Your complete SUMMER TO-DO GUIDE
Welcome, transfer students!

*Purple Prep* is your go-to guide to all you need to know and do before you arrive at Northwestern.
Let’s get started!

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# Summer checklist

Use this checklist to stay on top of tasks throughout the spring and summer. Make sure to also follow your school's checklist (pages 24–31) for academic tasks.

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**STAY ON TRACK WITH TASKS**

Northwestern will not bombard you with reminders for each of your tasks. Instead, you have several ways to stay on track:

- **Purple Prep**—the essential guide you’re using right now—includes your all-in-one summer checklist and the academic checklist unique to your school. Make sure to use this PDF (rather than the *Purple Prep* guide for the class of 2023).
- *March to the Arch* emails are sent on the first Tuesday of each month, bringing you timely, need-to-know updates along with supplemental information.

**PLEASE NOTE**

Most tasks on the checklist require access to email and the internet. If your online access might be seriously limited for long stretches this summer—due to travels or other circumstances—please contact New Student and Family Programs at firstyear@northwestern.edu by June 15.
ACTIVATE YOUR NETID AND EMAIL
Follow the steps below to activate your NetID as soon as possible. (Both your NetID and activation code were sent to you with Northwestern’s acceptance message.) Your NetID will allow you to activate your @u.northwestern.edu email account and to log in to CAESAR, Northwestern’s system for handling many of the tasks of being a student.

1. Go to northwestern.edu/login.
2. Enter your activation code as the password.
3. Set answers to four or more security questions (for NetID password reset).
4. Set your NetID password.
5. Follow the prompts to activate your @u.northwestern.edu account.

MANAGE YOUR EMAIL
All official communication from Northwestern is sent to your @u.northwestern.edu account. You are responsible for receiving, reading, and responding to messages in a timely way, so be sure to check your account frequently this summer. Powered by Google’s G Suite for Education, your account includes tools for email, calendars, document management, cloud storage, and more.

• If you activated your NetID but not your @u.northwestern.edu account, activate your email by going to umail.northwestern.edu/activate.
• Remember that your email password is distinct from your NetID password.
• To change your email password, add a nickname, or modify your name or year in your email address, go to umail.northwestern.edu/manage.
• To access your Northwestern email account from any web browser, go to myaccount.google.com and log in using your @u.northwestern.edu account name and password.

JOIN THE #NU2023 CONVERSATION

facebook: Follow “Wildcat Welcome” and join the Northwestern University Transfer Students 2019 group

twitter: @WildcatWelcome

snap: Add “wildcatwelcome”

instagram: @wildcatwelcome

soundcloud: Follow “wildcatwelcome”

Changing Addresses?
If your mailing address changes over the summer and becomes effective before August, send the updated info to ug-admissions@northwestern.edu from your Northwestern email account. For changes effective in August or later, log in to CAESAR to update your personal profile records.
CAESAR quick tour

Northwestern’s student enterprise system, called CAESAR, is packed with tools for handling tasks like updating your personal profile, paying tuition and fees, tracking financial aid, and managing classes and grades. Once you’ve activated your NetID, you can take a quick tour of CAESAR. Just go to northwestern.edu/caesar and log in to the system by entering your NetID (user name) and NetID password at the prompts.

The home page shows CAESAR’s components arranged in tiles. Tiles will be added as additional components become available to you over the summer and in the fall.

1. The Profile tile opens to pages for viewing and updating your user preferences and contact details. Another key function of this tile: setting up guest access to let others view and pay bills (see page 16). From July through September, you can use the Profile tile or the Tasks tile to make your student health insurance coverage selection (see pages 18–19).

2. The My Account tile leads to pages for viewing University charges and payment options.

3. The Financial Aid tile has information about applying for and managing financial aid. It features a To Do List that will show any aid-related tasks that come up this summer.

4. The Tasks tile is where mandatory University to-do items—including some affecting eligibility to register for classes—are consolidated for easy tracking. (Note that most tasks that may appear on CAESAR this summer are also noted on Purple Prep’s summer checklist.)

5. The home icon—a shortcut to the CAESAR home page—stays in place while you navigate the site.
Leading up to Northwestern

*Purple Prep* opens with an overview of Wildcat Welcome, our orientation program; optional summer opportunities that precede Wildcat Welcome; the True Northwestern Dialogues series; and specialized orientations, resources, and services that support inclusivity and community on campus.
Wildcat Welcome

NEW STUDENT AND FAMILY PROGRAMS \ northwestern.edu/orientation
847-467-3988 \ firstyear@northwestern.edu

Wildcat Welcome, Northwestern’s September 16–23 mandatory on-campus orientation program for all new students, includes events and spaces specifically designed for transfer students to build on previous experiences and to foster community for a successful start at Northwestern. June’s March to the Arch email will include a Wildcat Welcome Information Form to be completed by July 7; Wildcat Welcome highlights are outlined below.

MOVE-IN DAY: SEPTEMBER 16
At the time specified on your unloading permit (see page 13), you will go directly to your student residence to check in, meet your resident assistant, and pick up your Wildcard (see page 21). Wildcat Welcome peer advisers and other volunteers will be on hand to help move your belongings into your room.

PARENT AND FAMILY ORIENTATION: SEPTEMBER 16–17
Family members are invited to take part in Parent and Family Orientation (PFO), which starts at 4 p.m. on Monday with the President’s Welcome and Reception and continues through 5 p.m. Tuesday. PFO highlights can be found on the NSFP website.

MARCH THROUGH THE ARCH: SEPTEMBER 17
March through the Arch, Wildcat Welcome’s signature event, takes place at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, with family members, University staff, community members, and returning students cheering on the Class of 2023 and new transfer students as they walk through Northwestern’s iconic Weber Arch.

