New Registration Steps

As a new SUNY Oswego student, note that you **cannot** register yourself into classes. Instead, **you will be pre-registered into classes by a team of advisors** after you have completed the steps below.

So, in order to make sure that you have priority selection of available courses, it’s very important that you complete all the steps in this guide.

This insert contains the most-up-to-date registration information available for new **F-1** incoming international students. Therefore, please disregard the steps on pages 6-7 of the booklet.
**STEP 1** Activate your Email Account and Laker Net ID

1. Visit [oswego.edu/appstatus](oswego.edu/appstatus) and click on “Check your status now!” on the right side of the webpage. Use the same login credentials as you used to apply.

2. Go to the New Student Menu

3. Activate email account and Laker Net ID

Remember to check your Oswego email account at least once per week, it's the University's official form of communication. Please allow up to 12 hours for your Laker Net ID to be activated.

**STEP 2** Complete Academic Requirements

1. Visit [oswego.edu/appstatus](oswego.edu/appstatus) and click on “Check your status now!” on the right side of the webpage. Use the same login credentials as you used to apply.

2. Go to the New Student Menu

3. Click on Academic Requirements

4. Complete the New Student Information Sheet

5. Complete the Math Placement Exam (major dependent*)

Your completed Academic Requirements will be used to create a course schedule for you before you attend an Orientation program.

*You may need to complete the Math Placement Exam before registering for an Orientation program, depending on your major. For more information, please visit the Math Placement website: [oswego.edu/advisement/math-placement-new](oswego.edu/advisement/math-placement-new)

**STEP 3** Health Requirements

New York State Law requires new students to complete the Health History and Immunization Forms and provide information on their menu.

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2. Go to the New Student Menu

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3. Click on Health Requirements
4. Complete the Health History Form, Immunization Form, Meningitis Declination Form*
5. Fax or email your immunization records to Health Services, fax number: (315) 312-5409, email: intlhealth@oswego.edu. More information can be found at oswego.edu/walker-health-center/pre-orientation-health-historyimmunization-form.

You will need to allow 1-2 business days upon receipt of your documents and forms before you see the steps marked as complete in the new student menu. These steps must be marked as complete before the link to Step 3: Sign up for New Student Orientation will become live and accessible to you.

*This form is only required if you do not have proof of receiving the meningitis vaccine within 5 years from your date of enrollment.

*IMPORTANT:
If you are under 18, you must have to have 2 MMR's prior to coming to Oswego, as New York State law does not allow you to receive it upon your arrival. Therefore, please communicate with intlhealth@oswego.edu to ensure the completion of health requirements. Otherwise, you will not be able to attend classes.

**STEP 4** Register for New Student Orientation

1. Visit oswego.edu/appstatus and click on “Check your status now!” on the right side of the webpage. Use the same login credentials as you used to apply.
2. Go to the New Student Menu
3. Click on Orientation
4. Select your Orientation date

After you have reserved your space at an in-person Orientation program, you will receive an email containing information about the program, check-in process, and more.

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**STEP 5  Complete Oswego Online Orientation**

To help prepare you for a successful transition to SUNY Oswego we require you to complete **SUNY Oswego Essentials**. Through this online program you will become familiar with the many resources we have that support students on our campus:

1. Navigate to your New Student Menu by visiting [oswego.edu/appstatus](http://oswego.edu/appstatus) and click on “Check your status now!” on the right side of the webpage. Use the same login credentials as you used to apply.
2. Click on Step 4: Complete Oswego Online Orientation
3. Login to Blackboard using your Laker Net ID and password
4. Under My Courses, click on Oswego Essentials
5. Click on Oswego Online Orientation under the Learning Modules link in the side menu
6. Complete the program in full

**STEP 6  Complete the Housing Application**

You will need to reserve your on-campus housing prior to your arrival to campus. To do so, please:

1. Login to [myHousing.oswego.edu](http://myHousing.oswego.edu) using your Laker Net ID
2. Click “Application” at the top of the page
3. Choose “New Student Housing Application”
4. Follow the prompts to submit your application