

FSU

It's All Academic **for Upper-Division Transfer Students**

Florida State University
Division of Undergraduate Studies



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*Student Success is
Our Mission*

- Academic transition, engagement, support
- Transfer Student Services
- Academic advising





Academic Dean's Office



Office of Undergraduate Studies

Most lower-division transfer students, freshmen & sophomores
Until formally admitted to major or upper-division

Location: UCA 3400



Dean's Office in College for Admitted Major

Most upper-division transfer students, juniors & seniors
Music, Fine Arts, Motion Picture Arts

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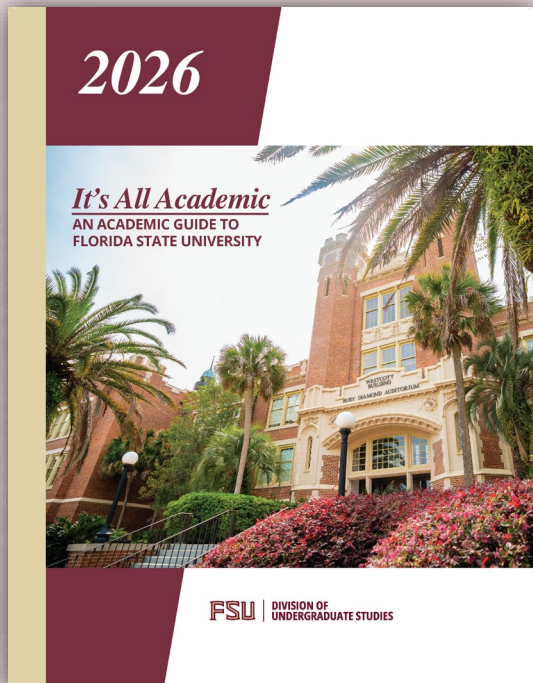
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The Basics

ACADEMIC POLICIES

Academic Policies & Info



**It's All Academic 2026:
Transfer Edition**

Undergraduate Bulletin

Download the myFSU App

– FREE: iPhone & Android

Academic & Advising Tech



FSU Email

Check daily for critical communications



Student Central

Academic & financial information



Campus Connect

Academic advising notes & appointment scheduling



Canvas

Online sites for your classes

Fall & Spring Terms

Full Semester

15 weeks of class



Final Exam Week



No Express Sessions

Summer Term

Three Session Options

Sum A 1st six weeks

Sum B 2nd six weeks

Sum C All 12 weeks

$$A+B=C$$

Attend Your Classes (unless sick or excused)



Academic Calendar

Lists when classes begin/end, finals, university holidays

Posted for each semester



Excused absences require documentation

Illness

Death in the family or other crisis

Active military duty, jury duty, or religious holidays



Any crisis that impacts your academics...

Contact your academic dean's office

→ **In-person classes can't be switched to online.**

Grades at FSU

4.0 scale for GPA

A = 4.0 (no A+)

B = 3.0

C = 2.0

D = 1.0

F = 0.0

+/- = 0.25 up or down



No weighted grades

No grade “forgiveness”

GPAs at FSU

FSU Cumulative GPA

- Only FSU classes
- 2.0+ FSU GPA for Good Academic Standing

Overall Cumulative GPA

- Includes transfer & dual enrollment grades
- Used for Bright Futures & graduation honors



The letters 'FSU' in a stylized, outlined font, colored in a light yellow or gold hue. The background of the entire image is a sepia-toned photograph of the Florida State University campus, featuring the iconic Old Main building with its two towers and the central fountain in the foreground. The image has a warm, monochromatic aesthetic with a reddish-brown tint.

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Degrees, Majors & Mapping

STAYING ON TRACK

Undergraduate Degrees

CoreFSU

Major Requirements

Electives



Bachelor's Degree = 120+ credit hours

CoreFSU



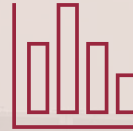
Communicate

Construct logical & well-reasoned arguments presented verbally or in writing.



