2017 ACADEMIC GUIDE TO SUMMER WELCOME
YOUR GUIDE TO GETTING STARTED AT MIZZOU
LOOKING AHEAD

Thank you for returning the materials sent to you earlier this spring. Based on the information you provided, Mizzou academic advisers have been able to initiate your 2017 fall semester registration. Mizzou advisers, admissions staff and New Student Programs staff are now ready to help you start your academic career at Mizzou. So sit back with this booklet, and start planning your trip to campus!

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CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE TO:
• learn about Summer Welcome leaders;
• find travel information;
• get answers to frequently asked questions;
• register for Summer Welcome (if you haven’t already).

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WELCOME TO MIZZOU

This publication is designed to prepare you for your Summer Welcome visit. Bring this guide and all other correspondence from Mizzou with you to Summer Welcome. Please share this publication with your parent(s) or other family members so they can be informed, too.

Mizzou offers 25 Summer Welcome sessions this year from June 7 through June 30. Reservations are required for all Summer Welcome sessions. We encourage you to make your reservations well in advance — more than 12,000 students and parents attend Summer Welcome, and the number of participants per session is limited. Most students have already received a letter confirming their Summer Welcome reservation. If you have not received your confirmation, or if you have other questions about Summer Welcome, please call 573-884-9868.

YOUR EMAIL ACCOUNT
Your username is the ID you will use to access most Mizzou technology accounts and resources, and it is the first part of your email address.

Your student email account is where you will receive official university communications. If you have not already activated your MU email account, follow the instructions at webmail.missouri.edu. For more information, visit doit.missouri.edu/new.

If you have questions about your email account, visit help.missouri.edu. If you continue to have problems, call IT Tech Support at 573-882-5000.

WELCOME TO MYZOU
The Web-based application, myZou, allows students, faculty, staff and administrators to handle student services including admissions, class scheduling, billing and financial aid online. Included in this publication is a pullout, titled “Managing myZou,” that gives you helpful hints and instructions for using myZou and its many services.

FALL 2017 SEMESTER SCHEDULE OF COURSES
Classes to be offered for the semester, final exam schedules and campus building abbreviations can be found online at registrar.missouri.edu. Your partial schedule will be available on or after June 1, 2017. Log on to myZou.missouri.edu to see your partial schedule.

SUMMER WELCOME FOLDER
Given to you when you check in at Summer Welcome, this folder contains the materials necessary for a successful Summer Welcome experience.

To view your partial schedule:
myZou.missouri.edu
To access your student email account:
webmail.missouri.edu
For technology help:
help.missouri.edu or (573) 882-5000
For information about math placement:
mathplacement.missouri.edu
Registration is the process through which you select your classes for the coming semester. One of your most important tasks during Summer Welcome will be to complete the course schedule already begun for you. This process will be the main focus of your session with an academic adviser.

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

General education courses are the foundation of knowledge upon which all Mizzou degrees are built. As a Mizzou graduate, you must be able to understand complex problems that go beyond your academic field and accept the responsibilities given to you as a well-educated leader of society. Through your studies, you will acquire:

- Skills, knowledge and attitudes expected of informed and responsible citizens;
- Proficiency in writing, speaking, mathematics, computer use and information management;
- Increased understanding of the nature of knowledge and the ways of thinking in the social and behavioral sciences, in the physical and biological sciences, and in the humanities and fine arts.

All Mizzou students must complete the general education requirements. With careful planning, some courses might meet university general education requirements and one or more of the divisional, degree and major requirements.

University general education requirements for all degrees include the following:

- College Algebra (see Page 5 for information)
- English Exposition and Argumentation: English 1000 or 1000H or transferable equivalent (3 credits). This course in expository prose, which stresses writing as a process involving critical reading and thinking skills, should be taken during your freshman year.
- Writing Intensive course(s) (6 credits)
- American History or Government (3 credits)
- Math Reasoning Proficiency (MRP) course (3 credits). College Algebra is a prerequisite for MRP courses.
- Distribution of Content (27 credits) providing a breadth and depth of knowledge in four broad areas of study: social sciences, behavioral sciences, humanities and natural sciences. Course work must include at least one course numbered 2000 or higher in two of the areas of distribution.

