Preparing for NDSU Academics

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Overview

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7 Academic Colleges
- Agriculture, Food Systems & Natural Resources
- Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences
- Business
- Engineering
- Health Professions
- Human Development & Education
- Science & Mathematics

17 Baccalaureate Degrees
- Examples include:
  - Bachelor of Arts
  - Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Landscape Architecture
- Bachelor of Music
- Bachelor of Science in Architecture
- Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering
- Bachelor of University Studies

100+ Undergraduate Major Programs
- Examples include:
  - Accounting
  - Animal Science
  - Biological Sciences
  - Chemistry
  - Computer Science
  - English
  - History
  - Management
  - Pharmacy
  - Radiologic Sciences
  - Spanish Education

78 Undergraduate Minor Programs
- Examples include:
  - Agribusiness
  - Art
  - Business Administration
  - Criminal Justice
  - Economics
  - Equine Science
  - Food Safety
  - French Studies
  - Geology
  - Horticulture
  - Managerial Psychology
  - Physics
  - Web Design
Earning a Degree

- General Education Requirements
- College or Department Requirements
- Major Requirements

Bachelor’s Degree
Academic Record

Permanent and will never be destroyed

Important for admission to other institutions

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)
Dates and Deadlines

Pay attention to semester deadlines
- Enrollment/Registration
- Financial aid

Consequences for missed deadlines
- Impact GPA and academic standing
- Loss of financial aid
- Ineligible to participate in campus activities (athletics, student organizations, etc.)
Academic Standing

Good Standing = 2.00+ GPA

Dean’s List = 3.5+ GPA

Deficiency = Below a 2.00 GPA
Course Load

12 credits = Full time
13 credits = Tuition cap
15+ credits = Graduate in 4 years
20 credits = Max allowed
Academic Advising

Advising & Registration Today
- Immediately follows this session
- Meet with a faculty member or professional adviser from your selected major
- Individual vs. group advising
- Register for classes using Campus Connection

Advising Beyond Orientation
- Contact adviser to make an appointment
- Review educational goals and report any academic difficulties
- Learn about the program and other campus services
- Career Advice
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Attend classes

Know drop/add deadlines

Contact instructors early with questions, clarifications, absences from class, etc.

Never walk away or stop attending classes without speaking to the One-Stop
Staying Connected

NDSU Email
Campus Connection
Blackboard
SSC/Guide
Campus Connection

Academics
- Enroll for courses
- Review transfer credit
- Review degree progress

Finances
- Account information and summary
- Online tuition payment
- Financial Obligation Agreement
- Review financial aid and accept or decline awards

Personal Information
- Update contact information

Other Important Information
- Review if there are holds on your account
- View assigned academic advisor
- Upcoming registration enrollment dates
- Important student communications
Registration Tutorial

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DWbd2YBNNDms
WELCOME TO NDSU

Remain seated until you are dismissed by your selected major for advising and registration

Have a GREAT day!