2015 First-Year Assessment & Advisement Program
July 15 & 16
First-Year Assessment and Advisement Program
Your first step toward success at Jackson State University begins with the First-Year Assessment and Advisement Program. The two-day event gives newly admitted freshmen an opportunity to complete the required College Basic Academic Subjects Examination with Essay (CBASE) and enroll in fall classes prior to New Student Orientation and Welcome Week Aug. 16-23. You also can speak with advisors and representatives from the areas of Financial Aid, Business and Residential Life regarding registration.

First-Year Experience Program
Designed to ease the transition to university life, the First-Year Experience Program (FYE) has at its core the required University Success course. It focuses on academic planning, critical thinking, technology use and community service. The program also offers engaging co-curricular activities, projects and academic support resources.

Components of FYE include:
- New Student Orientation
- First-Year Assessment Program
- First-Year Advisement Center
- Comprehensive Academic Support Services
- Student Retention Services
- Transition/Transfer Program
- Summer Intervention/Summer Bridge Program
- Center for Undergraduate Research
- First-Year Seminars
First-Year Assessment and Advisement Program

Orientation Schedule

DAY 1 - Wednesday, July 15

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Greetings.............................................................................................................................. Dr. James C. Renick

Welcome.............................................................................................................................. Dr. Robert Blaine

Admission Requirements for the W.E.B. Du Bois Honors College............................................ Dr. Loria Brown Gordon

Schedule of Activities............................................................................................................. Dr. Marie O’Banner-Jackson

College Basic Academic Subjects Examination........................................................................ Patricia Sheriff-Taylor

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12:30 - 2:00 LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)

2:10 - 3:00 Advising Ballrooms A & B

(A-F) Financial Aid

Student Center, Ballroom A

Residence Life

Student Center, Theater

GREY (N - Z, & Overflow)

Business Office

Student Center, Ballroom B

3:10 - 4:00 Advising Ballrooms G-M, S

Residence Life

Student Center, Theater

Business

Student Center, Ballroom B

Financial Aid

Student Center, Ballroom A

4:10 - 5:00 Advising Ballrooms N-R

Business

Student Center, Ballroom B

Financial Aid

Student Center, Ballroom A

Residence Life

Student Center, Theater

5:00 - 6:30 DINNER (ON YOUR OWN)

6:30 - 8:30 ORIENTATION BLOCK PARTY
# First-Year Assessment and Advisement Program
## Orientation Schedule
### DAY 2 - Thursday, July 16

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<td>10:10 - 1:00</td>
<td>ACADEMIC COLLEGE MEETINGS</td>
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Undergraduate Studies in cooperation with the Academic Colleges and Schools is responsible for advising all first-time freshman, sophomores, and transfer students with less than sixty (60) hours. Juniors, seniors and transfer students with 60 or more hours are advised in their academic colleges and departments. The First Year Professional and Faculty Advisors deliver advisement services in an effective and efficient manner to all students. Specifically, the faculty advisors provide advising related to the students’ program of study. The professional advisors provide advisement regarding general education requirements, registration procedures and academic policy. This advisement model ensures that new students have access to a specialist in the advising needs and issues of first-year students and connects student to faculty in their academic departments. The strength of the model is that it provides more than one delivery system for first year students with the strengths of each collaborating together. This dual process allows faculty and professional advisors to ensure that all academic advisement needs are met while utilizing the six components of the Appreciative Advisement Model.

Appreciative Advising is the intentional collaborative practice of asking positive, open-ended questions that help students optimize their educational experiences and achieve their dreams, goals, and potentials. It is perhaps the best example of a fully student-centered approach to student development. The centerpiece of Appreciative Advising are the 6 Phases below:

Don’t Settle  Dream  Disarm  Design  Deliver  Discover

Permission to use granted by Dr. Jennifer Bloom, http://www.appreciativeadvising.net/
ACADEMIC ADVISORS
Academic Advisement is vital to your academic success here at Jackson State University. If you are a freshman, sophomore or transfer student with less than 59 earned hours from your transfer institution, your advisor is assigned in Undergraduate Studies.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
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KNOW YOUR PLACE
GRADUATE ON TIME
AND SAVE MONEY!