OTHER MAIN EVENTS
All new students gather to celebrate Purple Pride! and gear up for Big Ten athletics by learning school cheers, songs, and traditions. The President’s Convocation and True Northwestern Dialogues sessions reinforce key themes of the Northwestern community.

Events designed for transfer students include the Transfer Student Welcome with a panel presentation by transfer students from previous years, a lakeside bonfire party, a trip to Chicago, and an introduction to campus resources to help jumpstart your time at Northwestern.

FIRST DAY OF FALL QUARTER: SEPTEMBER 24
Classes get under way for all new and returning undergraduates.
True Northwestern Dialogues

The True Northwestern Dialogues (TND) series launches a serious exploration of the mindset and skills you need to find your bearings, form positive connections to the community, and successfully navigate the University. Wildcat Welcome will include four TND sessions. This summer, you must complete the two online TNDs, available from August 5 through September 7, and the safety requirement described here; August’s March to the Arch email will include instructions on how to access them.*

SEXUAL ASSAULT PREVENTION FOR UNDERGRADUATES

This TND’s objective is twofold: to initiate a conversation and to show what it takes to create a community where healthy sexuality is supported and sexual violence is rejected. The program offers practical how-to’s: how to identify sexual violence, how to define and uphold consent, and how to find on-campus and other nearby resources related to support and reporting. Every member of the Northwestern community can help build a culture of zero tolerance for violence; taking guidance from this TND is a good way to start.

The subject matter may be emotionally challenging for some students. If this is true for you, you may share your concerns with a confidential counselor based at CARE, the Center for Awareness, Response, and Education at Northwestern: care@northwestern.edu.

ALCOHOLEDU FOR COLLEGE

AlcoholEdu is designed to help you consider and make informed decisions about the role of alcohol in your college experience. By providing personalized feedback and strategies for dealing with the drinking behaviors of peers, the program aims to challenge your assumptions about alcohol’s effects, encourage reflection on how choices related to alcohol can affect academic and social success, and emphasize your role in creating a healthy campus community. It includes an overview of Northwestern’s alcohol and drug policies.

All new students are expected to complete AlcoholEdu, regardless of their age or the nature of any past or present alcohol use.

WHAT IS A PEER ADVISER?

Your peer adviser is a current student who transferred to Northwestern last fall or earlier and is now prepared to guide you through your transition to the University. Your PA has already been through the whole experience and is an outstanding resource, so don’t hesitate to ask questions and raise concerns whenever you have them. And because your transition to Northwestern doesn’t end with Wildcat Welcome, you will continue to meet with your peer adviser group throughout the year.

Expect to hear from your PA in mid-July or, if your major is in Weinberg College, by early August.

CAMPUS SAFETY REQUIREMENT

All incoming students must complete the campus safety requirement by September 7. This ensures the Northwestern community is aware of resources and appropriate practices in the event of active violence on campus. Find this requirement in your Purple Prep Checklist at bit.ly/pp-checklist.

*Please note that TND and safety requirements are mandatory; failure to meet them could jeopardize your fall registration.
International Student Orientation

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AND SCHOLAR SERVICES
northwestern.edu/international  \  847-491-5613  \  intoff@northwestern.edu

With advice on immigration, medical insurance, and acclimating to US academic culture and life in Evanston—along with the opportunity to build relationships with other international students—ISO is the mandatory September 10–13 orientation for incoming international students; you’ll register for ISO through the Wildcat Welcome Information Form that’s due July 7. Visit the office’s website to learn more about ISO’s content and for instructions on obtaining an F-1 or J-1 student visa.

SUMMER COMMUNICATIONS
Over the summer, international student advisers and peer advisers—upper-level Northwestern students with previous ISO experience—interact with incoming international students via email, Canvas, and Facebook. Students also receive the monthly ISO e-newsletter, New to Northwestern, from April through September. After ISO, all international students participate in Wildcat Welcome.

If you are unable to attend ISO because of participation in a concurrent Pre-Orientation Program, please call or email the Office of International Student and Scholar Services before July 7.
First-generation, lower-income, and undocumented students

STUDENT ENRICHMENT SERVICES \ northwestern.edu/enrichment
847-467-4577 \ enrichment@northwestern.edu

Student Enrichment Services (SES) partners with first-generation, lower-income, and DACA/undocumented students to foster identity development, navigate campus resources, and build community. Through campuswide partnerships and advocacy, SES strives to build an inclusive Northwestern community that is welcoming, supportive, and accessible for all students.

WHO WE ARE
The SES staff includes
- Kourtney Cockrell, director
- Sharitza Rivera, assistant director
- Christina A. Smith, administrative assistant

RESOURCES
With the help of generous donors, SES is able to provide laptop loaners, winter gear, and other resources for students. SES’s online portal, called SES One Form, is a gateway to information about funds and opportunities across campus. Visit the SES website to learn more.

COMPASS MENTOR PROGRAM
SES’s Compass Mentor Program pairs incoming students with returning-student mentors who also identify as first-gen and/or lower-income students. Starting in fall quarter, Compass meetings take place weekly over dinner, and first-year participants meet with their mentors every other week. Students may apply for the Compass program on the SES website starting in summer.

NORTHWESTERN IN CHICAGO
Join SES on July 31 at Chicago’s Mexican Museum of Fine Arts for Northwestern in Chicago, a special event offering opportunities to get information and meet current students, staff, faculty, and alumni. Incoming first-gen, lower-income, and undocumented students and their families from the Chicago area will receive email invitations in early June. We look forward to meeting you!
AccessibleNU

Northwestern and AccessibleNU work to provide a learning and community environment that affords full participation, equal access, and reasonable accommodation to students with disabilities. To learn more about ANU’s mission and to register for services and accommodations, visit the ANU website. To ensure fall-quarter accommodations, please register by November 1.

CONNECT WITH ACCESSIBLENU

Please join ANU for an orientation luncheon during Wildcat Welcome on September 19 from noon to 1 p.m.

