



# 1. Activate your student accounts

Go to **www.ndsu.edu/its/new\_student** and complete steps 1-3. You'll need your EMPLID/ student ID number, which can be found in your admission letter.

#### SYSTEM ACCOUNT

Your system account allows you access to Campus Connection, the online system you will use to review transfer coursework, view and accept financial aid, register for classes and apply for housing. You'll also use your system account username and password to log in to your NDSU email account and online learning system.

**NOTE:** Once you have activated your system account, you will want to frequently review your NDSU email account as financial aid information and housing updates are sent there.

#### **ELECTRONIC ID**

Your electronic ID allows you to access computer labs and also is used to apply for scholarships and other awards.

# 2. Review your Transfer Credit Report

Transfer credits are evaluated by the NDSU Office of Registration and Records and are posted to your NDSU account approximately three weeks following admission. You'll receive an email once credits have been posted.

#### TRANSFER CREDIT REPORT

This report is a side-by-side comparison of how your coursework from other institutions has transferred to NDSU.

- 1. Log on to Campus Connection.
- 2. Click "Academic Records" tile.
- 3. Click "View Transfer Credit Report."

Explanation of Transfer Credit Report transfer codes

<u>Code</u>	<u>Definition</u>
TRNSF 100	Credit accepted, but course is not yet evaluated
TRNSF 101	Syllabus needed
TRNSF 102	Course description needed
TRNSF 103	Evaluation in progress by academic department

If syllabus or course description is needed, provide information to a transfer coordinator in the Office of Registration and Records, 110 Ceres Hall, or via email to ndsu.transfer@ndsu.edu.

Remedial, no credit awarded in transfer
Remedial, no credit awarded in transfer, not a prerequisite
for ENGL 110
Remedial, no credit transfer - satisfies the prerequisite
for ENGL 110
Remedial, no credit awarded in transfer - not a prerequisite

## CREDIT THROUGH PLACEMENT EXAMS (AP, CLEP, DSST OR IB)

for MATH 98

**Courses 1xx, 2xx, 3xx, 4xx** Free or department elective credits

If you earned college credit for Advanced Placement (AP), College Level Examination Program (CLEP), DSST or International Baccalaureate (IB), official exam results must be sent to NDSU to receive credit.

# 3. Apply for financial aid

You are encouraged to apply for financial assistance if additional funds are necessary to attend NDSU.

To be considered for financial assistance, submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by February 1 for fall (or at least eight weeks prior to the spring or summer term). Applications are available beginning October 1 for the following academic year.

Complete the form at www.fafsa.gov. NDSU's Institution Title IV Code is 002997.

**NOTE:** If you have already submitted a FAFSA for the academic year and you are intending to transfer, you may change your school code using the online form (www.fafsa.gov) or by calling 800-433-3243.

### PRIORITY DEADLINES:

February 1 (for fall)

Eight weeks prior to semester start (for spring or summer)

# 4. Apply for NDSU scholarships

You are encouraged to apply for scholarships if you have earned a cumulative GPA of 3.0 from each institution previously attended. Preference will be given to students who have earned 12 or more transferable semester credits. Numerous departmental and college scholarships also may be awarded to students based on intended major and academic achievement.

**DEADLINES:** To be considered for scholarships, complete the scholarship application by April 1 for fall and summer terms or December 1 for spring term. Some departmental and college scholarships have different deadlines or separate application procedures. Go to **www.ndsu.edu/admission/scholarships** for details.