Reason

Systematically breakdown & solve complex problems.



Analyze

Form & analyze important questions.



Engage

Explore ideas & theories. Engage with different perspectives & the world around you.

Majors at FSU



Academic Program Guide

- Info on every major!
- Program description, major admission & requirements
- Career paths
- List of minors offered

Meet Mapping Milestones for Major

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ACADEMIC PROGRAM GUIDE

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MAJOR COMPARISONS

MINORS

CERTIFICATES AND SPECIALIZED STUDIES

BACHELORS/MASTERS PROGRAMS

LIBERAL STUDIES

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African American Studies
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CGS2518 Spreadsheets for Business		3	
FSU Core Course		3	
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Sample Schedule: Term 5		hrs	Required Milestones: Term 5
ACG3101 Financial Accounting and Reporting I		3	Complete ACG3101 with a C or better
QMB3200 Quantitative Methods for Business Decisions		3	Complete ACG3341 with a C minus or better
ACG3341 Cost Accounting		3	Complete QMB3200 with a C minus or better
Business Core course		3	Complete CGS2518 with a C minus or better
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			Complete GEB1030 (required only for those students who first enroll at FSU Fall 2019 or later)
			Civic Literacy requirement
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ACG3111 Financial Accounting and Reporting II		3	Complete ACG3111 with a C minus or better
ACG4401 Accounting Information Systems		3	Complete ACG4401 with a C minus or better
FIN 3244 Financial Markets		3	
Business Core course		3	
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View mapping milestones for every major in the **Academic Program Guide**

Meet

Major

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View major in the

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COURSE REGISTRATION & DROPPING CLASSES



Register Promptly & Before Finals!

Course Registration = Adding classes for next term

Enrollment Appointment = Your time to register

Before Your Enrollment Appointment

- Meet with your advisor
- Resolve holds on your account



Register the day of your Enrollment Appointment

Registration for next term closes after grades post.

Verify Classes During Drop/Add

Drop/Add period is for schedule adjustments

- Begins: A day or two before the semester starts (typically)
- Ends: 4th day of classes at 11:59pm
- Adding classes after 4th day is NOT easy or guaranteed

Mandatory first day attendance policy

- You must be present the first day of each class or you will be dropped by the instructor
- Don't count on first day drops for an unwanted course

Know the Course Drop Options

7th Week Course Drop Deadline (prorated for summer terms)

- No refund unless approved for medical/mental health withdrawal
- Bright Futures students must repay funded portion of class

12th Week Course Drop Deadline (often 11th Week for Engineering)

- Typically requires academic dean's approval
- Limited number of late drops
- Same payment stipulations as above

Any Week of the Semester

- Contact dean's office for crisis or medical/mental health reasons



***Always talk to your advisor before dropping a course.
Scholarships may impact course drop eligibility.***

Be Aware of Excess Hours Surcharge

Applies to credits beyond 120% of required degree hours

Most degrees are 120 hours so threshold = 144 hours

Does NOT Count	DOES Count
Accelerated credit (AP, IB, AICE)	Failed & repeated courses
HS dual enrollment	Dropped courses (after drop/add)
Dual degree or 2 nd major (if completed)	Unnecessary credits earned due to <u>late</u> major changes

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ACADEMIC SUCCESS

FSU's Academic Resources



In Courses

- Faculty Office Hours
- Teaching Assistants (TA)
- Learning Assistants (LA)



ACE@WJB

- Academic Center for Excellence
- Tutoring
- Study Skills
- Workshops
- ace.fsu.edu



Libraries

- Textbooks
- Research Resources
- Late Night Tutoring
- lib.fsu.edu



OAS

- Office of Accessibility Services
- Apply for accommodations
- dsst.fsu.edu/oas

All Tutoring & Writing Support Centers:
tutoring.fsu.edu

Course Textbooks & Materials

Know What is Required

- Listed now in details for every course section & on the FSU Bookstore's website

Buy or Rent Anywhere

- Search FSU Bookstore: bookstore.fsu.edu

Free eTextbooks

- FSU Libraries: lib.fsu.edu/etextbook



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Wrapping Up

ACADEMIC TO DO LIST

Connect with Transfer Student Services

Today



Visit the TSS table in the hallway for giveaways!