ACCESSIBLENU REGISTRATION

If you have a physical or learning disability, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, a diagnosed psychological condition, or a chronic health condition that may qualify, please go to the ANU website for information about documentation and reasonable accommodations. Only students who register with ANU are entitled to accommodations and services.

To begin the registration process, please do the following:

1. Complete the online application at bit.ly/nu-anu.
2. Submit verification of your disability or qualifying condition according to the guidelines on the website.
3. Schedule an intake appointment with an ANU staff member, during which you will sign an agreement detailing the accommodations to be provided.

ANU keeps the information you provide confidential, in files apart from your academic records. You are responsible for requesting accommodations from your instructors; ANU will not notify them on your behalf.

SUMMER PLACEMENT EXAM ACCOMMODATIONS

If you need accommodations for an online placement exam, you must first begin the ANU registration process. Due to the placement exam deadline of July 31, we suggest you begin the registration process by the beginning of July. Contact ANU with questions.
Living at Northwestern

Get ready to start calling Northwestern home! This section covers the summer to-do’s related to living on campus—from signing your housing contract and managing your student account to uploading a photo for your Northwestern ID.
Housing

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES \ northwestern.edu/living
847-467-HOME (4663) \ housing@northwestern.edu

Once your housing deposit is paid, you’re ready to explore Northwestern student housing choices and sign the housing contract, which is due on June 1. For access to the contract and complete information—including photos, floor plans, amenities, and rates—go to the Residential Services website.

HOUSING CHOICES
Every Northwestern student residence has its own character, spirit, and advantages. In general, the three main types of residence—halls, thematic colleges, and residential communities—differ in the extent of their built-in opportunities to interact with faculty. Residential communities and colleges offer greater faculty involvement, while halls emphasize student-led activities and self-governance.

A map and list of student residences are included at the back of this booklet.

HOUSING CONTRACT
You can start filling out your housing contract shortly after paying your $200 housing deposit. (The deposit was due May 1, and contract access is granted 72 hours after the deposit is received. If you missed the deposit deadline, please contact Residential Services.)

To access the contract, go to the Residential Services website and use your NetID and password to log in. Be prepared to indicate your housing and roommate preferences. Once you begin, you may save and make changes to your contract anytime before submitting it. The deadline is 5 p.m. CDT on June 1.

So long as you meet the deadline, it does not matter when you submit your contract; housing is not assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. Residential Services emails housing assignments to all new students in August.

Have a roommate in mind?
If you do, request that person by name on the housing contract. Your intended roommate must do the same—that is, request you on their contract. This will allow Residential Services to honor the request.

No roommate in mind?
Don’t worry—this is not unusual. Residential Services will match you with a roommate based on the room and roommate preferences you specify on the housing contract.

Note that some students change their plans and decide not to enroll at Northwestern, resulting in partially assigned rooms. Should your room be affected, you’ll be notified that you have been assigned a new roommate, which may require relocating to a different room or residence.

MOVE-IN DAY: SEPTEMBER 16
Students move into their residences at specified times between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. on move-in day. Students arriving with hand luggage only may move in anytime after 8 a.m. International students will have already moved in to attend International Student Orientation.

Move-in unloading permit
Because parking near student residences is limited, Northwestern issues time-specific unloading permits for use on move-in day. The August March to the Arch email will include instructions for requesting an unloading permit online. September 11 is the deadline to request this permit.
WHAT TO BRING FOR YOUR ROOM

- Extra-long twin bed sheets, pillows, pillowcases, comforter
- Towels
- Toiletries
- Shower sandals
- Shower caddy
- Laundry bag/hamper, drying rack, detergent, stain remover
- Clothes hangers
- Raincoat, umbrella
- Winter coat, hat, scarf, gloves, boots
- Headphones
- Phone charger
- Power strip
- Nonhalogen desk lamp or other bright light for reading
- Poster adhesive, removable hooks
- Portable fan (window or tabletop)
- Air fresheners (no candles or incense burners)
- Alarm clock
- Photo ID (driver’s license, state ID, or passport)

SHIPPING ITEMS IN ADVANCE

Residential Services has partnered with University and Student Services’ Ship-to-Your-Room program to offer a convenient way to ship your belongings ahead of move-in day. Items can be shipped from September 3 to 13. See universityandstudentservices.com/northwestern.html for details. Packages mailed directly to campus that arrive before September 16 will not be accepted; see full guidelines at northwestern.edu/living/services/mail.

Dining

The Open Access meal plan, allowing unlimited access to residential dining centers, comes standard with your housing contract. Visit the Northwestern Dining website to learn about your meal plan, locations, and menus. Prep for your first day with a video on navigating the dining commons and finding everything you need.

SPECIAL DIETARY NEEDS

Northwestern Dining offers an inclusive dining experience with options for a variety of dietary needs. Kosher, halal, gluten-free, vegan, and vegetarian options are available at most dining centers. If you have food allergies, celiac disease, or another condition that requires a special diet, set up a consultation with our campus dietitian at dietitian@northwestern.edu.

DINING DOLLARS

The Open Access plan includes $125 Dining Dollars and three guest meals per quarter. Dining Dollars can be spent at any on-campus retail or dining location—including the Starbucks at Norris University Center—and will roll over to the next quarter if unused.
Technology is an essential tool of student life, and access to the University’s IT resources and support begins the moment you activate your NetID. The Northwestern IT website is your best source for tech tools and services, support options, and instructions for installing computer virus protection—a task important enough to be on Purple Prep’s summer checklist.

VIRUS PROTECTION
Before you come to campus, make sure your computer is free of viruses and has current operating system updates, the latest antivirus and anti-malware definitions, and the current version of Symantec Endpoint Protection, which Northwestern provides at no cost. Go to it.northwestern.edu/software/sav to download and install it.

