in welcoming new students and families to Aggieland during NSCs
- **Aggie Parent & Family Ambassadors (APFA):** Student leaders dedicated to selflessly serving Aggie family members by providing exceptional Aggie family experiences and assisting with Family Weekend, Parents of the Year, communication, and outreach
- **NSCs en Espanol (NSCE):** A group of bilingual student leaders that offer translation of our NSC presentations and materials, and support Spanish-speaking families throughout the NSC process

AGGIE PARENT & FAMILY CONNECTION

Encourage your family members to sign up for the Aggie Parent & Family Connection portal to enhance their Aggie family experience! This online portal will allow your family to customize the information they receive from Texas A&M.

E-newsletters from New Student & Family Programs can be tailored to their interests, and they can decide how often they would like to receive updates.

Your family can sign up to receive the parent and family newsletters at tx.ag/FamilyPortal.

Once a member of the Aggie Parent & Family Connection portal, family members will have access to a specially curated news feed, calendar of important dates, helpful resources, and more!





SCHEDULE

SAMPLE

8-9 a.m.
Kyle Field

Student & Family NSC Check-In

Students and family members/guests must check in to the conference. Everyone will receive orientation materials during check-in. Doors will close promptly at 9:00 a.m.

9:15-10 a.m.
Rudder Auditorium

Welcome to Aggieland

This opening session is your formal welcome to the Aggie Family! You'll receive an overview of the NSC, learn valuable information about your opportunities and responsibilities as a new Aggie, and hear about Texas A&M's traditions. This session concludes with a Yell Practice.

STUDENTS & FAMILY MEMBERS WILL SEPARATE AT THIS POINT IN THE DAY

STUDENTS ONLY

10-10:15 a.m.

Dismissal to Orientation Groups

10:15-11:30 a.m.

Orientation Groups

Students will be divided into groups with an Orientation Leader to get to know other new Aggies, discuss their transition to college, and learn about campus services: including dining, parking and Code Maroon.

11:45 a.m.-1 p.m.

Lunch with Orientation Groups

Lunch will be provided at on-campus dining locations

FAMILY & GUESTS ONLY

10:15-11:30 a.m.

Introduction to being an Aggie Family Member

Rudder Auditorium

New Student & Family Programs will introduce various resources available to Aggie family members. This session will also discuss how to best support your student throughout their time at Texas A&M.

11:45 a.m.-1 p.m.

Lunch

Lunch will be provided at on-campus dining locations

STUDENTS & FAMILY MEMBERS WILL COME BACK TOGETHER AT THIS POINT IN THE DAY

1:15-1:55 p.m.
Rudder Auditorium

Financial Matters | Technology Services

Staff will discuss tuition and fees, how to pay your bill, deadlines, and financial resources. Information Technology will share information and resources to help set you up for success.

STUDENTS & FAMILY MEMBERS WILL SEPARATE AT THIS POINT IN THE DAY

STUDENTS ONLY

2-2:50 p.m.

Rudder Theatre

My Aggie Wellness Journey

Students will learn tips to help them thrive in their unique, holistic wellness journey as it connects to their academic, personal, and professional success with the support of Health Promotion.

Day 1 Wrap-Up

Students will get a recap of the information shared on Day 1 of their NSC and a preview of Day 2.

FAMILY & GUESTS ONLY

2-2:50 p.m.

Rudder Auditorium

Q&A Panel with Student Leaders

Families will have the opportunity to ask current students questions about their experience at Texas A&M University.

STUDENTS & FAMILY MEMBERS WILL COME BACK TOGETHER AT THIS POINT IN THE DAY

2:50-4:15 p.m.
MSC Hallway

Come-and-Go Resource Tables

Various offices from the University community are represented. Gather info and ask questions at your leisure.

3:20-4:05 p.m.

Breakout Session 1

See nametag for your Breakout Session name and location. If you did not pre-register, scan the QR code on your student nametag or visit getinvolved.tamu.edu to find an available Breakout Session.

4:15-5 p.m.

Breakout Session 2

See nametag for your Breakout Session name and location. If you did not pre-register, scan the QR code on your student nametag or visit getinvolved.tamu.edu to find an available Breakout Session.