IDS 3003: Transfer Connections and Success



Transfer Community Mentors



Transfer Success Coaching



Tau Sigma National Honor Society

Get Ready for Orientation Advising

Today



Resolve any holds blocking registration.

my.fsu.edu



**Consider IDS 3003:
Transfer
Connections &
Success**

0 or 1 credit hour



**Register for
classes after
advising.**

Need help?

Course Registration
Lab w/ computers



**Adjust schedule
after Orientation.**

You may change
your class schedule
until the window
closes.

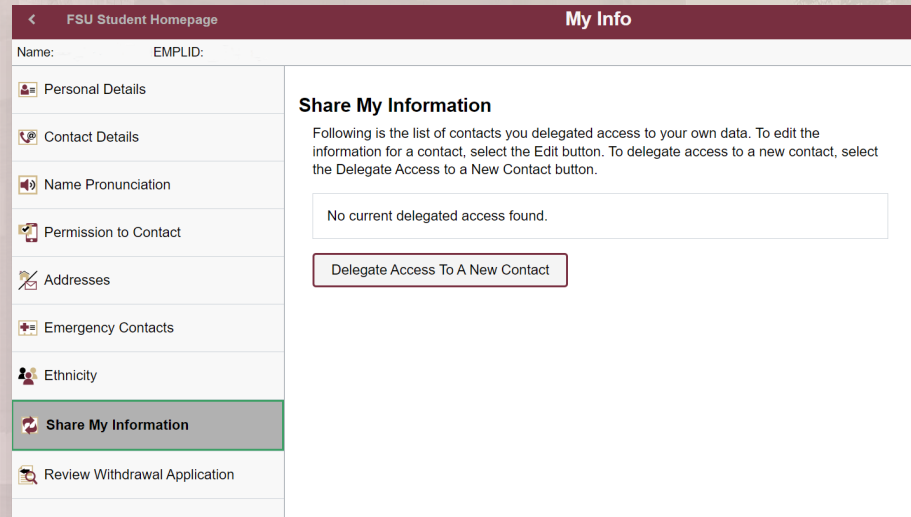
Consider Delegated Access for Family

After Orientation

→ Students cannot share their FSU login!

Share My Information:

- Grants others access to view your class schedule, grades, transcript, financials, etc.
- Prompts family to create their own login & PIN.
- Allows you to grant or withdraw access at any time.



The screenshot shows the 'FSU Student Homepage' with a 'My Info' header. On the left is a sidebar menu with the following items: Personal Details, Contact Details, Name Pronunciation, Permission to Contact, Addresses, Emergency Contacts, Ethnicity, **Share My Information** (highlighted with a green bar), and Review Withdrawal Application. The main content area is titled 'Share My Information' and contains the following text: 'Following is the list of contacts you delegated access to your own data. To edit the information for a contact, select the Edit button. To delegate access to a new contact, select the Delegate Access to a New Contact button.' Below this text is a box stating 'No current delegated access found.' and a button labeled 'Delegate Access To A New Contact'.

Submit Official Transcripts



Transfer Credit

- Transfer credit will be evaluated, then posted to transcript
- Applied to CoreFSU and major requirements if applicable
- Transfer credits post w/ letter grade

Check once the semester starts to ensure credits have been applied

After Orientation



Action Needed!

- Send final official college transcripts for all previous coursework
- Make sure AA degree & Civic Literacy assessment completion are both listed on transcript



Questions?

Presentation slides:



Presentation slides available at undergrad.fsu.edu/academic-information