12 CREDITS = 5 YEARS VS 15 CREDITS = 4 YEARS

TALK TO YOUR ADVISOR SO YOU CAN
FINISH IN 4
Parent and Family Orientation
Parents and families play an integral role in the successful transition of their son and/or daughter to college. We want to make sure that parents and families are prepared for the upcoming changes in their students’ life. The JSU Parent and Family Orientation program will help parents create realistic expectations while providing valuable information needed to guide their students toward a successful educational experience. Parents and family members can expect an introduction to campus resources, opportunities to ask questions and meet other parents as well as a chance to see our beautiful campus.

**Session I**

Money Matters Session  
July 15, 2015, 9:00 a.m.

Representatives from Financial Services (Business Office), Financial Aid and CyberLearning representatives discuss private loans, tuition payment plans, iPad-associated fees and key dates, including those for bill payment and reapplication for financial aid next year.

F. Janelle Hannah Jefferson, Presiding  
Coordinator of Academic Advisement

Greetings...........................................................................................................................................................F. Janelle Hannah Jefferson

Presentations.....................................................................................................................................................................Dr. Robert Blaine  
Dean of Undergraduate Studies and CyberLearning

Jasmine R. Douglass  
Apple Campus Representative

B.J. Moncure  
Director of Financial Aid

Cornelius Antwine, Jr.  
Bursar

Questions and Answers
Representatives will present information regarding security and safety on campus. Details will be discussed regarding the University Emergency Notification System, FERPA, social media safety, campus safety and other safety programs that the University offers students.

F. Janelle Hannah Jefferson, Presiding
Coordinator of Academic Advisement

Presentations
Willie Gray
Manager Emergency Alert
Damarius Cotton
Crime Prevention Officer
Public Safety
Laquala Coleman
Associate Dean of Students
Judicial Services

Feel free to visit our Parent and Family website at: www.jsums.edu/main-parentsfamilies/
Session III

Getting Connected: How We Support Parents and Families
July 15, 2015, 11:00 a.m.

Representatives from key departments will discuss everything parents and families need to address, key issues in the first year of college and ways to support enrolled students.

F. Janelle Hannah Jefferson, Presiding
Coordinator of Academic Advisement

JSU Parent and Family Association............................................................................................................................Aaron Richardson

Presentations................................................................................................................................................................Dr. Timothy Abram
Director Veterans Center

LaQuita Sims
Latasha Norman Center for Counseling and Disability Services

Monica Wall Jones
Assistant Director
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Alana Jackson
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Sodexo Magic (JSU Dining)

Thank you for participating in our 2015 Summer Parent/ Family Orientation sessions. Please scan the QR Code below to evaluate the informational sessions. Feel free to visit our Parent and Family website at: www.jsums.edu/main-parentsfamilies.
2015 Fall Semester Calendar

AUGUST
August 13-14, Thursday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. ............... Faculty/Staff Seminar

August 15, Saturday, 9:00 a.m. .................................................. Residence Halls Open for Freshmen and Transfer Students

August 16, Sunday, 2:00 p.m. .................................................. Opening Convocation

August 17, Monday, 9:00 a.m. .................................................. First-Year Orientation and Assessment

August 18, Tuesday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. ............................ Registration for Freshmen and Transfer Students

August 19-21, Wednesday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. ........ Readmitted and Returning Student Registration

August 19-20, Wednesday-Thursday, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. ....... Evening and Graduate Student Registration

August 24, Monday ............................................................... Classes Begin for All Students

August 24, Monday ............................................................... Late Registration Begins
(A late fee of $70.00 begins)

SEPTEMBER
September 1, Tuesday ......................................................... A Late Fee of $105.00 Begins this Day