Many departments, degrees and majors have more specific requirements for foundation course work in addition to the university’s general education requirement. However, the opposite is not true. Departments or academic units may not have fewer general education requirements than described by the university’s general education requirements.

Careful planning will allow students to meet university general education requirements and prepare for many of the more specific foundation courses required in their fields of study.

For university policies:
registrar.missouri.edu

To view your partial schedule and search for classes:
myZou.missouri.edu
YOUR SUMMER WELCOME RESPONSIBILITIES

• Discuss your accomplishments and goals with your family before Summer Welcome begins.

• Bring copies of grade reports, transcripts for any college course work completed and evidence of any college credit received by examination. (*Note: You must also send an official transcript for college credit and copies of Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate and CLEP test results to the Admissions Office, 230 Jesse Hall, Columbia, MO 65211.*)

• Complete and bring the course schedule planning worksheet on Page 7. For your personalized partial schedule, visit myZou.missouri.edu after June 1. In addition, you might wish to view the Mizzou Undergraduate Catalog and Schedule of Courses, both available online at myZou.missouri.edu.

• It is wise to select alternative courses (not different times of the same course) that you might wish to take.

• Write down and bring any questions you have.

• Think about courses you might wish to take, but also be open to suggestions from the adviser about the courses and the number of credit hours appropriate for your first semester at Mizzou.

• Memorize your student number, username and permanent password. Your username was in your admissions letter.

• Bring your laptop computer and mobile devices from home to have them set up on Day two. Not sure what computer or software is best for your major? Visit Tiger Tech and use Let Your Major Be Your Guide to select MU-ready technology that will meet your needs.

• Bring a current U.S. government-issued photo ID to get your Mizzou TigerCard (ID card). Valid forms of identification include a current driver’s license, state issued ID or passport. (We do not accept a high school picture ID.)

• Go to mathplacement.missouri.edu to find out if the Math Placement Assessment is required for you.

YOUR ADVISER’S RESPONSIBILITIES

• Be familiar with university course offerings, academic requirements, procedures, facilities and services.

• Help plan a fall 2017 course of study suitable for you based on test scores, high school class rank (for freshmen), previously completed college course work, honors eligibility, academic requirements, availability and selection of courses, as well as your interests and career aspirations.

• The adviser who helps you plan your schedule during Summer Welcome might be a different person from the assigned adviser you will see after the school year begins. Your assigned adviser can help you with educational decisions and career planning. As questions arise, visit with your adviser.

Mizzou advisers are a valuable resource as you select courses. Consider a major and make the most of your undergraduate education.
EARLY REGISTRATION AND COURSE PLACEMENT

Depending on the information you provided to academic advisers through the New Student Registration and Orientation Guide (NSRO) mailed to you earlier this spring, you might already be registered in several courses for fall 2017. At Summer Welcome, you will have an opportunity to review these courses with an academic adviser.

You can view your preliminary schedule (and your housing assignment, if applicable) online at myZou.missouri.edu after June 1. If you have difficulties signing on, try resetting your password. Visit myZou.missouri.edu, click “Forgot Your Password?” and follow the on-screen prompts.

Advisers might have placed you in an English or math course, a course central to your major, a foreign language course, a general education course(s), or an orientation or introductory course specific to your school or college. Advisers use college credit you might have earned while in high school, your preferences in the general subject areas, your high school academic record and other factors to develop an appropriate preliminary partial schedule for you.

If you think your placement in these courses is inappropriate, you can change your course schedule during Summer Welcome.

We encourage students to satisfy basic English and math requirements during their freshman year. The following sections address course options and requirements for both.

ENGLISH

Written communication is fundamental to student success, and we encourage all first-year students to take English 1000: Exposition and Argumentation, which serves as a prerequisite for all Writing Intensive courses.

Advisers consider students’ backgrounds when placing them in one of the following versions of English 1000.

English 1000
This course stresses writing as a process and gives due attention to critical reading and thinking skills applicable to all college classes, as well as to invention, drafting, revising, peer editing and rewriting. Some sections will meet three times per week with the instructor; other sections might meet only once per week and place greater emphasis on workshop groups of six to 10 students working together outside of class.

