

Dean's Welcome for Transfer and New Students



## Agenda



- **□** Welcome
- ☐ Check-In/Attendance
- ☐ Introduction to the College of Arts and Sciences
- Aggie Commitments (What to Know)
- Resolving Issues
- Success Resources
- ☐ Final Check-In/Attendance
- Wait to be Called by Your Major Advisor

# Howdy! Please Check-in!







The Academic Heart of Texas A&M University

### World-Class Arts & Sciences



**18** Departments

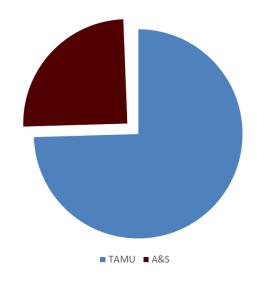
**17,000** Undergraduate Students

250,000+ Former Students

870 Faculty

**20:1** Student to Faculty Ratio

Of the 144 Majors at Texas A&M 48 are offered in Arts & Sciences



# Aggie Commitment #1 Achieving Academic Success



#### **Commit to Your Classes**

- Always Attend
- ☐ Go to Office Hours
- Study 2-3 hours for every 1 hour of class (reading, doing homework, etc.)
- Create a Fixed Commitment Calendar
- Use the Academic Success Center, the Math Learning Center, and the Writing Center
- ☐ Visit Regularly with Your Advisor



## Aggie Commitment #2 Achieving Professional Success



#### **Commit to Career Exploration**

- Make an Appointment at the Career Center
- ☐ Go to Career Fairs

#### Arts and Sciences Career Fair (in-person)

Day 1: Arts, Social Sciences, and Humanities - January 31, 10:00am-3:00pm, MSC 2300 (Bethancourt Ballroom)

Day 2: Life and Physical Sciences - February 1, 10:00am-3:00pm, MSC 2300 (Bethancourt Ballroom)

- Work with Professors on Research Opportunities
- Do an Internship























## Aggie Commitment #3 Achieving Social Success



#### **Commit to Your Fellow Aggies**

- ☐ Join a Student Organization
- ☐ Go on an Overseas Experience (Education Abroad)
- ☐ Participate in Big Event
- ☐ Create your Board of Directors

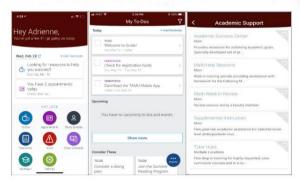




### Success Resources







artsci.tamu.edu/contact/advising.html



### **ADVISING TEAM**

studentsuccess.tamu.edu/NAVIGATE/For-Students



student-rules.tamu.edu



mlc.tamu.edu



financialaid.tamu.edu



careercenter.tamu.edu



writingcenter.tamu.edu



disability.tamu.edu



asc.tamu.edu



caps.tamu.edu







Home \*

Parent/Guardian Access -



Center





Support









Search

Refund

Parent Academics

- · View Schedule
- View Grades
- View Unofficial Transcript (PDF)
- · Verification of Enrollment

#### Options-

- View Details

Tuition and Fees

· Request Texas Guaranteed Tuition Plan (TGTP)

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Partner with us for your student's Success!

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

- Parental Access
- Parent Access via Howdy Portal

1098T Tax Form

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Bill Pay

Parent/Guardian Access

Options\*

Parent Financial Aid Portal

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# Partner with Us for Your Student's Success!



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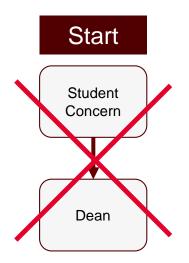
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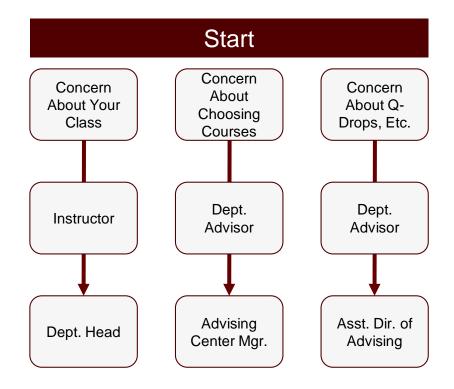


<u>u.tamu.edu/Dependency Cert Instructions</u>

## Where to get help with your concerns?







## Final Check-in!