DAY 2 - SAMPLE

8:30 a.m. Academic Unit Meetings & Academic Advising

Students meet with representatives from their specific college or school who will discuss requirements and answer questions you have about your major. You will also receive specific information about course registration. College meeting locations can be found under your selected date at newaggie.tamu.edu.

11 a.m.- 2 p.m. Lunch

Lunch is available for all registered attendees in various retail locations (Chick-fil-a, Salata, Panda Express, etc.) on campus. Times will vary depending on when you are dismissed from your academic unit meeting. NSC dining options can be found at tx.ag/NSCDining

TRANSFER 2 p.m. Course Registration

Exact time and location will be announced during academic unit meetings. Students register for their fall classes and optional campus services.

FRESHMAN 2:30 pm.

Academic unit meeting locations are available on the New Aggie website under Dates & Schedules for both Freshman and Transfer students. Pay close attention to your academic unit meeting as that will inform you of the exact registration location.



YOUR NSC NAMETAG

FRONT

BACK

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Reveille
Aggie

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Ag & Life Sciences (AG)

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9:15 Welcome - Rudder Auditorium
10:15 Orientation Group #12 - Rudder 410
12:00 Lunch - Sbis Dining Hall
1:30 Financial Matters - Rudder Auditorium
2:15 My Aggie Wellness Journey - Rudder Theatre
2:40 Transfer Student Session - Rudder Theatre
3:00 Resource Tables - MSC 12th Man Hallway
3:20 Going Abroad 101 - MSC 2300 C
4:15 Connect with Career Center - MSC 2300 A&B

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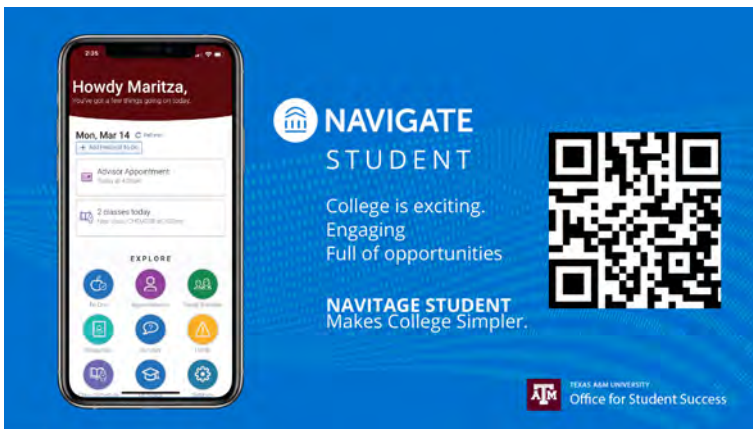
- 1. Student Name
- 2. Academic College or School
- 3. # of Registered Guests
- 4. Custom Schedule QR Code
Scan this QR code to view your custom schedule online and make changes if desired by clicking "Change My Schedule".

- 5. Customized NSC Schedule
- 6. Holds on Your Account
More information about common holds on your account can be found in this workbook. Some will keep you from registering on Day 2, and some will not.
- 7. University Identification Number (UIN)
Your UIN is important, so we have made it easy for you to keep it handy!
- 8. Major Code

WELCOME TO

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

- 01 ➤ You belong at **Texas A&M University** because you've earned your way into one of the most prestigious research universities in the world!
- 02 ➤ You will need to work hard, but **you can succeed**. Texas A&M has various resources to assist you with your academic and personal transitions to college.
- 03 ➤ To make the most of your time at Texas A&M, you should **look for transformational opportunities** such as study abroad, internships, or undergraduate research to extend your education beyond the classroom.
- 04 ➤ There are many people on this campus who want to help you succeed. If you need help academic or otherwise, you should **seek assistance right away**.



tx.ag/NavStu

Navigate Your Experience

Navigate will support you here at Texas A&M by helping you:

- View your **Class Schedule** and locations
- Schedule **Advising Appointments**
- Connect through **Study Buddies**
- Receive alerts on **Holds**
- Find **Resources** at Texas A&M from your phone
- And so much more!

