



Learn the Ropes

Life at college isn't all fun and games. That's why we have UNIV 100, a course to teach you how to be the best student you can be—while still getting your laundry clean, watching your budget, and, most importantly, managing your time and studies.

UNIV 100



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Honoring Instructors, peer mentors and our first-year students. Learn more about [Showcase](#)

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 Majors and Career Fairs and more...

Welcome Freshmen!

Freshman year is huge; for many of you it will be the first time to spend an extended time away from family and friends, which can be both exhilarating and intimidating.

The Office of First-Year Experience (OFYE) is here to help you begin your journey as a university student! The Cajun culture is famous for its welcoming spirit and we want you to feel right at home at UL Lafayette. We have lots of events planned for you to help introduce you to your new classmates, the campus, and the best our colorful region has to offer.

Don't think that we're here just for the warm and fuzzies, though. Our mission is to connect first-year students and their families to the necessary resources to provide a strong foundation for success. We help students transition to college by offering academic support (UNIV classes), freshmen programs, and freshmen events that provide an enriching collegiate experience.

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Parent Resources

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