English 1000H (Honors English 1000)
Same format as English 1000, but designed for honors students.

FIGS AND YOUR SCHEDULE
You might have chosen to participate in a Freshman Interest Group (FIG) and, therefore, are enrolled in courses associated with that FIG. If you indicated that you anticipate having college credit for one of the courses in the FIG, you will not see the course on your current schedule. You will be notified if we were not able to keep you in the FIG you selected due to previous college credit. You may also check myZou.missouri.edu for your schedule, financial aid and billing address information.

Keep in mind that if you are in a FIG, you must be enrolled in two of the three courses in that FIG plus Interdisciplinary Studies 1001: FIGs Proseminar. If you drop two FIG courses or the proseminar, you will lose your FIG and housing assignment and need to find another.
Fluency in mathematics is a critical part of your college education. As part of the MU General Education Requirements, all Mizzou students must have credit for (or exemption from) College Algebra before graduating.

THE MATH PLACEMENT ASSESSMENT

MU uses a math placement assessment to place students in an appropriate math course for their skill level. The math placement assessment is an online tool that identifies the strengths and weaknesses of a student’s current mathematical knowledge. The math placement assessment is administered online and covers a variety of precalculus topics. It may be taken multiple times for free, and an online study/review package is available after you complete your first assessment. To take the math placement assessment, or to learn more, visit mathplacement.missouri.edu.

Most students will be required to take the math placement assessment in order to qualify for a math course. However, some students with prior math credit might not need to take the assessment. To find out if the math placement assessment is required for you, visit mathplacement.missouri.edu.

Students might be placed into one of the following courses based on their assessment scores:

- Math 0110 — Intermediate Algebra
- Math 1100 — College Algebra
- Math 1140 — Trigonometry
- Math 1160 — Precalculus
- Math 1400 — Calculus for Social and Life Sciences I
- Math 1500 — Calculus I

Students may place into higher-level math courses through AP or IB credit, and engineering students may request a placement test from the College of Engineering if further placement verification is needed.

IMPORTANT: The Department of Mathematics will verify if you have met the required prerequisites for any math course in which you are enrolled, and you might be dropped from your math course if you do not satisfy those requirements. Your adviser might have enrolled you in a math course based on other factors, but you might still be required to take the math placement assessment or to provide a transcript which demonstrates transfer credit. Students who have not provided documentation satisfying the course prerequisites will be dropped from their math course.

For more information about math prerequisites and math course placement, visit mathplacement.missouri.edu.

COLLEGE ALGEBRA REQUIREMENT

To satisfy the College Algebra general education requirement at Mizzou, students must do ONE of the following:

- Complete Math 1100 or Math 1160 with a C- grade or higher (or transferable equivalent).
- Complete a calculus course at MU (Math 1400, 1500, 1700 or 2300) with a C- grade or higher, which provides back-credit for Math 1100 (or 1160).
- Pass the proctored math placement exam with a sufficient score, thereby demonstrating proficiency in College Algebra (see below).

NOTE: Students may be exempt from the College Algebra requirement based on their ACT or SAT math subscore. Exempt students are eligible to take any course with College Algebra as a prerequisite outside the math department. Students who plan to take a math course above College Algebra will still need to earn a minimum math placement assessment score for their mathematics course placement. Visit mathplacement.missouri.edu for more information.

INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA (MATH 0110)

If you do not earn the minimum math assessment score to place into College Algebra, you will be placed into Intermediate Algebra. Math 0110 is a preparatory course and does not carry credit towards graduation. Math 0110 provides the foundational algebra and problem-solving skills needed to be successful in College Algebra.

COLLEGE ALGEBRA (MATH 1100)

College Algebra stresses general algebraic skills with a focus on functions and their graphs. Students will solve equations and inequalities and examine appropriate applications. College Algebra prepares students to take Mathematics Reasoning Proficiency (MRP) courses in mathematics, statistics and other departments across campus. Successful completion of College Algebra and of an MRP course are requirements for every undergraduate MU degree.

