College Success Tips

Tips for Being Successful

- Be sure you bring your NU ID and bus pass to campus.
- Keep organized—use a planner, phone calendar or other method for keeping track of assignments and meetings.
- Get involved! Join 1-2 student organizations first semester. If you join 2 groups, join one that is related to your major and another that’s just something you enjoy.
- GO TO CLASS!
- Stay on top of your assignments. Work ahead as much as possible—don’t wait until the night before an assignment is due.
- At the first sign you don’t understand, seek help. Where?
  - Professor’s office hours
  - Help centers, such as the Math Resource Center
  - First-Year Experience and Transition Programs (success.unl.edu)
- Work with your academic advisor at least once every semester. (First semester you may want to meet with him/her more than once.)

Advisor Relationships

- What is an academic advisor?
  - You will have a person assigned who will provide individualized advising and guidance throughout your college career
- Why should I meet with my advisor?
  - Keeps your education on track
  - Personalize your academic path
  - Align career plans with academic opportunities
- Connect with your advisor
  - NSE Advisor may not be your permanent advisor
  - Meet with your advisor within the first couple weeks of school

Get Connected

- CASNR Student Activities
  - CASNR Launch: August 22nd 11:30am- 2:00pm
  - Welcome Back Club Fair: August 29th 4-7pm
- Nicole’s Insider Connections
- Social Media
  - Facebook: UNL College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources
  - Twitter: @UNL_CASNR @TiffanyHengMoss
  - Instagram: UNL_CASNR

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