ACCESSING THE INTERNET
All student residences offer wireless internet access, and some also offer wired access. The Northwestern IT website has instructions for setting up your Android, iOS, Windows, and macOS devices as well as game systems, printers, and streaming-media devices to use on the internet.

RESPONSIBLE NETWORK USE
It is the responsibility of every Northwestern student to use the University’s resources in a safe, secure, and legal way. You are expected to review and abide by the University’s responsible-use policies and guidelines.

It is against University policy to set up your own wireless network, and routers and network extenders are strictly prohibited. Cellular coverage is widely available on campus, and student residences are specially equipped to enhance the signals from cellular service providers.

IT SUPPORT OPTIONS
- Use the Northwestern Knowledge Base at kb.northwestern.edu.
- Call the IT Support Center at 847-491-4357 (1-HELP).
- Email your questions to consultant@northwestern.edu.
- Find tips on the NU1HELP Facebook page and @Northwestern_IT on Twitter.
- Find more ways to get support at it.northwestern.edu/supportcenter.

On-site help will be offered on move-in day, and the IT Support Center has permanent locations at 1800 Sherman Avenue and in University Library. Note that IT support staff do not fix hardware problems or reinstall operating systems, but they can recommend a repair service.
Your student account

**ACCOUNT GUEST ACCESS**
Federal law prohibits Northwestern from sharing a student’s account information without the student’s permission. Therefore, we strongly recommend that you give one or both parents or guardians guest access to your account. Guest access allows authorized users to view bills and pay tuition and fees on your behalf.

To get step-by-step instructions for setting up guest access, log into CAESAR and select the Profile tile (see page 5). We advise doing this by August 8. More information is available on the “Guest Access” page of the Student Finance website.

**BILLS AND PAYMENTS**
The first bill for fall quarter is generated on August 10, and payment is due on September 1. To ensure smooth billing and payment, please go to the Profile tile on CAESAR to verify your permanent address and bill-delivery preferences by August 8.

Any bill may be paid online or by mail. The QuikPAY option allows for convenient and secure online viewing, printing, and paying of tuition bills. You may also configure QuikPAY preferences so that bills are sent by US mail. Always allow two business days for electronic payments via CAESAR or five business days for payments by mail.

Although tuition is billed quarterly, other charges, such as library fines, may be billed to your account at any time. An invoice will be generated during any month in which there is a balance or any new account activity.

Please refer to the Financial Regulations handbook, viewable on the Student Finance website, for detailed information and guidelines.

**OPTIONAL 9PAY PLAN**
Northwestern offers a prepayment plan called 9PAY that allows payments for the academic year to be spread over nine months—from July 2019 through March 2020—instead of lumped into large sums due at the start of each quarter. 9PAY has no finance or interest charges; the only cost is the $50 non-refundable application fee. The deadline to apply for 9PAY is June 1. Visit the Student Finance website to learn more and apply.
Financial aid

UNDERGRADUATE FINANCIAL AID  
undergradaid.northwestern.edu
847-491-7400  
undergradaid@u.northwestern.edu

The Undergraduate Financial Aid Office administers federal, state, and institutional need-based aid programs and processes outside scholarships. The office has counselors available to help with questions related to financial aid at any time over the summer and during the academic year.

FINANCIAL AID TO-DO’S

The financial aid office will email students during the summer regarding their financial aid and any information needed to finalize awards. All students applying for or receiving aid should regularly use the Financial Aid, Tasks, and My Account tiles on CAESAR to keep tabs on aid-related matters. If you have questions about your financial aid award or you have not yet applied for aid but are interested in doing so, please call or email the Office of Undergraduate Financial Aid.

FINANCIAL AID ON YOUR BILL

Anticipated aid (with the exception of work-study) will be reflected on the first tuition bill for the fall quarter, generated in August.

FEDERAL WORK-STUDY-ELIGIBLE STUDENTS

Work-study-eligible students will receive an email from the Federal Work-Study Office before the end of summer with information about the program and details on the work-study orientation and job fair held during Wildcat Welcome. Note that students accepting work-study employment must provide identification—such as a Social Security card, US passport, or birth certificate—at the time of hire.

FINANCIAL WELLNESS PROGRAM

Visit northwestern.edu/financial-wellness, the Undergraduate Financial Aid site for resources on budgeting, buying books, safeguarding your financial information, and other topics that will help you prepare for your first year at Northwestern.
Medical insurance

STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE OFFICE \ nordwestern.edu/student-insurance
847-491-3621 \ student.insurance@northwestern.edu

Northwestern requires all degree-seeking students to have comprehensive health insurance. Accordingly, before each academic year, students are automatically enrolled in NU-SHIP, Northwestern’s student health insurance plan. All incoming students must either confirm or waive their NU-SHIP enrollment by completing the Insurance Coverage Selection Form by October 1. NU-SHIP coverage is mandatory for students holding F-1 or J-1 US visas.

ANNUAL INSURANCE SELECTION REQUIREMENT
Students must provide insurance coverage information to the University annually. If you are covered under private insurance (e.g., a marketplace-based or employer-provided plan), you must ensure that your plan meets all of Northwestern’s comparable coverage requirements.

Insurance Coverage Selection Form
You may access the online Insurance Coverage Selection Form starting July 1; all students must complete this form by October 1. Log in to CAESAR with your NetID and password and select the Profile tile.

You will receive a confirmation email shortly after submitting the form. Please keep this email for your records. If you do not receive an email, please resubmit your data or call the Student Health Insurance Office for assistance.

Please note that the Insurance Coverage Selection Form available on CAESAR is the only means of confirming or waiving NU-SHIP enrollment.

Confirming NU-SHIP enrollment
If you know you will be using NU-SHIP as your health insurance, please confirm your enrollment via the Insurance Coverage Selection Form as soon as possible. Confirming by mid-August will ensure that enrollment is active as of September 1.