# **GUARANTEED SCHOLARSHIPS**

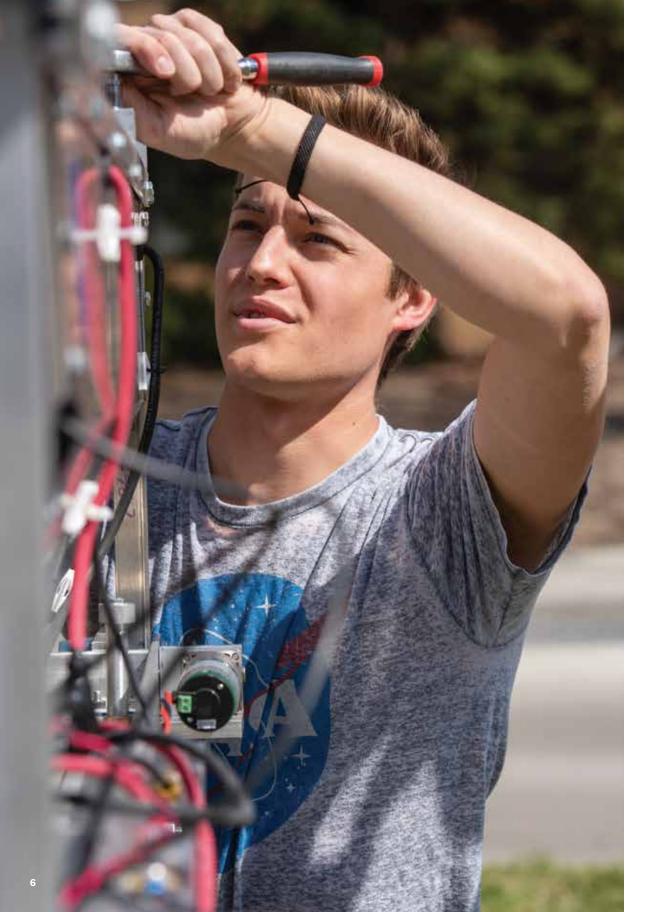
Scholarship/Award	Cumulative GPA	Award
Achievers Transfer Award*	3.5-4.0 3.0-3.49	\$2,000/year (renewable for 1 additional year) \$1,000/year (renewable for 1 additional year)
Academic Transfer Award	3.5+	\$1,000/year (renewable for 1 additional year)

<sup>\*</sup>Requires completion of an Associate of Arts (A.A.) or Associate of Science (A.S.) degree prior to enrollment

### OTHER TRANSFER AWARDS

Scholarship/Award	Cumulative GPA	Award
Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) Award	3.0+	\$500 one-time award
Cultural Diversity Tuition Waiver	3.5+	More details at: ndsu.edu/admission/ financial_aid/diversity_waiver
Departmental Scholarships	Vary	Vary





# 5. Register for classes

NDSU offers a variety of registration options for new transfer students. You may attend one of our on-campus registration programs or choose to enroll in classes on your own. Students are encouraged to consult with an academic adviser and enroll as soon as registration opens for best class selection and availability.

#### ACADEMIC ADVISER

Log on to Campus Connection – your academic adviser will be listed on the right-hand side of your "Student Center." If "Department Assigned" is listed or if an adviser has not yet been assigned, refer to the "Adviser Contact" list at **career-advising.ndsu.edu/transfer-student-advising-contacts**.

### **ENROLLMENT DATE**

Your enrollment date is the specific date and time you can begin registering for classes for the term you were admitted. Registration usually begins in November for spring semester and April for summer and fall terms. Your enrollment date is listed in your "Student Center" of Campus Connection.

### REGISTRATION

**OPTION 1:** Attend an on-campus transfer orientation/registration session. Several sessions, specifically designed for transfer students, are offered leading up to the start of each semester. To learn more about specific dates, schedules and to sign up for a session, visit **www.ndsu.edu/orientation**.

**OPTION 2:** Consult with an academic adviser in your academic department to discuss course selection and register for classes on your own using Campus Connection. Students may contact an adviser via email, phone or a face-to-face meeting. Students may enroll in courses according to their registration appointment.

### ONLINE ORIENTATION

An optional self-guided online orientation is available to provide information on student services, academic services, student finances and a Campus Connection tutorial for registration purposes. After activating your system account and password (see step 1), log into Blackboard (**blackboard.ndus.edu**) to access the online orientation.

# 6. Apply for reciprocity (Minnesota residents)

Minnesota residents attending NDSU receive a reduced tuition rate similar to that of a North Dakota resident. To qualify for the reduced tuition rate, you must complete the reciprocity application with the Minnesota Office of Higher Education. Forms are available beginning in the spring for the following academic year.

Complete the online form at www.ohe.state.mn.us prior to the first day of classes.

# 7. Get your NDSU Card, parking permit and textbooks

### NDSU CARD

Present your official class schedule and picture ID at the NDSU Card Center in the Memorial Union to obtain your student ID card ("NDSU Card"). Your NDSU Card can be used for purchases at a variety of campus locations, to gain access to the Wellness Center, to check out books at the library, to ride the metro-bus for free, use the bike share and to enter athletic events. Students also may use their NDSU Card for dining center and residence hall access.

