Welcome!!!

Your Pre-Major Adviser’s Contact Information:

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As soon as possible, Be sure that you have completed:

• Foreign Language Placement (if you plan to continue study of a language you have studied previously)
• Academic Honesty Tutorial
• The Writing Self-Placement Survey
• See “Blackboard” – learn.rochester.edu

Research Your Course Plans:

• Freshman Academic Handbook
• Attend Question and Answer Sessions /Placement Tests/Open Houses:
  - Music Theory Placement Test –
  - Computer Science Placement Test –
  - Biology, Chemistry, and Physics –
  - Math, Computer Science, Engineering –
  - Humanities and Social Sciences -
  - Modern Languages and Cultures –
  - Pre-Health Professions –
  - Math –
  - Other -
• Attend Academic Open House – Friday morning (check your assigned time)
  - Go with specific questions based on CPPR form
  - Find out about language placement
  - Ask questions of any department
• Talk to upperclassmen

Individual Advising Sessions (Come at your scheduled time)

• Come with at least 5-7 classes that look interesting
  - As a first semester freshman, you can take 4 full-credit courses and then 3 additional credits
• Look at classes based on your interests, your CPPR form, AP and other college credit, pre-requisites
• Try to put them into scheduling worksheet to check for conflicts
• Many classes will also have recitations and/or labs
• Come with specific questions
• Advisor hold will be lifted after individual meeting
Online Registration on Saturday:

- Web registration starts Saturday [http://www.rochester.edu/registrar](http://www.rochester.edu/registrar). Review instructions and enter in basic information prior to Friday. Start at:
  - 9am – 10:30am - Freshmen with date of birth between 1/1 - 3/31.
  - 10:45am – 12:15pm - Freshmen with date of birth between 4/1 - 6/30.
  - 12:30pm – 2pm- Freshmen with date of birth between 7/1 - 9/30.
  - 2:15pm – 3:45p- Freshmen with date of birth between 10/1 - 12/31.
- Any problems or other questions during registration
  - Advising Services in Lattimore 312 or 585-275-2354 will be open until 4pm.
  - Registrar’s Office in Lattimore 127 or 585-275-8131 will be open until 4pm
  - Peer Advisers will be available in Sue B., the Gilbert Community Room, and Lattimore 124
- If courses are closed, continue to check the online system until classes begin. After that, either go to the first class and talk to the professor or contact the professor directly (exception is WRT). You can make online changes to your class schedule until 9/15. It is ok to “class shop.”
- Note that occasionally labs and recitations run out of space during online registration. You can expect academic departments to make necessary adjustments on Monday.
- Classes begin on Wednesday, August 31st

After Registration on Saturday, email to let me know how everything worked out:

Helpful Web Links
- Center for Advising Services [http://www.rochester.edu/College/CCAS/](http://www.rochester.edu/College/CCAS/)
- Course Schedule and Descriptions [https://cdcs.ur.rochester.edu/](https://cdcs.ur.rochester.edu/)
- Cluster Search Engine [http://www.rochester.edu/College/CCAS/clusters/](http://www.rochester.edu/College/CCAS/clusters/)
- Pre-Med and Health Professions [http://www.rochester.edu/college/health/](http://www.rochester.edu/college/health/)
- Writing, Speaking and Argument Program [http://writing.rochester.edu/requirements/SatisfyingPWR.html](http://writing.rochester.edu/requirements/SatisfyingPWR.html)