Waiving enrollment
If you are covered under an alternate insurance policy and you wish to waive NU-SHIP enrollment, you must provide the following information about the policy when completing the Insurance Coverage Selection Form:

- policyholder first and last name (usually a parent or guardian)
- subscriber/member ID
- insurance company name and phone number
- plan type (e.g., HMO, PPO, POS)
- coverage type (individual or family)
- annual deductible and out-of-pocket maximum

In addition, you must affirm that your plan meets all of Northwestern’s comparable coverage requirements.

Students who do not waive NU-SHIP enrollment by October 1 will remain enrolled in NU-SHIP for the entire plan year and will be responsible for the annual premium.

Financial aid recipients who may need assistance to cover the cost of insurance premiums should contact the Office of Undergraduate Financial Aid to discuss options.

COMPARABLE COVERAGE REQUIREMENTS
Students covered under an alternate insurance policy may waive NU-SHIP enrollment only if their policy meets all of the following requirements:
The plan must provide in-network coverage for routine, nonemergency care, in addition to emergency care, in the Chicago/Evanston area.

- It must provide coverage for all “essential health benefits,” as defined by the Affordable Care Act (ACA).
- It must have no exclusions or waiting periods for preexisting conditions.
- It must provide coverage for behavioral/mental healthcare services, specifically outpatient therapy.
- Coverage must be active from the day the student arrives on campus through August 31, 2020, or through the end of the student’s academic program, whichever comes first.
- It must have a US-based claims administrator, address, and phone number.
- It must have an annual out-of-pocket maximum limit of $7,900 or less (individual plans) or $15,800 or less (family plans), per the ACA.

- It must cover medical evacuation and repatriation expenses (for students who plan to study abroad or travel internationally; required for all international students).

  It is a violation of University policy for degree-seeking students to waive NU-SHIP if their own insurance plan does not provide comparable coverage as defined here.

  If it is determined that a student’s alternate insurance plan does not meet Northwestern’s comparable coverage requirements, the student will be re-enrolled in NU-SHIP and be responsible for the applicable charges billed to the student account.

  Note that medical insurance requirements are distinct from entrance health requirements. For information about entrance health requirements, see page 20.

FEATURES OF NU-SHIP COVERAGE

Selected features are highlighted here. For additional details, see the Student Health Insurance Office website.

- NU-SHIP coverage is active from September 1, 2019, through August 31, 2020, concurrent with the regular academic year.
- The 2019–20 NU-SHIP premium is $4,050 and is charged to the student’s account on CAESAR.
- The plan has a $250 deductible and a $2,000 annual out-of-pocket maximum; once the deductible is met, NU-SHIP covers 80 percent of the cost of in-network care for medical services. In-network mental health services are covered at 80 percent (without having to meet the annual deductible).
Counseling and Psychological Services

With a professional staff of psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers, and counselors, Northwestern’s Counseling and Psychological Services offers personalized care meetings, short-term one-on-one counseling, psychotherapy groups, psychiatric and medication consultation, off-campus referrals when appropriate, educational programs, and crisis intervention.

Full-time enrolled students are eligible for all CAPS offerings at no cost, though psychiatric services are offered only when a student is in ongoing CAPS counseling. In some cases, students may be referred to off-campus providers; when this happens, CAPS works with students to ensure they find appropriate, affordable services. A CAPS therapist is on call 24/7 year-round for emergencies.

Before students come to campus, it is important for them to consider how they will maintain their emotional and mental health in their first year at Northwestern. Having a plan in place is highly recommended.

For assistance over the summer, students and their families are encouraged to set up a phone consultation with CAPS by calling 847-491-2151. For more information, see northwestern.edu/counseling.

Entrance health requirements

Northwestern students are required to show proof of immunizations and to complete the Admission Health Record form. To download and print the form, go to the “New Incoming Students” section of the Health Service website, choose “Entrance Health Requirements,” and click the first link in the bulleted list. Completed materials must be mailed to the Health Service on or before July 1.

Health Record Form

Instructions for completing and mailing the Admission Health Record for Non-Healthcare Students appear on page 1 of the form. No physical exam is required. All information requested is kept confidential and is strictly for Health Service use; it can’t be released without the student’s written consent or used to discriminate, deny healthcare, or affect admission status.

Once the Health Service processes your form, an email will be sent to your Northwestern account to confirm receipt and to alert you to any missing information or unmet requirements.

All entrance health requirements must be met no later than 30 days after classes begin. Students with unmet requirements will be unable to register for, drop, or add courses in subsequent academic quarters and will be assessed a nonrefundable $100 late fee. Please make copies of your completed records and bring them to campus for your reference.

Note that entrance health requirements are distinct from medical insurance requirements. See pages 18–19 for information about insurance.

Mental Health Disclosure Option

In accordance with the Illinois Student Optional Disclosure of Private Mental Health Act, you have the option to identify a designated person (such as a parent or guardian) who would be notified in the event that a qualified mental healthcare provider employed by Northwestern determines that you might pose a clear danger to yourself or others. The form authorizing disclosure of private mental health information is available at bit.ly/nu-disclosureform.
Northwestern ID card
(also known as your Wildcard)

WILDCARD OFFICE \ northwestern.edu/wildcard \ 847-467-NUID (6843)

Every new student is issued a Wildcard, the official Northwestern ID card that also serves as your room key. To have your card ready for pickup at your residence on move-in day, complete the photo-submission process by **August 1**. To get started, go to [bit.ly/nu-wildcard](http://bit.ly/nu-wildcard).

**WHAT MAKES A PHOTO WILDCARD-WORTHY?**
- It’s a 600 x 600–pixel (or bigger) JPG.
- It was taken recently.
- It’s in color, with no filters.
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- The lighting is bright and even.
- Your whole face is visible and centered in the frame.
- Your eyes are open and visible.
- Your glasses are on if you normally wear them.
- No sunglasses, hats, or other items are obscuring your eyes or face.
- You’re not making inappropriate facial expressions or hand gestures.
- It’s not a senior portrait or yearbook photo.