Both Intermediate and College Algebra are taught in small sections where students will have individual attention from their instructor. Access to a variety of online tools and free tutoring is also available to help support student success.

PROCTORED MATH ASSESSMENT

Some students might choose to take a proctored version of the math placement assessment in order to receive course credit for College Algebra. If your intended major does not require a math course beyond College Algebra, or if you plan to take Math 1300 (Finite Mathematics), you might wish to take the proctored assessment, which can be scheduled through the MU Office of Testing Services at testing.missouri.edu. To learn more about the proctored assessment, visit mathplacement.missouri.edu.
SAMPLE COURSE SCHEDULES FOR FRESHMEN

These sample course schedules should give you a general idea of the types of courses in which you might be enrolled. The specific courses and total number of hours for which you register will depend on your academic background, honors eligibility, course availability and registration guidelines for first-semester students.

UNDECIDED
Math or English.............. 3–5
American History or Government.............. 3
Humanities or Fine Arts.............. 3
Science or Social Science or Behavioral Science.............. 3–5
Total hours..................12–16

NOTE: The “undecided” schedule is designed to reflect the courses a student might take if he or she is undecided about an academic major. The division you are in will help you select courses that can apply to a variety of degree programs.

AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND NATURAL RESOURCES
Math or English.............. 3
Science.........................3–5
Social Science.............. 3
Courses specific to your major.............. 3–6
Total hours..................12–17

NATURAL RESOURCES
Ecology and Renewable Resource Management.............. 3
Math or English.............. 3
Biological or Physical Science.............. 3–5
Humanities or Social Science.............. 3
Total hours..................12–14

ARTS AND SCIENCE

BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA) DEGREE
Math or English.............. 3
Foreign Language or Science.............. 3–5
American History, Government or Social Science.............. 3–5
Humanities or Behavioral Science.............. 3–5
Total hours..................12–18

PRE-LAW*
Math or English.............. 3
Foreign Language.............. 3–5
American History or Government.............. 3
Humanities, Social or Behavioral Science.............. 3–5
Total hours..................12–16

PRE-JOURNALISM
Career Explorations in Journalism.............. 1
English.............. 3
Foreign Language.............. 3–5
Humanities.............. 3
Science, American History or Government.............. 3–5
Total hours..................12–16

PRE-MEDICINE*
Math or English.............. 3
Chemistry or Biology.............. 4–5
Behavioral Science.............. 3
Social Science or Humanities.............. 3
Total hours..................13–14

BUSINESS
Math.............. 3
American Government or American History.............. 3
Science, Behavioral Sciences and Humanities.............. 5–8
Contemporary Business Practices.............. 1
Total hours..................12–15

EDUCATION
Orientation.............. 1
Math or English.............. 3
History or Government.............. 3
Humanities, and/or Biological or Physical Science.............. 6–8
Total hours..................13–15

ENGINEERING
Math.............. 5
Chemistry.............. 3
Computer Programming or Graphics.............. 3
Humanities or Social Science.............. 3–5
Total hours..................14–16

HUMAN ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES
Math or English.............. 3
Social or Behavioral Science.............. 3
Chemistry or Biological Science.............. 3–4
HES course specific to your major.............. 3–6
Intro to HES.............. 1
Total hours..................13–16

JOURNALISM
English.............. 3
Foreign Language.............. 3–5
Humanities.............. 3
Science, American History or Government.............. 3–5
Career Explorations in Journalism.............. 1
Total hours..................13–17

SOCIAL WORK
English.............. 3
Sociology or Psychology.............. 3
History or Political Science.............. 3
Biological Science.............. 3
Communication.............. 3
Total hours..................15
Alternate: Introduction to Social Work

NURSING
Biological Science.............. 3
Chemistry.............. 3
American History or Political Science.............. 3
English.............. 3
Humanities or Fine Arts.............. 3
Total hours..................15
Alternate: Sociology or Psychology

* This is not a major, but a recommended initial course of study for students interested in law or medical school.
AVAILABILITY OF COURSES

The university is committed to preparing a schedule of courses that minimizes scheduling conflicts for classes students frequently take in the same semester. The university also tries to offer an adequate number of course selections to meet anticipated demand, particularly when such courses are prerequisites for other required courses. Nevertheless, we cannot guarantee that every course will be available or have sufficient space to meet the total demand during any given semester. Please keep an open mind about alternate courses your adviser might suggest to ensure you will get a full semester schedule (between 12 and 16 credit hours).

