



Academic Success Center Presents

Academic Boot Camp

How to get a head start



Presentation by The Academic Success Center



Academic Bootcamp



How many credit hours...?

Degree:

Single Course:

Full-Time:



ACADEMIC EXPECTATIONS



Communication

- Check your university email and Moodle DAILY
- Download the Outlook app on your phone



Financials

- Scholarships, Financial Aid (FAFSA, student loans, etc.), TOPS



GPA

- Minimum of 2.0 each semester
- No D's in your major courses



Microsoft Office

- Download Microsoft Office for **FREE**
- servicedesk.louisiana.edu/office365student



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Who Can Help Me?



- Academic Advisors
- Services at Lee Hall
 - Advising
 - Change of Major
 - Dropping a Course
 - Academic Counseling
 - Tutoring



Who Can Help Me?

Peer Advisors

Undergraduate Students supporting freshmen and sophomore students through their own college experiences.

- Chat about class choice
- Navigate academic policies and procedures
- Give tips and tricks they've learned over the years



Kaori



Samantha



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ULink

Personal Information

Student Profile, Contact info, Financial Info, Class Schedule, Unofficial Transcript, Parking & Transit, etc.

Registration

Create a plan and schedule classes for your upcoming semester

Degree Works

See where your completed and in-progress courses fit into your degree plan, calculate GPA, and plan ahead



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Registering for Classes



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Courses Needed for your Degree



General Education



Major-Specific



Minor-Specific



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General Education

English

English Composition
6 Credits

Math

Mathematical Sciences(MTHS),
Mathematics (MATH), Statistics
6 Credits

Natural Sciences

Biology, Environmental Science,
Chemistry, Physics, Geology
9 Credits

Behavioral Sciences

Political Science, Psychology, Sociology,
Anthropology, Geography, Economics
6 Credits

Humanities

History, Literature, Communication
9 Credits

Arts

Music, Theatre, Visual Arts
3 Credits



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2025-2026 Undergraduate and Graduate Catalog



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2025-2026 Academic Catalog

Effective Fall Semester 2025

Lafayette, Louisiana

University of Louisiana at Lafayette is a member of the University of Louisiana System.

The 2025-2026 Academic Catalog is published annually and designed to provide an overview of general information about the University of Louisiana at Lafayette and a detailed explanation of the University's degree programs, curricular requirements, and Academic Affairs rules and regulations. Additional information about student life—organizations, social and personal support services, and policies may be found in the Student Handbook, published by the [Office of Student Affairs](#).

The course offerings and requirements of the University are continually under examination and revision, therefore the institution reserves the right to make changes as required in course offerings, curricula, academic policies, and other rules and regulations. These changes will govern current and formerly enrolled students. Enrollment of all students is subject to these conditions. The University reserves the



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Degree Plan Example

Petroleum Engineering, BSPE



← Return to: [Programs of Study](#)

Degree Awarded:	Total Credit Hours:
Bachelor of Science in Petroleum Engineering	129
Career Opportunities:	
Petro-chemical industry, Oil and gas companies, research facilities, private engineering and consulting firms	
Note(s):	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A grade of "C" or better is required in all major department (PETE) and engineering courses that are used toward the degree.• A minimum of 2.0 cumulative average (major GPA) is required on all hours attempted in the major department (PETE) and engineering courses that apply toward the degree.• Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites before enrolling in a course.	

Freshman Year, First Semester (17 credit hours)

- UNIV 100 – First Year Seminar Credit Hours: 3
- CHEM 107 – General Chemistry I Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 101 – Introduction to Academic Writing Credit Hours: 3
- GEOL 105 – Geology and Man Credit Hours: 3
 - and* GEOL 107 – Geology and Man Laboratory Credit Hours: 1
 - or* GEOL 111 – Physical Geology Credit Hours: 4
- MATH 270 – Calculus I Credit Hours: 4

Freshman Year, Second Semester (17 credit hours)



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How do I know
what I can take
this semester?

BIOL 110 - Fundamentals of Biology I



BIOL 110 - Fundamentals of Biology I

Credit Hours: 3

*Lecture Contact Hours: 3 Lab Contact
Hours: 0*

General Education Core Curriculum:

Natural Sciences, Biological Sciences

Organic molecules, cell structure and function, Mendelian genetics, general physiology and reproduction.

Prerequisite(s): Minimum ACT English score of 23 or better or **ENGL 101** with a grade of "C" or better, and eligibility for **MATH 105**

LCCN: CBIO 1033

Restriction(s): Students will be allowed to enroll in this course only three times.

