



First Year Student Frequently Asked Questions

How do I find more information about on-campus housing?

If you are interested in living in Wildcat Village or University Village email housing@weber.edu or call 801-626-7275 for a tour, to answer questions or pricing.

How do I find more information about Financial Aid, Scholarships, Tuition Waivers and Payment Plans?

Tuition and fees are due the Friday before the semester starts. For more information on how to set up a payment plan, visit weber.edu/bursar or stop by the Cashier office located in the Student Services Building, second floor. Find out if you are eligible for departmental scholarships by filling out the Specialized Scholarship Application, found in your eWeber portal. We also recommend filling out FASFA (our Money Management Center offers free services to help fill it out) which will open October 1st for the following year. Information regarding Financial Aid Verify and other potential aid you could qualify for, visit weber.edu/financialaid or email finaid@weber.edu / scholarship@weber.edu

Where do I buy my textbooks?

Located in your eweber portal there is a "Book List and Compare Prices" icon. The book for each class you are registered for will be listed. You can use the price comparison option where you can then order your books from the Wildcat Store, Amazon or other online textbook bookstores.

How do I send my transcripts to Weber State from another institution?

Request from the institution you are transferring from to send your transcripts to the Admissions office. It can take up to 4-6 weeks for your transcripts to be evaluated.

Where do I buy my parking pass?

Parking passes are now virtual. To buy your parking permit, go to weber.edu/parking. Each WSU student also receives a free UTA ED Pass. To obtain your pass, open your eweber portal, fill out your information under the "UTA Ed Pass" icon and then pick your pass up at the information desk in the Shephard Union.

What is a major and a minor?

A major is the field of study that a student will want to concentrate their degree in. A minor is a secondary concentration that often complements the major. Some majors require a minor, some do not.

What classes should I take?

Graduation MAPs is a useful tool for students that show a semester-by-semester plan for all the classes needed to earn your degree. You can find your Major Academic Plan at weber.edu/gradmaps or contact the CAH advisors.

What is a credit hour?

Your degree is a combined 120 credit hours. A credit hour is based on the amount of hours you typically spend in the classroom a week. Each college class is typically 3 credit hours.

How many classes should I take?

Part Time > 6 to 9 credit hours > 2 to 3 classes > Suggested if working a full time job, school is not the main focus
3/4 Time > 9 to 11 credit hours > 3 to 4 classes

Full Time > 12 to 18 credit hours > 4 to 6 classes > Suggested if working part-time and receiving Financial Aid and scholarships. School is the main focus.

Note: Students who desire to graduate in four years (eight semesters) must average at least 15 credit hours per semester.