Check with your adviser about any electives you might wish to take. Courses considered to carry elective credit might vary in different schools or colleges.

In addition, the College of Arts and Science and the School of Journalism have a foreign language requirement. Students with certain majors might already have been placed in an appropriate level of a foreign language. Others might wish to add a foreign language after visiting with an academic adviser during Summer Welcome.

Please note: If you have questions about course placement, you will need to discuss them with your academic adviser at Summer Welcome. Personal conversations between students and advisers are essential to student success, and we look forward to helping you complete your schedule during your Summer Welcome visit.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO BEFORE SUMMER WELCOME

- Be sure to review your partial schedule at myZou.missouri.edu after June 1.
- Choose the courses you would consider taking as part of your fall schedule. Write your selections in the space to the right (list at least three courses in each category) after reviewing the sample course schedules for freshmen on Page 6.
- Bring this sheet with you to your advising appointment on Day Two of Summer Welcome.
- For additional information about general education distribution categories and courses in those areas, visit the MU General Education website at generaleducation.missouri.edu.
- Go to mathplacement.missouri.edu to find out if the math placement assessment is required for you.

To search for a course and to view course schedules and descriptions: myZou.missouri.edu

Behavioral and Social Sciences
1. ______________________________________
2. ______________________________________
3. ______________________________________

Humanities
1. ______________________________________
2. ______________________________________
3. ______________________________________

Biological, Physical and Mathematical Sciences
1. ______________________________________
2. ______________________________________
3. ______________________________________

Choose additional courses you might wish to take
1. ______________________________________
2. ______________________________________
3. ______________________________________

BRING THIS PAGE WITH YOU TO SUMMER WELCOME
FEES, PAYMENT INFORMATION AND TELEPHONE NUMBERS

BILLs
The University of Missouri issues a monthly consolidated bill. This bill might be a combination of education fees, residence hall fees, bookstore purchases, etc. Monthly billing statements are prepared on the 20th of each month, or the closest business day if the 20th falls on a weekend, with a due date of the 15th of the following month. You will be notified through email when your bill is ready. New charges will appear on the bill for the month in which they were incurred, and they will appear as a previous balance thereafter.

PAYMENT INFORMATION AND DUE DATES
The required minimum payment must be made by the due date to avoid being subject to sanctions or cancellation. The due date is the 15th of each month. If the 15th falls on a weekend or holiday, payment is due the previous working day. If the minimum amount is not received by the due date, a $10 late fee will be assessed to the student’s account. A monthly billing statement, due Aug. 15, will be produced for students participating in the Summer Welcome program if one or both of the following apply: An academic adviser has arranged a partial class schedule, or you have a payment due for Residential Life charges for the fall semester.

• Fall semester due dates are: Aug. 15, Sept. 15, Oct. 15, and Nov. 15.
• Spring semester due dates are: Jan. 15, Feb. 15, March 15, and April 15.
• Summer session due dates are: May 15, June 15, and July 15.
Students may also pay the total due or any amount greater than the required minimum. Any payment amount less than the total due results in a 1% monthly finance charge on the unpaid billed balance.
The University of Missouri accepts the following methods of payment:
• In-Person: Cash, Checks, or Money Orders
• Online: Credit/Debit Cards & eChecks

Please Note: A 2.75% convenience fee will apply to ALL credit/debit transactions. No fee assessed when paying by eCheck.

ACCESS TO ACADEMIC RECORDS
Personal academic information — including class schedule, GPA, and billing information — is available only to people whom students specify.

Given the terms of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974, Mizzou may release information to your parents only with your written permission.

Please remember this policy is intended to protect your privacy. It might be frustrating that we cannot provide certain information on the phone, but in accordance with the law and your protection, we must verify identification.