Course Notes: Only one course of BIOL 110, **BIOL 121**, or **BIOL 206** can be used towards a degree.



Degree Works



Worksheets

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Use these icons to print or save an audit, email your advisor, or access the GPA calculator tool and Course History.



Student ID

[Redacted]



Select Student

[Redacted] Morgan E



Degree

Bachelor of Science

Advanced search

Level Undergraduate

Classification Freshman

Major Biology

Degree/Program BS_BIOL Biology

Concentration Ecology, Evolution & Marine Biol

College Sciences

Academic

What-If

Financial Aid

Athletic Eligibility

View historic audit



GPA Calculator

Graduation Calculator

Term Calculator

Advice Calculator

Current GPA *
4.000

Credits remaining *
82

Credits required *
120

Desired GPA *

Calculate

Degree progress

21%

Requirements

Overall GPA



In-progress courses



Preregistered courses

Process

Click the Process button to process a new audit for the student.



Biology, Ecology, Evolution & Marine

INCOMPLETE

Credits applied: 3 Catalog year: 2018-2019 GPA: [REDACTED]

Unmet conditions for this set of requirements:

Students must complete one Biology with an emphasis on writing. Eligible courses are BIOL 307, 337, 360, 370, 399, 407, 409, 412, 424, 433, 435, 441, 443, 445, 485, 495, 499.

	Course	Title	Grade	Credits	Term
<input type="radio"/>	BIOLOGY				
<input type="radio"/>	Fundamentals of Biology I Lab	Still needed:		1 Credit in BIOL 112	
<input type="radio"/>	Fundamentals of Biology II Lab	Still needed:		1 Credit in BIOL 113	
<input type="radio"/>	Genetics and Evolution	Still needed:		3 Credits in BIOL 233	
<input type="radio"/>		Still needed:		3 Credits in BIOL 261	

College of Sciences General Education

INCOMPLETE

Credits required: 42 Credits applied: 18 Catalog year: 2018-2019 GPA: [REDACTED]

Unmet conditions for this set of requirements:

42 credits are required. You currently have 18, you still need 24 more credits.

28 ACT in English earns automatic credit for ENGL 101 and placement in ENGL 115

	Course	Title	Grade	Credits	Term	
✔	ENGLISH COMPOSITION					
✔	Introduction to Academic Writing	ENGL 101	Intro to Academic Writing	A	3	Fall 2016
✔	Writing and Research About Culture	ENGL 102	Writing&Research about Culture	B	3	Spring 2017
○	MATHEMATICS					
○	Pre-Calculus Algebra and Trigonometry	Still needed:	3 Credits in MATH 143			
○	Survey of Calculus	Still needed:	3 Credits in MATH 250			
○	BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES					
✔	Behavioral Science Elective	POLS 110	American National Government	D	3	Fall 2016
○	Behavioral Science Elective	Still needed:	3 Credits in ANTH 200:499 or ECON 200:499 or GEOG 200:499 or POLS 200:499 or PSYC 200:499 or SOCI 200:499 or CJUS 200:499			

1 Credit in [BIOL 452](#)

3 to 4 Credits in [BIOL 319](#) or [321](#) or [351](#) or [405](#) or [413](#) or [414](#) or [436](#) or [445](#)

3 to 4 Credits in [BIOL 308](#) or [333](#) or [433](#) or [451](#) or [461](#) or [485](#)

6 to 8 Credits in [BIOL 307](#) or [309](#) or [360](#) or [407](#) or [412](#) or [440](#) or [441](#) or [446:450](#) or [456](#) or [459](#) or [461](#) or [471](#)



Minor in Art History

INCOMPLETE



Credits required: 18 Credits applied: 3 Catalog year: 2018-2019 GPA: [REDACTED]

Unmet conditions for this set of requirements: 18 credits are required. You currently have 3, you still need 15 more credits.
Minimum Credits unsatisfied
A minimum of 6 credits must be taken at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette.

