

25 TIPS TO SURVIVE YOUR FRESHMAN YEAR IN COLLEGE

1. Go to all orientations offered.
2. Get to know your roommate and others in your residence hall.
3. Get organized.
4. Find the ideal place for you to study.
5. Go to every class.
6. Become an expert on course requirements and due dates.
7. Meet with your professors.
8. Get to know your academic advisor.
9. Seek a balance between social and academic activities.
10. Get involved on campus.
11. Strive for good grades.
12. Take advantage of the study resources on campus.
13. Make time for you
14. Don't feel pressured to make quick decisions about your major or career.
15. Take responsibility for yourself and your actions.
16. Make connections with students in your classes.
17. Find the Career Services and/or Support Services Office.
18. Don't procrastinate; prioritize your life.
19. Stay healthy/Eat right
20. Learn to cope with homesickness.
21. Stay on campus as much as possible.
22. Seek professional help if and when you need it.
23. Keep track of your money.
24. Don't cut corners.
25. Be prepared to feel overwhelmed.