Here are three must-have apps to download from Google Play or the App Store.

**Northwestern:** real-time Northwestern news and events, campus maps, library resources, Wildcard discounts, directories, and more

**NUhelp:** access to student-support services and features for sharing a well-being concern, finding health/safety/security resources, and connecting with academic assistance on campus

**TransLoc Rider:** real-time tracking of Northwestern’s shuttle buses (indispensable in winter!)
Academics

This section begins with a one-page review of the academic checklist tasks that Northwestern requires of all new students, followed by an overview of placement exam information. Next are the pages focusing on what each school expects just its students to do this summer. Only your school’s pages apply to you.
Requirements for all transfer students

Have your updated college transcript sent to Northwestern as soon as possible.

Request transmittal of your final transcript early enough to ensure that Northwestern receives it by August 1. Delays in your former school’s processing of your transcript request may result in credits not appearing on your Northwestern record immediately, so please have your final grade report available when meeting with your academic adviser.

If you plan to use AP/IB scores toward course credit or placement, have the testing service send your official score reports to Northwestern.

IB results should be requested by July 15; requests for AP reports should be made by August 1. If your AP/IB test scores qualify, you may be awarded credits toward your Northwestern degree. Information about how scores are processed is at bit.ly/nu-apib. See your school’s website to learn how AP/IB credits can apply toward your degree. Credit is awarded only upon Northwestern’s receipt of official score reports from the testing service. Bring a paper copy of your scores to use in academic advising sessions.

Review the credit evaluation sent by the registrar.

This summary details the total number of credits accepted from your former school, the corresponding Northwestern course numbers, and the University’s undergraduate registration requirement. Please review the evaluation carefully before meeting with your academic adviser. The transferred courses will be posted to your academic record and viewable on CAESAR on your unofficial transcript later this summer. If you have questions, see bit.ly/nu-transfercredit.

Complete any required online exams or assessments by July 31.

The need to take an online exam depends on your Northwestern school or program’s requirements, AP/IB scores, previous study, and your course objectives. If you received credit for less than two years of language instruction at your previous school(s), you are strongly encouraged to take the online exam in that language to verify appropriate placement. For guidelines, see bit.ly/nu-exams.

Read the 2019–20 One Book One Northwestern selection by September 16.

A free electronic copy of this year’s book will be mailed to you in late July (see sidebar). All new students are expected to have finished reading the book before coming to campus.
Welcome to Weinberg College! As soon as you receive your transfer credit evaluation from Northwestern’s registrar, arrange a phone, Skype, or in-person conference with a Weinberg College adviser, who will review your credits and answer any questions. Expect to be notified of your appointed registration time in early August. Until then, use wcas.nu/first-year-info/transfer as your go-to resource; email wcas-adviser@northwestern.edu anytime for assistance.

If you plan to use AP/IB scores toward course credit or placement, go to “AP Credits and Course Suggestions” at wcas.nu/exams-credit to find out how much credit you may be awarded and which fall courses correspond to your placement level in specific subjects. Questions about the application of AP/IB credits will be answered when you confer with a Weinberg College adviser this summer.

The transfer credit evaluation you receive from the University registrar will tell you how your previous coursework applies to Weinberg College degree requirements. Weinberg’s transfer student website (noted above) includes tips for deciphering the credit evaluation form. You may discuss any questions you have when you confer with a Weinberg College adviser; send any urgent questions to wcas-adviser@northwestern.edu.
Prerequisites

If you’ve already completed coursework in the field of your intended major, you may wish to discuss your placement in major courses with a departmental adviser: go to weinberg.northwestern.edu/undergraduate/major-minor/explore to find the relevant contact information. To determine your course level, advisers often ask to see syllabi and/or reading lists from previous coursework, so please have this documentation ready.

LANGUAGE PLACEMENT EXAM
If you have not fulfilled the Weinberg College requirement of two years (or the equivalent) of college-level study of a foreign language, you may need to take an online placement exam by July 31 to determine the course level for continuing your studies at Northwestern. Go to weinberg.northwestern.edu/undergraduate/degree/foreign-language-proficiency to find more information on the proficiency requirement and placement exams.

WEINBERG COLLEGE ADVISERS
Schedule an appointment with a Weinberg adviser as soon as your transferred courses have been fully articulated and any applicable online placement exam results are in. Weinberg College advisers are available for in-person, phone, or Skype conferences throughout the summer; please call the advising office at 847-491-8916 to schedule an appointment or discuss any questions about the transfer credit articulation process. You will need to meet with a Weinberg adviser before you register for fall courses.

In early September you’ll be assigned to a permanent Weinberg College adviser who will continue to work with you until you graduate. Once you arrive for Wildcat Welcome, you’ll meet with your adviser to review your fall schedule and discuss any questions. Your peer adviser (a former transfer student) also will be in touch with you by email. Please bring your final college transcript with your last semester/quarter grades to your initial Weinberg College advising appointment.

☑ SCHOOL CHECKLIST FOR WEINBERG TRANSFER STUDENTS
- If any online placement exams are required, complete them by July 31.
- Schedule an appointment with a Weinberg College adviser after you have received your transfer credit evaluation and the results of any required online placement exams.
School of Communication

Welcome to SoC! Once you receive your transfer credit evaluation from Northwestern’s registrar, contact the SoC Office of Undergraduate Programs to arrange for academic advising by phone or in person over the summer. Your adviser will help you prepare to register for fall courses prior to Wildcat Welcome. Other helpful resources are on SoC’s website for new students at communication.northwestern.edu/welcome.

☐ SCHOOL CHECKLIST FOR SOC TRANSFER STUDENTS

☐ After receiving your transfer credit evaluation, contact the SoC Office of Undergraduate Programs to arrange for academic advising by phone or in person over the summer.