**Office of Undergraduate
Studies**

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ugst@tamu.edu

Notes



AGGIELAND!

STUDENT AFFAIRS

- 01 ➤ Texas A&M's core values and traditions set us apart from other institutions in the world. You have the opportunity and responsibility to **carry forward these values** and traditions during your time as a student.
- 02 ➤ Each student plays a critical role in ensuring Texas A&M remains an inclusive and caring community. Look for opportunities to **engage with different perspectives** and give back to your fellow Aggies.
- 03 ➤ Learning happens both in and outside the classroom. Through **co-curricular engagements on campus**, you will have the opportunity to sharpen skillsets and build new competencies that will translate to your future career path.
- 04 ➤ Your wellbeing is incredibly important to us. We encourage you to take advantage of the many resources and strategies available to students in order to **live a healthy and productive life** during your time in Aggieland and beyond.



**TAKE CARE OF YOUR
MENTAL HEALTH**

MY STUDENT SUPPORT PROGRAM



Download the *My SSP* app
to text, call, or video chat
with professional counselors
in multiple languages.



SCAN
HERE!



Mental Health First

Putting our mental health first can positively impact how we think, feel, act, make choices, and relate to others.

The Mental Health First website connects Aggies with resources to support themselves and others.

Visit mentalhealth.tamu.edu for more information.

Notes

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ORIENTATION GROUP

Name of my Orientation Leader(s):

HOWDY INTRO

Howdy! My name is _____. I am a _____ major from _____,
(Insert Name) (Insert Major) (Insert Hometown)
but more importantly, I am a loud and proud member of the Fightin' Texas Aggie Class of 20_____.

One resource that will help me be successful at Texas A&M is:

One goal I have for my transition to Aggieland is:

Excitements:

Fears:

Your Aggie ID Card has a QR code that links to several important numbers, such as University Police, Corps Escort Service, and Student Counseling Helpline, on the back of the card.

To submit your photo, or if you lose your Aggie Card, you can report it lost or stolen online at myaggiecard.tamu.edu or by calling 979.847.7867.

Things I still need to do

(check all that apply):

- ☐ Submit ID Card Photo
- ☐ Download TAMU Mobile App
- ☐ Select Meal Plan
- ☐ Select Parking Permit



Aggie Orientation Leaders

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FINANCIAL MATTERS

APPLYING FOR AID

The Financial Aid Portal can be accessed through the _____ Portal. The _____ link in the Financial Aid Portal will display any missing items that may delay my financial aid disbursement.

The earliest date my Fall 2023 financial aid can pay to my bill is _____.

The FAFSA becomes available each year on _____.

The University Scholarship Application becomes available each year on _____ and is due on _____.

TUITION & BILLING INFORMATION



Fall 2023 Payment Due Dates

Scan the QR code to see when your tuition and fees payment will be due.

tx.ag/TuitionDueDates



Tutorial Videos

We have put together some great tutorial videos that will show how to:

- Add an Authorized User who can view bills and make payments online on your behalf.
- Sign up for the Payment Plan, which consists of four (4) auto-scheduled payments throughout the semester.
- Make an Online Payment in full at the beginning of the semester.

tx.ag/PaymentMethods



Waiver & Exemptions

There are waivers and exemptions processed through the University that can help pay a portion or the totality of your tuition and fees. This QR code will give you access to the list of waivers and exemptions, along with eligibility requirements and instructions to apply.

tx.ag/TuitionWaivers

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY CHECKLIST



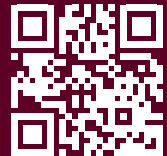
Sign Up for Code Maroon

Code Maroon is Texas A&M University's emergency notification system that gives the University the ability to communicate health and safety information in an emergency. Visit codemaroon.tamu.edu or scan the QR code.



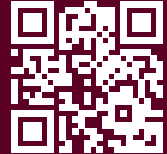
Enroll in Duo Two-Factor Authentication

Duo adds an extra layer of security to Texas A&M NetID accounts. With Duo two-factor authentication, NetID accounts are protected with something you know (a password) and something you have (a Duo-enrolled device - typically a mobile phone). Visit it.tamu.edu/duo or scan the QR code.