	Course	Title	Grade	Credits	Term	
<input type="radio"/>	Survey of Visual Arts I	Still needed:	3 Credits in VIAR 121			
<input type="radio"/>	Survey of the Arts II	Still needed:	3 Credits in VIAR 122			
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Introduction to Modern Art	VIAR 220	Introduction to Modern Art	B	3	Spring 2019
<input type="radio"/>	Studies in Art History	Still needed:	3 Credits in VIAR 321			
<input type="radio"/>	Art Since 1945	Still needed:	3 Credits in VIAR 323			
<input type="radio"/>	Studies in Art History	Still needed:	3 Credits in VIAR 422			

Fall Through

Credits applied: 13 Courses applied: 5



Course	Title	Grade	Credits	Term
BIOL 221	Survey Of Human Anat&Phys Lab	B	1	Spring 2019
CHEM 123	Survey Gen Org Biol Chem	B	3	Spring 2019
NURS 104	Issues & Trends Nurs & Health	B	3	Fall 2018
NURS 204	Teamwork, Coll, Pt Cent Care	B	3	Spring 2019
PSYC 311	Child Psychology	A	3	Fall 2019



Course Selection

It is important to enroll in classes that are required in your declared major/concentration and/or minor to ensure timely progression toward degree completion and to receive federal financial aid

HOW?

- Use Catalog and Degree Works
- Meet with Advisor every semester



WHY?

- Avoid additional financial cost/financial aid reduction
- Complete degree in timely manner



Advising • [Advisee Search](#) • Student Profile

Student Profile - Ragin Cajun (C000000000)

Term: Fall 2021 ▾

Standing: Good Standi...

Overall Hours: 125

Overall GPA: 3.00

Registration Notices: 4

Holds: 0



Ragin Cajun

Curriculum and Courses

Prior Education and Testing

Additional Links

Unofficial Transcript

Degree Works

Browse Schedule of Classes

Graduation Application

Concise Student Schedule

Bio Information

Email:

Phone:

Not Provided

Gender:

Female

Date of Birth:

11/04

Emergency Contact:

Emergency Phone:

General Information

Level:

Undergraduate

Class:

Senior

Status:

Inactive

Student Type:

Continuing

Residency:

In State Resident

Graduation Information

Graduation

None

Applications:

Awarded Degree:

Bachelor of General Studies

Term:

Fall 2011

Date:

12/17/2011

Advisors

Advisors are not assigned for the selected term.

CURRICULUM, HOURS & GPA

Primary

Secondary

Hours & GPA

Degree:

Bachelor of General Studies

Level:

Undergraduate

College:

General Studies_

Major:

Gen Studies, Behavioral Sci

Department:

College of General Studies_

Concentration:

Not Provided

Minor:

Not Provided

Catalog Term:

Fall 2007

REGISTERED COURSES

Not Registered

Total Hours | Registered Hours: 0 | Billing Hours: 0 | CEU Hours: 0 | Min Hours: Not available | Max Hours: Not available

Student Profile



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Count All of Your Credit!

Have you earned credit through...

- AP Credit?
- Dual-Enrollment?
- ACT?
- SAT?
- Placement Exams?






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A Quick Moment to Prepare for Advising

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My Academics

- Access Registration Dashboard
- Final Exam Schedule
- View Unofficial Transcript
- View Grade Report
- View Student Profile**
- Meet with Your Advisor

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Student Profile - Ragin Cajun (C000000000)

Registration Notices: 4 | Holds: 0

Curriculum and Courses

- Prior Education and Testing
- Additional Links**

Ragin Cajun

Bio Information

Email:	Not Provided
Phone:	
Gender:	Female
Date of Birth:	11/04
Emergency Contact:	
Emergency Phone:	

General Information

Level:	Undergraduate
Class:	Senior
Status:	Inactive
Student Type:	Continuing
Residency:	In State Resident
First Term Attended:	Fall 2007
Last Term Attended:	Fall 2011

Graduation Information

Graduation Applications:	None
Awarded Degree:	Bachelor of General Studies
Term:	Fall 2011
Date:	12/17/2011

Advisors



Pre-Advising Worksheet



KNOW YOUR ACADEMICS

1. Enter Your Information

First (preferred) and Last Name

C00 _____
ULID

What is your major?

2. ACT, SAT and/or Accuplacer Scores

Test:	Highest Score:
English Accuplacer	
Math Accuplacer	
English ACT/ SAT	
Math ACT/SAT	
ALEKS PPL	
Final Overall HS GPA	

3. Need to request your test scores, dual enrollment transcript, AP and/or CLEP scores?

College Board



ACT



Dual Enrollment
Transcript



4. Earned College Credit

College/University Name	Hours Earned
1	
2	
3	
4	

CLEP/Advanced Placement*
1
2
3
4

*Advanced Placement scores are released in July

- Need ACT scores?
act.org
- Need SAT/CLEP/AP scores?
collegeboard.org
- Need transcript (dual enrollment)?
contact university registrar
(where classes were completed,
not necessary for UL dual enrollment)



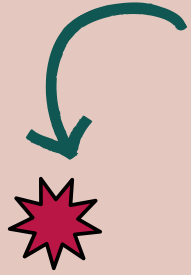
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OFFICE OF FIRST-YEAR EXPERIENCE



Fall Orientation 2025



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**Office of First-Year
Experience**



WHAT IS OFYE?