### **PARKING PERMIT**

A permit is required to park on campus. Review more details and how to purchase a permit at www.ndsu.edu/parking/students.

- 1. Log on to Campus Connection.
- 2. Click on "Student Center," then "Parking."
- 3. Select "North Dakota State University" and follow the instructions.

### **TEXTBOOKS**

Textbooks can be purchased in person at the NDSU Bookstore in the Memorial Union or at **www.ndsubookstore.com**.

# 8. Other requirements

### IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS

Submit immunization records to Student Health Service. For current requirements, resources for finding your records and how to submit your records, visit the immunizations link under the Patient Resources tab on the Student Health Service website at www.ndsu.edu/studenthealthservice/patient\_resources/immunizations.

**DEADLINES:** August 1 (for fall); January 1 (for spring); May 1 (for summer)

### SERVICES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Assistance is provided to any student with a documented physical, psychological, sensory or learning disability. Disability Services fosters full participation of students with disabilities in all aspects of the college experience. To meet this goal, staff members work cooperatively with students and others in the campus community to optimize student access to educational experiences and campus facilities.

If you would like information or to apply for services, contact Disability Services, NDSU, Dept. 5160, PO Box 6050, Fargo, ND 58108-6050, call 701-231-8463 or email ndsu.disability.services@ndsu.edu. Contact this office early to ensure services are ready and available when you begin classes.

## **FERPA**

According to the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), a student's academic record and financial information can only be released to the student. Following class registration, a student may add or remove authorization for designated individuals or parties to have access to their educational records. For more details on FERPA and student privacy policy visit www.ndsu.edu/registrar/records/ferpa.





# 9. Send final transcripts

### FINAL TRANSCRIPTS

If you are currently enrolled at another college or university, please have an official final transcript sent to NDSU upon completion of your studies. This will complete your admission file to the university and ensure all transferable coursework will be evaluated for transfer credit. Failure to provide a final transcript may impact future enrollment at NDSU and financial aid may not be disbursed.

Make arrangements to have your official final transcript(s) sent to: NDSU Office of Admission, Dept. 2832, PO Box 6050, Fargo, ND 58108-6050

## **DEADLINES:**

July 1 (for fall) January 1 (for spring)

# 10. Review housing options

As a transfer student, you have a variety of housing options.

Students beginning at NDSU within one calendar year from the date of high school graduation are required to live on campus and are guaranteed housing in one of NDSU's residence halls. Apply online at www.ndsu.edu/reslife/apply.

Students transferring **more than one year** after graduating from high school may apply for one of NDSU's residence halls or student apartments, or may choose to live off campus. Review details and application procedures at **www.ndsu.edu/admission/transfer**.

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# **CAREER AND ADVISING CENTER**

part-time jobs, internships, career placement 701-231-7111

career-advising.ndsu.edu

## **OFFICE OF REGISTRATION AND RECORDS**

transfer evaluations, degree requirements, adviser assignments 701-231-7981 or 800-608-6378 www.ndsu.edu/registrar

### STUDENT SUCCESS PROGRAMS

orientation and registration programs, tutoring services 701-231-8379 or 800-488-6378 www.ndsu.edu/studentsuccess

# **FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARHIPS**

701-231-6200 or 866-924-8969 www.ndsu.edu/onestop/finaid

### **ONE STOP**

financial aid, payments, math placement 701-231-6200 or 866-924-8969 www.ndsu.edu/onestop

### **TRIO PROGRAMS**

701-231-8028 www.ndsu.edu/trio

### **DISABILITY SERVICES**

accommodations for students with disabilities 701-231-8463 www.ndsu.edu/disabilityservices

## **RESIDENCE LIFE**

residence halls and campus apartments 701-231-7557 or 800-572-8840 www.ndsu.edu/reslife

## STUDENT HEALTH SERVICE

immunizations, student health insurance options, medical services  $701\hbox{-}231\hbox{-}7331$ 

www.ndsu.edu/studenthealthservice

## OFFICE OF ADMISSION

campus visits, term or major changes, general questions

701-231-8643 or 800-488-6378 www.ndsu.edu/admission

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