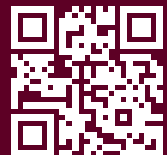
Set up Self-Service Password Reset

Self-Service Password Reset allows you to reset your NetID password on your own if you forget it. Simply provide an email address or mobile phone number in advance. Then, if you forget your password, a temporary, one-time-use password is sent to you to log in and reset your password. For more information visit u.tamu.edu/SSPR or scan the QR code.



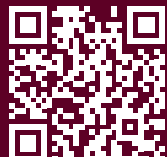
Log into Texas A&M Gmail Account

Texas A&M Gmail is the official email system for all Texas A&M University students. Remember to check your email often for important messages. Log into your Gmail account at google.tamu.edu.



New Aggie TechList

Get a customized packing list of tech equipment and software requirements and recommendations based on your major and where you will live. Visit it.tamu.edu/getstarted or scan the QR code.



Help Desk Central

Help Desk Central assists Texas A&M students, faculty, and staff with their IT questions and is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.

Call: 979.845.8300

Email: helpdesk@tamu.edu

Online Chat: it.tamu.edu/help

MY AGGIE WELLNESS JOURNEY

Wellness is a journey, and Health Promotion is here to help you along the way! In this session, you will consider different situations that impact wellbeing, identify ways to prioritize their own wellness, and learn strategies for preparing for college life with your fellow Aggies.



WELLNESS WHEEL

What components of the wellness wheel are important to you right now?

SIGNS OF ALCOHOL POISONING:

M	_____	H	_____
U	_____	E	_____
S	_____	L	_____
T	_____	P	_____

FORMULA FOR WELLBEING SUCCESS

1. What is your goal?

2. What resources can you use?

3. How will you hold yourself accountable?

How can you talk to your family about your wellbeing?

ELEMENTS OF CONSENT



Informed



Willing



Never
Assumed



Clear &
Specific



Positive &
Ongoing

Health Promotion

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DAY 1 WRAP UP

At this point in the day, you have heard from faculty, staff, and current students about information and resources that will help in your transition to Aggieland. Now... let's put your knowledge to the test!

INSTRUCTIONS

Go to tx.ag/NSCKahoot and enter the PIN on the presentation.

Look over your notes from today's sessions and get ready!

RULES FOR THE GAME

Use your first and last name to join the game. *(if your name is taken, use your middle initial or add a number)*

Inappropriate language will not be tolerated and you will be removed from the game.

Notes



**DON'T
FORGET!!**

- 01 ➤ You will meet with your academic unit in the morning.
- 02 ➤ The Aggie Schedule Builder and your Academic Advisor will assist you with registering for classes.
- 03 ➤ Scan the QR code on your nametag to find your Day 2 location.



DAY 2 OVERVIEW

Day 2 will start at 8:30 a.m. with your academic unit. You will meet with an academic advisor and register for classes. **Communication about Day 2 will come from your academic unit.**

- 01 ➤ Make and track appointments with your advisor quickly using the **Navigate app**. To download, search “Navigate Student” in your app store and choose “Texas A&M - College Station.”
- 02 ➤ The **Texas A&M Undergraduate Catalog**, published annually, provides information about the University’s undergraduate programs, including requirements for admission, services available to students, course offerings and listings of the administrative officers. The catalog is available online at **catalog.tamu.edu**.
- 03 ➤ For help selecting classes to fulfill the Core Curriculum Requirement, visit **core.tamu.edu**. For help choosing courses to fulfill the International and Cultural Diversity or Cultural Discourse Requirement, select the ICD filter for “Course List”.
- 04 ➤ The **University Academic Calendar** is provided by the Office of the Registrar and includes important University dates and deadlines such as the start/end of course registration, holiday breaks and final exams. The calendar is available online at **tx.ag/AcademicCalendar**.

My Academic Advisor: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Office Location: _____

IMPORTANT DATES

The fall Q-drop Deadline is _____. The fall Add/Drop Deadline is _____.When I should meet with my advisor to discuss fall registration _____.