The Office of First-Year Experience (OFYE) is here to support first-year students and their families. We have an array of events and programs designed to make the most of your first year of college!

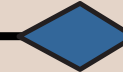


**NEW STUDENT
CONVOCATION**

UNIV 100

**LIVING LEARNING
COMMUNITIES**

**FIRST-YEAR
PROGRAMS**





NEW STUDENT CONVOCATION

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA AT LAFAYETTE®

WHERE YOUR COLLEGIATE JOURNEY BEGINS!

New Student Convocation is
required for all first-year students

FRIDAY, AUGUST 22, 2025

9:30 AM @ CAJUNDOME





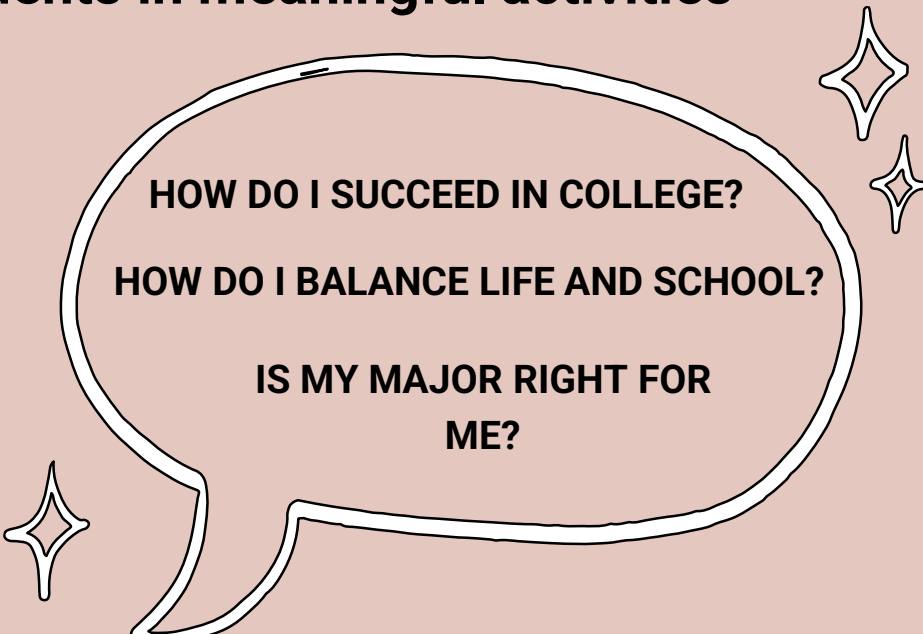
WHAT IS UNIV 100?

UNIV 100 is a **required** 3 credit hour course designed to help UL Lafayette first-year students transition from high school to university life and academic work



FIRST-YEAR SEMINAR

First-year Seminar is a problem or project-based part of the 15-week UNIV 100 course that engages students in meaningful activities



HOW DO I SUCCEED IN COLLEGE?
HOW DO I BALANCE LIFE AND SCHOOL?
IS MY MAJOR RIGHT FOR ME?

UNIV 100

SHOWCASE



**CREATIVE
ARTS**



**CREATIVE
WRITTEN
WORK**



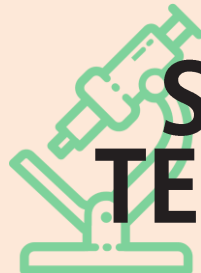
**LEADERSHIP
SERVICE**



**RESEARCH
PAPERS**



**HUMANITIES
SOCIAL SCIENCE**



**SCIENCE
TECHNICAL**



**BEST IN
SHOW**




**DUPRE
LIBRARY**

LIVING LEARNING COMMUNITIES (LLC)



- Residential communities for first year students with special emphasis on an academic major or area of interest
- Members live together in a residence hall and attend special events, created to help them explore their field of study or shared interest



LEARN WHERE YOU LIVE!

