SUMMER TRANSITION CHECKLIST FOR INCOMING STUDENTS

In order to be prepared to attend Fredonia for the Fall 2018 semester, you must make sure to complete these checklist items. Please be mindful of *important dates* and *deadlines*!



□ SIGN-UP & ATTEND A SUMMER JUMP START DAY

During a Summer Jump Start day, your Fall 2018 schedule will be finalized with a specially trained academic advisor. In addition, you will become familiar with the campus, available services, and learning tools to help you succeed in your academic career at Fredonia. You may register for a Jump Start day in Your Connection under the *Student* tab.

- Thursday, June 28, 2018
- Monday, July 2, 2018
- Monday, July 9, 2018

- Thursday, July 12, 2018
- Monday, July 16, 2018
- Thursday, July 19, 2018

□ COMPLETE YOUR HOUSING APPLICATION

This application allows you to rank your living preferences. Log into **Your Connection** using your Fredonia ID# and PIN. Then, select the **Student** tab and then the **My Housing** link to complete! Questions may be directed to the Office of Residence Life at (716) 673-3341.

□ VIEW YOUR PRELIMINARY COURSE SCHEDULE BEGINNING JUNE 15

The Academic Advising Office creates a preliminary course schedule for each new student. You may view this schedule in Your Connection beginning on June 15. Schedule adjustments may only be made at a Summer Jump Start day.

□ COMPLETE ROOMMATE MATCHING BY JUNE 22

Students will be able to pick roommates either by name or other variables such as major, age, etc. Log into Your Connection and into your My Housing Profile, and complete the Roommate Matching portion from May 1 - June 22. No roommate requests will be honored after June 22 at 4:00 p.m. Students will receive their housing assignments during the first week of August.

□ UNDERSTANDING YOUR FINANCIAL AID

All students who have completed a FAFSA and are accepted to Fredonia will receive a Financial Aid Award Letter. This letter outlines the financial assistance available to you at Fredonia. Please follow the instructions on the Award Letter to accept/decline federal work study and student loans. Questions regarding this process can be directed to the Office of Financial Aid at (716) 673-3253.

□ LOG-IN TO YOUR FREDMail ACCOUNT

It is very important to log into your FREDMail account daily to stay up-to-date on critical information while you are a student at Fredonia. You can find your login credentials in **Your Connection under**

your Personal Information Tab. You will see your *eServices User ID and Password* under the usernames and passwords area.

□ COMPLETE YOUR HEALTH REQUIREMENTS BY AUGUST 1

All students must send in their Immunization Record to the LoGrasso Health Center prior to August 1, 2018. If you have any questions, please visit <u>fredonia.edu/healthcenter/incomingstudents.asp</u>. Students can also bring this information to a Jump Start day.

□ SEND FINAL TRANSCRIPTS, ADVANCED CREDIT & COLLEGE CREDIT COURSEWORK

We must receive official final transcripts showing successful completion of your current studies. You will also want to send any AP, IB, CLEP or college coursework you have completed in High School. Official college transcripts and test scores can be addressed directly to: Office of Admissions, 606 Maytum Hall, State University of New York at Fredonia, Fredonia, NY 14063

□ PAY YOUR eBILL BY AUGUST 15

Fredonia does *not* send out paper billing statements; however, students desiring a paper statement can print their own through the TouchNet eBill system. *Your bill will be available to view around July 24 in Your Connection and can be paid through TouchNet*. You may visit the Student Accounts Office website at <u>fa.fredonia.edu/studentaccounts</u> for more information on how to pay your Fall 2018 eBill.

□ MOVE-IN FOR NEW STUDENTS IS ON AUGUST 23

New students move into their campus residence halls on **Thursday, August 23** between the hours of **9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.** There will be a Welcome Tent near the Williams Center during this time to assist new students and families, as well as a Picnic with the President beginning promptly at 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

□ NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION IS AUGUST 24-26

New Student Orientation is three days of workshops, activities, and events to assist students in preparing to live and learn on campus. There are both optional and mandatory sessions and activities throughout these three days. Program components include:

- Official introduction to the campus community
- Academic Advising sessions
- Navigate the campus spaces (find classrooms, dining halls, etc.)
- Exposure to academic and personal support services
- Build relationship networks
- Participate in campus traditions

Office of New Student & Transition Programs 716-673-4969 orientation@fredonia.edu