Only the following information may be released without written authorization: name, address, phone number, email, student level, major, participation in collegiate sports, dates of attendance, degrees and awards received, enrollment status in past or present semesters, and the most recent educational institution attended.

For more details, visit registrar.missouri.edu and click “Policies,” then scroll down to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act link.

CONTACT INFORMATION
Surface Welcome OFFICE
8 a.m.–5 p.m.
573-884-9868
summerwelcome@missouri.edu
Hudson and Gillett Halls,
Headquarters
8 a.m.–11 p.m., June 7–July 14
573-882-6714

Academic Retention Services
573-882-9208
888-570-1136 (toll free in Missouri)
muarsinfo@missouri.edu

Adaptive Computing
Technology Center
573-884-2828 or
866-396-2380 (toll free)
actcenter@missouri.edu

Admissions Office
573-882-7786
mu4u@missouri.edu

Financial Aid
573-882-7506
mizzousfa@missouri.edu

Cashiers Office
573-882-3097
4cash@missouri.edu

Disability Center
573-882-4696
disabilitycenter@missouri.edu

FiGs Program
573-882-3447
mureslifefigs@missouri.edu

OTHER OFFICES
WHAT HAPPENS NEXT

COMPLETING YOUR MIZZOU ENROLLMENT

By virtue of receiving this mailing, you are already close to completing all of the steps necessary to ensure a successful transition to Mizzou. To allow you and your family to plan for the next few months, please note important dates and information listed below.

NEW STUDENT WEBSITE
If you have any questions about your classes, Summer Welcome or life at Mizzou, check out the website at newstudent.missouri.edu.

COME PREPARED FOR YOUR SUMMER WELCOME VISIT
If you are not registered for Summer Welcome, please call New Student Programs at 573-884-9868 immediately and finalize your reservation. This might be your only opportunity to meet with an adviser before classes begin in August.

Make sure to bring the course schedule planning worksheet included in this booklet (Page 7), your photo ID, and your laptop and mobile devices to Summer Welcome.

EARLY JUNE
Review your partial schedule at myZou.missouri.edu. Make sure you have submitted final, official transcripts to the Office of Admissions.

LATE JUNE
In late June, you will receive your fall 2017 term bill from the Cashiers Office at Mizzou. Your first semester’s term bill will be due on or before Aug. 15, 2017.

ADVISER
Your adviser should be able to provide any last-minute assistance you need with your fall schedule. He or she will help you plan for a full and rewarding future on our campus. For more information about advising, visit advising.missouri.edu.

MOVE-IN DAY
The official fall move-in day is Wednesday, Aug. 17, 2017. Students in FIGs will be invited to move to campus Tuesday, Aug. 16, 2017. Other learning communities might have early arrival dates, too. Members of these communities will be notified this summer if they have early arrival opportunities.

FALL WELCOME
When you arrive in August, Mizzou will sponsor a series of planned programming as part of Fall Welcome. Both campuswide and smaller community events will help students become part of Mizzou. Some of the events offered include: social activities such as outdoor movies and pool parties; the Freshman tradition of whitewashing the Rock “M” in Memorial Stadium; community service opportunities; and Tiger Walk through the Columns. Students will also be able to complete the Citizenship@Mizzou requirement during this week.

FAMILY WEEKEND
Family Weekend will take place Sept. 15–17. Families are strongly encouraged to plan for this exciting weekend with their new students. The schedule includes a Mizzou football game and other social activities. Check back at mizzouparents.missouri.edu for dates and updates.

Greek Life 573-882-8291 umcgreeklife@missouri.edu
Honors College 573-882-3893 umchonorscollege@missouri.edu
IT Tech Support 573-882-5000
Parent Relations 573-882-5539 parents@missouri.edu
Registrar 573-882-7881 umcunivregistrarwr@missouri.edu
Residential Life 573-882-7275 reslife@missouri.edu
Student Health Center 573-882-7481 mizzoustudenthealth@missouri.edu
Student Success Center 573-882-6803 success@missouri.edu
Testing Services 573-882-4801 testingservices@missouri.edu
The Mizzou Store 573-882-7611 themizzoustore@missouri.edu
Veterans Center 573-884-4383 veterans@missouri.edu

You can reach Admissions, Financial Aid and Residential Life at 573-882-7786.
MANAGING myZou

1. Reset Your Password
   - Click Forgot Password on the myZou log-in page.
   - Follow the prompts.
   - Log in to myZou with the new password.