ENGINEERING

**SERVICE &
LEADERSHIP**

**LIFETIME
RECREATION**

**BUSINESS
SECRETS**

**HEALTHCARE
INNOVATORS**

KINECTED

**TRAVEL,
LANGUAGE,
& CULTURE**

**GATEWAY TO
THE ARTS**

HONORS

BENEFITS

- Gain a network of friends through common goals
- Participate in social activities related to your major and interests
- Enhance your academic performance while learning something new
- Become more independent
- Increase interpersonal skills
- Experience personal growth





REQUIREMENTS



HONORS

MUST BE IN THE
HONORS
PROGRAM AND
HAVE AN **ACT**
SCORE OF 24+



HEALTHCARE INNOVATORS

MUST BE A NURSING, BIOLOGY, OR HIM
MAJOR OR HAVE AN INTEREST IN
HEALTHCARE. NURS AND BIOL HAVE AN
ACT MATH 21+ & ACT ENGLISH 23+



ENGINEERING

MUST BE AN
ENGINEERING
MAJOR
AND HAVE
AN **ACT 24+**

HOW TO APPLY FOR AN LLC

①

APPLY FOR HOUSING THROUGH
ULINK

②

ON THE LIVING LEARNING
QUESTION, CHOOSE DESIRED LLC

③

THOSE THAT HAVE **ALREADY
APPLIED** FOR HOUSING MUST
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FIRST-YEAR PROGRAMS



CAJUN CRAZE

Two weeks of activities to kick off the Fall semester

THE BIG EVENT

UL's largest day of service with service sites spread across Acadiana community

FRESHMAN FINALE

An end-of-the-year celebration for first-year students

PLUS MORE!

FACTS AND FIGURES

since 2013



16,012

pounds of litter removed

28,280

volunteers

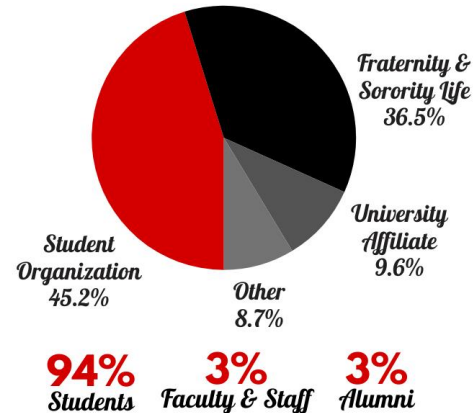
12

years serving South Louisiana



THE BIG EVENT 2024

VOLUNTEER BREAKDOWN



IMPACT



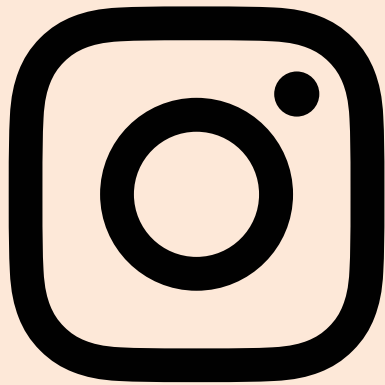


AUGUST 16th-30th

CALUM
Craze! 
TWO WEEKS OF FREE FUN!



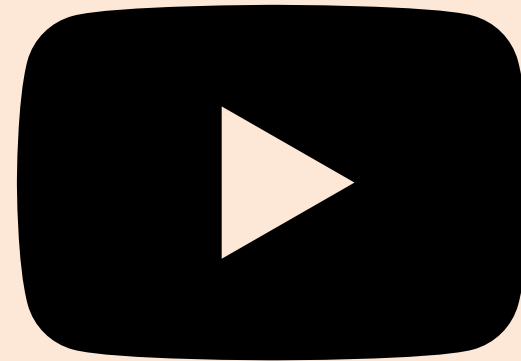
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Important Dates and Contacts

August 25: First day of classes

August 25: Students dropped from classes for nonpayment of tuition and fees

September 22: Last day to drop a A-term class with a grade of “W”

October 27- November 7: Advising for Spring 2026 courses

November 17: Last day to drop a full or B-term class with a grade of “W”

December 5: Last day of classes



Contacts:

University Housing:

Buchanan Hall, 2nd Floor Suite
Phone: (337) 482-6471
oncampusliving@louisiana.edu

Student Cashier Center (Bursar)

Student Union, Room 135
Phone: (337) 482-6385
bursar@louisiana.edu

Financial Aid:

Virtual Appointments
available on their website
(337) 482-6506
finaid@louisiana.edu

Scholarship:

Martin Hall, Room 260
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scholars@louisiana.edu