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GUIDE TO COMMON HOLDS

These holds **WILL** block you from registering on Day 2!

HOLD CODE	HOLD	MEANING	WHAT TO DO
AA	Perm Resident Card Req'd	Permanent Residence Card required	Upload a copy of Permanent Resident card in the Applicant Information System (AIS) at applicant.tamu.edu .
AL	Tuition Rate Selection Req'd	Need to select tuition rate	Log into Howdy > Click on the "My Finances" tab > Go to the Billing, Tuition, & Fees Channel > Select rate before course registration on Day 2.
AM	Bacterial Meningitis	Need proof of Bacterial Meningitis	Upload in AIS if document is not in MedProctor prior to NSC: applicant.tamu.edu
AO	Online Orientation Incomplete	Did not complete Online Orientation	Log into Howdy > Click on the "My Record" tab > Find the link to Online Orientation under "New Student Conference Preparation"
BA	Advising Required	Department hold requiring advising prior to registration	Contact your academic unit: tx.ag/CollegeList
BT	TSI Compliance	TSI Requirement not met	May block registration from certain courses; not registration entirely. Refer to Academic Success Center: tx.ag/NSCTSI or (979) 458-4900
IC	Check-In at ISS required	Need to check in with International Student Services (ISS)	Complete the ISS check-in process online through Terra Dotta: tx.ag/NSCISSCheckIn *Will NOT block you from registration
IM	Tuberculosis Screening Needed	Immunization Deficiency Hold	Contact Student Health Services: tx.ag/TBScreening or (979) 458-8310
SB	SB 1528 - Affidavit Req'd	SB 1528 Affidavit required	Upload copy of SB 1528 Affidavit in Application Information System (AIS) at applicant.tamu.edu . Affidavit can be downloaded under Residency at tx.ag/AOSForms
T9	Need Direct Deposit for Refund	Need to provide a bank account for direct deposit of financial aid refunds	Log in to howdy.tamu.edu and select Payment/Refund to be directed to the bill payment suite. Go to eRefunds tab, select Enroll for eRefunds. Contact Aggie One Stop for questions at tx.ag/AOSContact *Will NOT block you from registration.
TB	Past Due Student Account Balance	Past due tuition and fees account	Log in to howdy.tamu.edu and select Payment/Refund to be directed to the bill payment suite. Contact Aggie One Stop for questions at tx.ag/AOSContact



IMPORTANT DATES

**Dates subject to change. Please visit registrar.tamu.edu for the Academic Calendar.*

AUG	8/18 Last day to register for fall semester classes 8/21 First day of fall classes 8/25 Last day to add/drop classes for fall	APR	4/16 Last day for Q-drop or to withdraw from the university 4/21 Muster, campus ceremony 4/30 Redefined day; last day of spring classes
SEP	9/4 Labor Day; faculty and staff holiday; no classes	MAY	5/1 Reading day; no classes 5/2-5/7 Final examinations 5/9-5/11 Commencement 5/13 Final grades due for all students 5/24 Last day to register for first summer term and 10-week classes 5/27 Memorial Day; faculty and staff holiday 5/28 First day of first term and 10-week classes 5/31 Last day to add/drop courses for first term and 10-week classes
OCT	10/9 Mid-semester grades due 10/9-10/10 Fall break; no class	JUN	6/17 Last day for Q-drop or to withdraw from the university 6/19 Juneteenth Emancipation Day; faculty and staff holiday; no classes
NOV	11/2-11/15 Preregistration for 2024 spring semester 11/15 Last day for Q-drop or to withdraw from the university 11/18 Bonfire 1999 Remembrance Day 11/22 Reading Day; no classes 11/23-11/24 Thanksgiving Holiday	JUL	7/1 Last day of first summer term classes 7/2 First term final exams for all students; no 10-week semester classes; last day to register for second term classes 7/3 First day of second term classes 7/4 Independence Day; faculty and staff holiday; no classes 7/5 First term final grades due 7/9 Last day to add/drop courses for the second term 7/18 Last day for Q-drop or to withdraw from the university for the 10-week semester 7/24 Last day for Q-drop or to withdraw from the university for the second semester
DEC	12/4 Last day of fall classes 12/5-12/6 Reading days; no classes 12/7-12/12 Final examinations 12/14-12/15 Commencement 12/18 Final grades due for all students 12/25-1/1 Faculty and staff holiday	AUG	8/6 Last day of second summer term and 10-week classes 8/7-8/8 Second term and 10-week final examinations 8/13 Final grades for second term and 10-week semester due
JAN	1/12 Last day to register for spring classes 1/15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; faculty and staff holiday 1/16 First day of spring classes 1/22 Last day to add/drop classes for spring		
MAR	3/4 Mid-semester grades due 3/11-3/15 Spring Break; no classes 3/28 Preregistration for all summer terms begins 3/29 Reading day; no classes		
APR	4/12 Preregistration for all summer terms ends 4/12-4/14 Family Weekend		