2. Grant E-Consent
   You must grant e-consent in order to view financial, housing, academic and other information online.
   - Select UM E-Consent.
   - Click Accept E-Consent if you agree to conduct all university transactions (i.e. register for classes, view and pay your bill, accept financial aid) online.

3. Register for Emergency Notifications
   - Select Emergency Mass Notification from the left side of the page.
   - Fill out the appropriate fields.
   - Click Done Updating when complete.

4. Update Emergency Contacts
   - Click Emergency Contact at the bottom of the page under Personal Information.
   - Click Add An Emergency Contact.
   - Enter contact’s information.
   - Click Save.

5. Additional Authorized Access
   - Click Additional Authorized Access located at the bottom of the Student Center page under Personal Information.
   - Click Add Member.
   - Enter information.
   - Click Save.

NEED HELP?
Tech Support
573-882-5000 | doit.missouri.edu
Cashiers
573-882-3097 | cashiers.missouri.edu
Financial Aid
573-882-7506 | financialaid.missouri.edu
University Registrar
573-882-7881 | registrar.missouri.edu

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TOOLS & TIPS

GOMIZZOU APP
What is it?
A free mobile app designed to bring Mizzou information to your mobile device

Provides access to:
- MU directory
- myZou
- Interactive Campus Map
- News Feeds
- Events Calendar
- Campus Dining menus
- Course Catalog Information
- STRIPES Information

Where to Download
The GoMizzou app can be downloaded from the App Store for iOS or Google Play Store for Android.

SCHEDULE PLANNER
What is it?
• Helps students consider all variables when making their schedule
• Variables include course preferences, work schedules and other obligations
• Schedule planner will generate all possible schedules depending on your availability

Where to access
• Log in to myZou with your pawprint and password
• Go to the Student Center page
• On the right-hand side, click the Schedule Planner link
• Make sure pop-ups are enabled, and select Click Here to open schedule planner in a new window

MU CONNECT
What is it?
MU Connect is a virtual one-stop shop that allows you to schedule meetings with people (i.e. academic advisers, financial aid advisers, residential life hall coordinators) and on-campus services.

This site is live 24/7, so you don’t have to send multiple emails or wait until offices open to schedule a meeting.

How do you access MU Connect?
• Log in to blackboard.missouri.edu.
• Click on the MU Connect tab in Blackboard to get started.
• Your MU Connect My Success Network lists people and campus services specific to you.
• Click the service or person to schedule a meeting.
• Click the Schedule Appointment link to see available meeting times.

Why Should You Use MU Connect?
Don’t have time to walk to an office to schedule a meeting? No problem. Schedule through MU Connect when it’s convenient for you.

Need to edit or cancel an appointment? No problem. Just click the dropdown arrow next to the appointment on your home page and choose Edit or Cancel. An email notification will automatically be sent to notify the person.

MU Connect makes scheduling appointments and getting the help you need simple and straightforward.

BLACKBOARD and CANVAS
What are they?
Two places for students to log in and see course related materials, announcements, assignments and grades. Mizzou is gradually transitioning from Blackboard to Canvas over the next few years, so there will be courses in both systems during the transition.

To log in, go to courses.missouri.edu and click Blackboard or Canvas depending on where your course is located.

If you have questions or need help, please call the Division of IT help desk at 882-5000, or click the Student Help link at courses.missouri.edu.

DEGREE AUDIT
What is it?
• An automated report reflecting a student’s academic progress toward the completion of a degree
• Using the degree audit tool, a student may request:
  • a degree audit for his or her major;
  • a “what if” report for another major.

Steps to request
• Go to registrar.missouri.edu/degree-audits.
• Scroll down to Requesting an Audit and click DARSweb for Students.
• Log in with your student username and password.
• Select Audits from the menu and follow instructions.
• Choose Request a New Audit to start a degree audit.
• To print a degree audit report, select Close All Sections and then Printer Friendly.

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