☐ Complete the appropriate summer online exams and assessments by July 31.

☐ Complete the new-student survey via the link in your online checklist.

ADVISING

Soon after you receive your transfer credit summary, contact the SoC Office of Undergraduate Programs at 847-491-7214 or dear-soc@northwestern.edu to request an advising appointment.

Following preliminary academic advising during the summer, you will be able to register for fall classes before Wildcat Welcome. All incoming students confer with an adviser individually before registering.

The SoC academic advising team maintains a web page, advising.soc.northwestern.edu, where you can review your major and program requirements, learn more about curricular offerings, and find answers to commonly asked academic questions.

PLACEMENT EXAMS

Information about online summer exams can be found at bit.ly/nu-exams. All incoming SoC students must complete the new-student online survey (link found in your online checklist at bit.ly/pp-checklist). Students taking any online summer exams should complete the survey after receiving any applicable exam results.

Language requirements for SoC students vary by bachelor’s degree program (BA or BS) and major, as described below.

All students completing a BA in any SoC department and all students completing a major in communication studies or radio/television/film must achieve foreign language proficiency equivalent to the sixth-quarter course at Northwestern.

For transfer students who intend to pursue a language they’ve previously studied, placement at the appropriate course level is based on AP scores and/or Northwestern language placement exams; the applicable online language placement exam must be completed by July 31.

Students who may need to take chemistry at Northwestern, including premed students and those majoring in human communication sciences, should complete both the Department of Chemistry initial assessment and the Department of Mathematics placement exam by July 31.
Welcome to SESP! Your SESP academic and peer advisers will email you in the coming weeks to discuss your AP/IB and transfer credit summary, course objectives, and your interests and goals. Your adviser will assist you with registering for fall classes, so you will already have your schedule when you arrive on campus. Find information on sesp.northwestern.edu/ugrad/wildcat-welcome or from assistant dean Susan Olson, who can be reached at susan-olson@northwestern.edu.

**PLACEMENT TESTING**
Placement in foreign-language courses beyond the introductory level is based on an AP exam score, a placement exam score, or a combination of both. See Northwestern’s Council on Language Instruction’s helpful guidelines at cli.northwestern.edu/undergraduate/placement.html. Visit bit.ly/nu-exams for an overview of online placement exams and assessments offered during the summer, most with a deadline of July 31.

**WHO’S WHO AT SESP**
- Susan Olson, assistant dean for student affairs and adviser to human development and psychological services students
- Caitlin Burnett, adviser to learning science students and learning and organizational change students
- Nathan Frideres, practicum director and certificate in civic engagement coordinator
- Shelena Johnson, adviser to learning and organizational change students
- Meg Kreuser, adviser to secondary teaching students and manager of teaching certification and licensure
- Ken Powers, adviser to social policy students
- Jasmine Tucker, program coordinator

**SUMMER OPPORTUNITY**
The SESP Leadership Institute helps incoming students thrive at Northwestern and beyond. First-generation college students are especially encouraged to attend. The program runs from August 28–September 14; learn more at bit.ly/nu-sli.

**SCHOOL CHECKLIST FOR SESP TRANSFER STUDENTS**

- Regularly check your Northwestern email account for messages from your SESP academic and peer advisers.
- If applicable to you, complete online exams and assessments by July 31.
Welcome to McCormick! Use the information provided here as your starting point, then turn to the McCormick website for new students—mccormick.northwestern.edu/undergraduates/welcome—for guidance on such topics as online testing, AP/IB credits, and software needs. The Undergraduate Engineering Office is your source for assistance and information about courses, majors, and your degree progress; you can expect email from the office in the coming weeks.

**UNDERGRADUATE ENGINEERING OFFICE**

The Undergraduate Engineering Office staff members include:

- Wesley Burghardt, associate dean of undergraduate education
- Joseph Holtgreive, assistant dean of counseling and personal development
- Heather Bacon, assistant director of advising and student development

The office is located in rooms L268–269 at the Technological Institute (2145 Sheridan Road, Evanston, Illinois 60208). Contact us at 847-491-7379 or ueoffice@northwestern.edu.

**TRANSFER CREDIT EVALUATIONS**

A preliminary evaluation of your transfer credit will be sent to you by Northwestern’s registrar. If you have questions about this initial evaluation, please email nu-transfer-credit@northwestern.edu.
As an incoming engineering transfer student, you are required to submit detailed information (including the syllabus) for each of your previous engineering courses. To do this, you will use an online course form available at a link to be emailed to you by the Undergraduate Engineering Office. Please submit one form for each course, including any relevant courses you will complete after June 1. Course forms are not required for your previous nontechnical courses.

Your technical credits will undergo full review during June and July, and your transcript will be updated as credits are finalized.

**ADVISING AND REGISTRATION**
Between late July and the end of August, Dean Holtgreive and Heather Bacon will contact you to review your final transfer credit evaluation and discuss proper course placement and selection for fall quarter. Following your advising, you will be able to register for fall courses prior to arrival on campus.

**ONLINE PLACEMENT EXAMS AND ASSESSMENTS**
If you have never taken college-level chemistry and are planning to take it at Northwestern, you must complete the Department of Chemistry initial chemistry assessment via Canvas by July 31.

If you have taken college-level chemistry before and are seeking other than 100-level transfer credit for it, you must take the chemistry placement exam at [bit.ly/nu-exams](http://bit.ly/nu-exams) by July 31.

As a transfer student, you are not required to take the McCormick math and physics assessments that are required for incoming first-year engineering students.

Foreign-language placement exams are required only if you are choosing to continue language study at Northwestern. Language study is optional for engineering students.