September 4, Friday ............................................................. Last Day to Pay Fees
(A late fee of $145.00 begins this day)

September 4, Friday ............................................................. Last Day to Add a Course

September 4, Friday Evening ................................................ Class Schedule Purged for Non-Payment

September 7, Monday .......................................................... HOLIDAY - Labor Day - No Classes

September 8, Tuesday, 7:00 a.m. ........................................... Classes Resume

September 8, Tuesday .......................................................... Last Day to Drop a Class with No Grade

September 29, Tuesday ........................................................ Sophomore Testing Day (Undergraduate English Proficiency Examination)

OCTOBER
October 6, Tuesday .............................................................. Last Day to Submit Graduation Clearance Application

October 12-17, Monday-Saturday ........................................... Mid-Semester Examinations

October 19, Monday ............................................................. Mid-Semester Grades Due

October 22, Thursday ........................................................... Founders’ Day Convocation

October 23, Friday, 7:00 p.m. ................................................ Founders’ Day Banquet

October 26, Monday .............................................................. Last Day to Drop a Class with “W” Grade
NOVEMBER

November 9 - 13 ................................................................. Academic Advisement Week @JSU
November 9 - December 4 ................................................ Early Registration and Payment of fees for 2016 Spring Semester and Summer Sessions
November 23-28, Monday-Saturday ................................... Fall Break/Thanksgiving Recess
November 30, Monday, 7:00 a.m. ...................................... Classes Resume
November 30, Monday ........................................................ Last Day to Withdraw from the University

DECEMBER

December 4, Friday .............................................................. Classes End
December 5-10, Saturday-Thursday ...................................... Final Examinations
December 11, Friday ............................................................. Commencement
December 11, Friday ............................................................. Fall Semester Ends
December 11, Friday ............................................................. Holiday Recess Begins
December 14, Monday ........................................................ Grade Reports Due in the
Department of the Registrar and Records

Quick References

Academic Affairs ................................................................. 601-979-2244
Undergraduate Admissions ................................................. 601-979-2100
CAI labs, tutors, etc. ............................................................ 601-979-4330
Campus Bookstore ............................................................. 601-979-2021
Financial Aid ....................................................................... 601-979-2227
Public Safety ...................................................................... 601-979-2580
Career Services ................................................................. 601-979-2477
Latasha Norman Counseling Center ................................. 601-979-0374
Health Center-Clinic .......................................................... 601-979-2260
W.E.B Du Bois Honors College .......................................... 601-979-2107
Identification Center .......................................................... 601-979-2407
H. T. Sampson Library ......................................................... 601-979-2123
Postal Services ................................................................. 601-979-2031
Walter Payton Recreation Center ....................................... 601-979-1368
Residence Life/Housing ..................................................... 601-979-2326
Student Life ...................................................................... 601-979-2241
Undergraduate Studies ...................................................... 601-979-2127
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FINANCIAL AID OVERVIEW

The Financial Aid Office at Jackson State University is responsible for coordinating financial assistance (federal, state, institutional and private) to assist students with funds to pay their educational cost. The information submitted on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) serves as the basis for determining eligibility.

To be considered for Financial Aid for Fall 2015, students must complete the FAFSA for 2015-16 online at www.fafsa.gov and enter JSU’s School Code (002410) so that JSU will receive the data electronically.

The Financial Aid Office must receive the results from the FAFSA in the form of:
- The official output document SAR/ISIR with no conflicting information;
- Valid Expected Family Contribution calculated by the government;
- Clear database matches;
- If selected for verification, it must be completed.

To receive funds from the Financial Aid Programs (grants, loans or work), students must meet all of the general student eligibility requirements:
- Have demonstrated financial need, except for some loan programs;
- Have the appropriate education credentials on file;
- Be enrolled as a regular student seeking a degree (transient students not eligible);
- Be a U. S. citizen or eligible noncitizen;
- Have a valid social security number;
- Must meet satisfactory academic progress standards;
- Must certify that federal financial aid will be used solely for educational purposes;
- Must comply with selective service registration;
- May not have eligibility suspended or terminated due to being convicted of a drug related offense;
- May not be in default or overpayment on any federal grants or loans.