ENHANCE YOUR AGGIE EXPERIENCE



July - August

Are you interested in jump-starting your college career at Texas A&M University by sharing in exciting experiences with fellow new Aggies? Venture Camps are designed with you in mind. The Extended Orientation Team in the Department of Student Activities has partnered with other areas on campus to welcome all incoming students through these new opportunities.

venturecamps.tamu.edu



July - August

Fish Camp is an extended orientation program that occurs in the weeks preceding the fall semester for incoming first time in college freshmen. In three days, you will connect with other new Aggies and peer leaders, learn about resources needed to be a successful student, and learn the traditions and values needed to be a loud and proud member of your Fightin' Texas Aggie class.

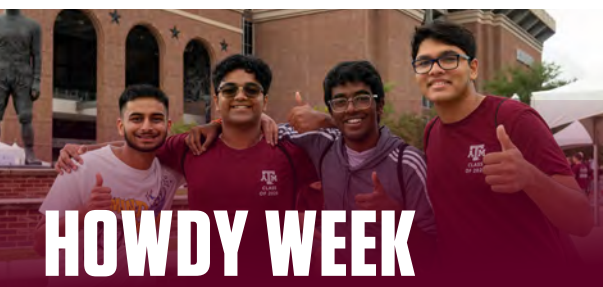
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August

Transition Camp, known as T-Camp, is a three-day extended orientation program hosted by Aggie Transition Camps that introduces new students to the many opportunities at Texas A&M. The camp gives transfer and other non-traditional students the opportunity to meet fellow students and learn more about life at Texas A&M.

atc.tamu.edu



August 17-22

Howdy Week is Aggieland's official welcome held at the beginning of the semester. Howdy Week provides students an opportunity to learn more about campus and college life through a series of events sponsored by university departments, colleges, and student organizations.

howdyweek.tamu.edu



April 12-14, 2024

Family Weekend is a tradition that has existed at Texas A&M since 1919. Held each spring, you can join other Aggies for a weekend of events and programming designed specifically for families to experience Aggieland.

familyweekend.tamu.edu

BREAKOUT SESSION 1 & 2

Check your custom schedule on the back of your nametag to see where your selected sessions are located. If you did not complete Session Selection prior to your NSC, scan the QR code on your nametag or visit getinvolved.tamu.edu to see what sessions are available.

TEXAS A&M CORPS OF CADETS

The Keepers of the Spirit

The Texas A&M Corps of Cadets is the University's largest, oldest, and most recognizable student organization. The Corps is a four-year leadership development program that uses a military cultural framework to instill leadership skills and principles into its cadets.

Academic excellence is the top priority of the Corps of Cadets and cadets typically boast higher GPAs than peers not in the Corps. As part of the March to 3,000 campaign, all units offer cadet-led scholastic programs and volunteer academic assistance. As a member of the Corps, you do not have to serve in the military after graduation. In fact, 60% of cadets go on to work in the public or private sectors, leveraging the skills they learned in the Corps.

It pays to be a member of the Corps—over 97% of eligible cadets receive a scholarship from the Corps of Cadets. As a part of the campaign **“March to 3000,”** Texas A&M has funded two new scholarships for ROTC and out-of-state cadets, the ROTC Patriot scholarship and the Major General Raymond L. Murray scholarship. Learn more at tx.ag/Marchto3000.