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**SCHOOL CHECKLIST FOR MCCORMICK TRANSFER STUDENTS**

- Fully explore McCormick’s website for incoming engineering students: [mccormick.northwestern.edu/undergraduates/welcome](http://mccormick.northwestern.edu/undergraduates/welcome).
- Regularly check your Northwestern email account for messages from your McCormick peer adviser.
- Submit an online course form for each of your previous engineering courses.
- If applicable, complete the Department of Chemistry initial chemistry assessment or the chemistry placement exam by July 31.
- Download and install MATLAB software before coming to campus if you are advised to enroll in Engineering Analysis.
- If applicable, submit course forms for any math or science courses that need further evaluation. See your summer advising email from McCormick for more details.
Welcome to Medill! Once you’ve received your credit evaluation from the registrar, please contact the Medill Office of Student Life to set up an academic advising appointment this summer. Whether in-person or by phone, your advising should take place before Wildcat Welcome. You and your adviser will review credit you’ve already earned and determine your best path at Northwestern. In the meantime, explore the Medill curriculum and community at bit.ly/medillcanvas19.

**ADVISING**
Your Medill Student Life adviser will be a go-to resource regarding your academic plan and your experience both inside and outside the classroom. To set up an advising appointment this summer, contact one of the following:

- Joy Fernandez
  j.fernandez@northwestern.edu
  847-491-2442
- Daniel MacKenzie
  daniel.mackenzie@northwestern.edu
  847-491-4484
- Jessica Scott
  jessica.scott@northwestern.edu
  847-467-1884

**LANGUAGE PLACEMENT EXAM**
Medill requires either 3 units of a foreign language or proficiency in a foreign language as demonstrated on an AP exam or a placement exam administered by Northwestern. This means that some Medill transfer students will need to take a Northwestern language placement exam by **July 31** if offered online, or during Wildcat Welcome if offered on campus. Please see bit.ly/nu-exams for details.

**SCHOOL CHECKLIST FOR MEDILL TRANSFER STUDENTS**

- Contact the Medill Office of Student Life to set up an academic advising appointment this summer.
- Join the Medill GroupMe (link to be emailed).
- If appropriate, complete the applicable online language placement exam by July 31.
Welcome to Bienen! As a Bienen transfer student, you’ll receive academic advising through the Bienen School’s Office of Student Affairs. Assistant dean Linda Jacobs will be your official adviser, and staff member Jeff Merkley will be available to advise you on course requirements and registration. Once you’ve received your transfer credit evaluation from the registrar, please contact Dean Jacobs to arrange for in-person or phone advising this summer.

**ADVISING**
The Bienen School’s Office of Student Affairs is able to assist you. Call 847-491-3818 or contact Linda Jacobs or Jeff Merkley by email:
- linda.jacobs@northwestern.edu
- j-merkley@northwestern.edu

**COURSE REGISTRATION**
Registration for fall classes will take place during Wildcat Welcome. Because you’ll have had several advising sessions before then, most of your fall schedule will be set before you register. Your peer advisers and our office staff will be on hand to assist you through the registration process.

**NONMUSIC PLACEMENT EXAMS**
You may need to take an online foreign-language placement exam this summer if you intend to take Northwestern courses in a language you previously studied. The deadline for taking online exams is **July 31**. Please go to [bit.ly/nu-exams](http://bit.ly/nu-exams) for details.

**SCHOOL CHECKLIST FOR BIENEN TRANSFER STUDENTS**

- After receiving your transfer credit evaluation, contact Dean Jacobs to schedule in-person or phone advising this summer.

- If necessary to meet nonmusic course objectives, complete summer online exams and assessments by July 31
For your reference

The important dates, contact information, and map of student residences that we include here will come in handy as you plan for the year ahead.
# 2019–20 Planning Calendar

## May 2019
- **1** Housing deposit due
- **JUNE**
  - **1** Online housing contact due
  - **1** Deadline to enroll in optional PAY plan
  - **1** Access to online placement exams and assessments begins
  - **1** Registration opens for Parent and Family Orientation and Family Weekend

## July
- **1** Admission Health Record due
- **1** Student health insurance (NU-SHIP) enrollment confirmation/waiver period opens
- **7** Deadline to submit Wildcat Welcome Information Form
- **15** Deadline to request IB transcripts
- **31** Deadline to complete online placement exams and assessments

## August
- **1** Deadline to request AP exam results
- **1** Final high school transcript due
- **1** Deadline to upload photo for Wildcard
- **1** Deadline to upload I-20/DS-2019 request (international students only)
- **5** Access to True Northwestern Dialogues online components begins

## September
- **1** Fall tuition and fees due
- **7** Deadline to complete online campus safety requirement
- **7** Deadline to complete True Northwestern Dialogues online components
- **10–13** International Student Orientation
- **16** Move-in day; Wildcat Welcome begins
- **16–17** Parent and Family Orientation
- **17** March through the Arch
- **19** AccessibleNU welcome luncheon
- **19** Fall course registration
- **21** New Student Tailgate and Wildcat Dash at Ryan Field
- **22** President’s Convocation
- **24** Fall classes begin

## October
- **1** Deadline to confirm/waive NU-SHIP enrollment
- **24–27** Homecoming Week/Reunion Weekend

## November
- **1** Recommended deadline to register for AccessibleNU accommodations
- **8–10** Family Weekend
- **28–29** Thanksgiving break

## December
- **2–8** Weinberg Reading Week
- **9–14** Finals week, followed by winter break (through 1/5)

## January 2020
- **1** Winter tuition and fees due
- **6** Winter classes begin
- **20** Martin Luther King Jr. Day (no classes)

## March
- **10–15** Weinberg Reading Week
- **16–21** Finals week, followed by spring break (through 3/30)
- **31** Spring classes begin

## April
- **1** Spring tuition and fees due
- **9** Passover begins at sundown
- **12** Easter

## May
- **25** Memorial Day (no classes)

## June
- **3–7** Weinberg Reading Week
- **8–13** Finals week, followed by summer break
- **22** Summer Session classes begin
# Directory of contacts

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