



NEW Spartan Checklist

YOUR STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO BECOMING A SPARTAN

Here are some of the big items you'll need to check off for a smooth transition to MSU (but there's still more to know). **Keep checking your MSU email** this summer for updates, reminders and helpful tips. You've got this, and we're here every step of the way.

○ Activate your MSU NetID and email

Deadline: ASAP

Set up with your student ID number and Personal Access Number (PAN).

○ Obtain your immigration documents

Deadline: ASAP

- Upload scan of your passport.
- Submit affidavit of support and financial proof documents.
- Apply for a student visa.

○ Submit official documents

Deadline: ASAP

- Final high school transcript and official board examination results when released
- Official SAT/ACT and ELP scores

○ Pay acceptance fee

Deadline: May 1

Accept your offer of admission and pay the acceptance fee.

○ Get oriented

Complete between May 1–June 5

ADMISSION WILL BE CANCELED IF NOT COMPLETED.

Log in to D2L (our online learning platform) and finish your New Student Orientation modules, covering campus resources and what to expect as a Spartan.

○ Secure your housing

Deadline: May 5

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Submit your housing application fee, advance payment and housing contract to reserve your future on-campus home.

○ Meet with your academic advisor

Between: June 1–July 17

REQUIRED TO REGISTER FOR YOUR CLASSES

Your advisor will schedule a meeting with you within this timeframe.

○ Set housing preferences

Deadline: June 12

Submit your roommate and housing preferences (you will be placed randomly if this date is missed).

○ Pick your move-in time

Opens mid-July

Receive your housing assignment and select your preferred move-in date and time.

○ International student move-in

Dates to be determined

Move in early, meet fellow international students and explore your new campus.

○ International student orientation

Dates to be determined

○ Fall Welcome starts!

Aug. 26-Sept. 8

Connect with fellow students and discover all the amazing ways to get involved on campus.