Additional Requirements for Loans:
- Loans offered must be accepted over the web;
- Students accepting loans must complete a Master Promissory Note and Entrance Counseling with the Department of Education online at www.studentloans.gov;
- Must complete Exit Counseling at www.studentloans.gov if the student separates from the university (graduation or withdrawal) or drops below half time (six hours).

Students’ Rights and Responsibilities:
- Accurate completion of FAFSA;
- Review and understand the agreements contained on forms;
- Comply with all application deadlines and requests for additional information;
- Repay any financial aid funds received as a result of inaccurate information.

The Financial Aid Office is located on the first floor of the B. F. Roberts building
Office Hours:
8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday-Friday

Students may check their financial aid status through their JSU PAWS account. They should monitor their email accounts (email address listed on FAFSA and their JSU PAWS account) frequently for messages and updates.
TUITION AND FEE SCHEDULE
2015 Fall Semester
Tuition Charges

UNDERGRADUATE TUITION*  
1.0-11.0 hours  $286.00/per credit hour  
12.0-19.0 hours  $3,433.00  
Over 19.0 hours  $3,433.00 + $286.00/per credit hour  
Out-of-State Fee  $4,977.50 per semester

GRADUATE TUITION*  
1.0-8.0 hours  $381.00/per credit hour  
9.0-13.0  $3,433.00  
Over 13.0 hours  $3,433.00 + $381.00/per credit hour  
Out-of-State Fee  $4,977.50 per semester

*Tuition is charged based on the student’s classification

ROOM  
Transitional Hall & Dixon Hall  
Room – 1 person  $3,239.00  
Room – 2 persons  $2,454.00  
Campbell Suites  $3,239.00  
Other Residence Halls  
Room – 1 person  $3,236.00  
Room – 2 persons  $2,310.00

BOARD  
All Access 7 Days + $125 Tiger Bucks  $1,659.00  
All Access 7 Days + $50 Tiger Bucks  $1,593.00  
All Access 5 Days + $30 Tiger Bucks  $1,506.50

DESIGNATED FEES  
Add/Drop Fee  $25.00  
Testing Fee  $15.00  
Mailbox Rental  $38.00  
Transcript  $7.50  
Return Check Fee  $40.00  
Caller ID Fee  $21.00  
Graduate Admissions Fee  $25.00

Photo ID Fee  $25.00  
Supervised Teaching Fee  $75.00  
Thesis Fee  $75.00  
Cap and Gown Fee  $30.00  
Call Waiting  $15.00  
Parking Decal  $40.00  
Dissertation Fee  $100.00

*Fees are subject to change upon approval of the Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning without prior notice.

All fees are payable in advance by cash, credit card, certified check, money order or personalized checks. Non-personalized checks will not be accepted for payment of fees. Fees are due and payable at the time of registration. Financial assistance awarded to a student is applicable to the total fees at the time of registration. Variation from this policy will require prior approval from the Financial Services Office. Bank checks returned due to insufficient funds must be redeemed immediately along with the payment of a forty dollar ($40.00) insufficient funds fee to avoid termination of registration.

Each student will be billed for 100% of the tuition and fees due. Accounts referred to a collection agency will be assessed a reasonable collection fee. JSU STUDENT IDENTIFICATION CARD IS REQUIRED FOR ALL TRANSACTIONS.
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New Student Orientation and Welcome Week Activities
August 16-23

MOVE IN DAY
Saturday, Augus 15

Residence halls open at 9 a.m.
Go to your assigned residence hall to check in.
Check on your financial aid and pay your fees in the Business Office.
Financial Aid, Business Office and Admissions are open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in B.F. Roberts Hall.

OPENING CONVOCATION
Sunday, August 16
2 p.m.
Lee E. Williams Athletics and Assembly Center
(All new students are required to attend)