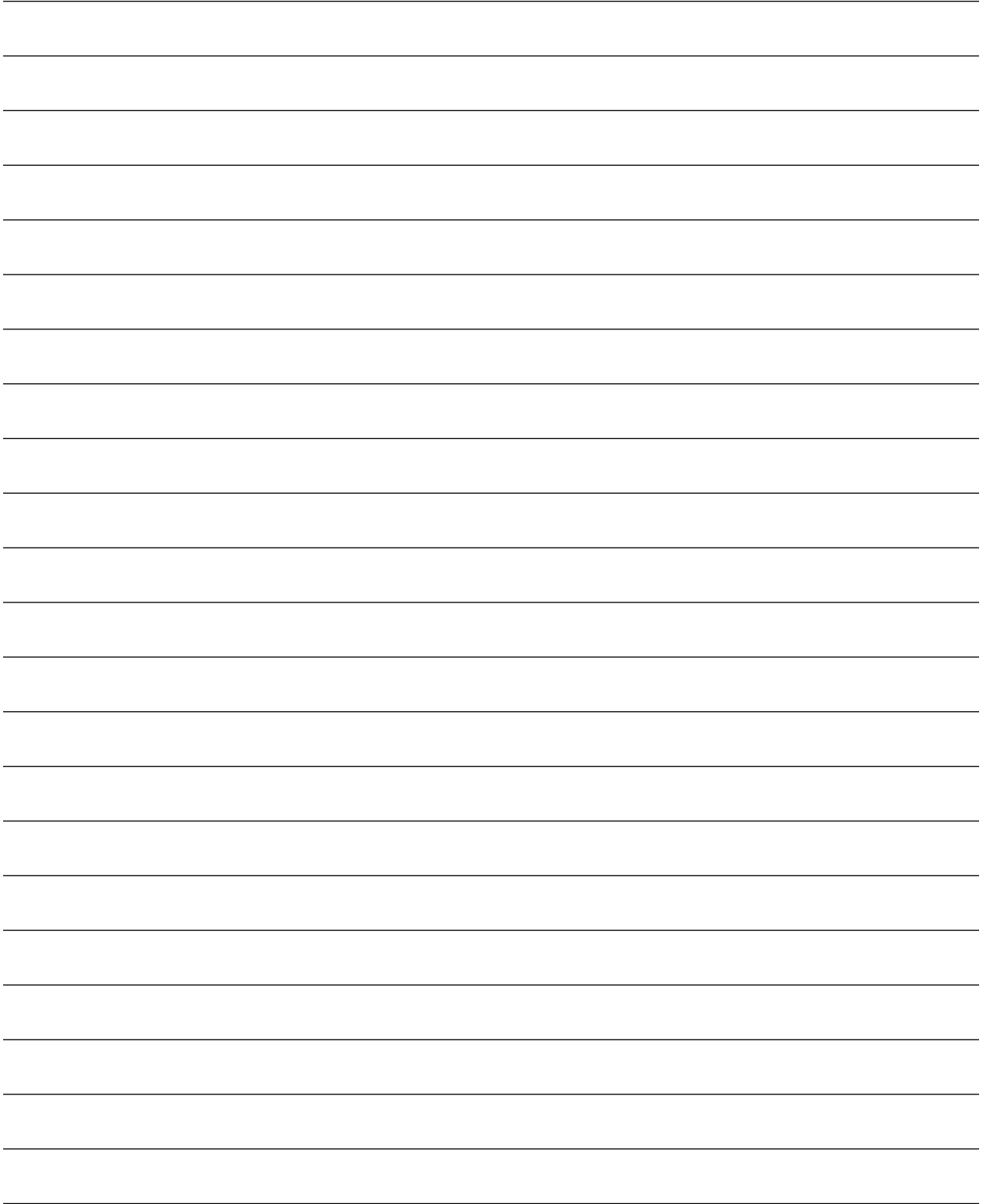
There are multiple opportunities to join the Corps of Cadets during your New Student Conference and before the start of the spring semester.

Contact the Corps of Cadets today to learn how you can join our community of leaders!



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