


WELCOME TO THE #YoteLife NEW-STUDENT CHECKLIST

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Here's your new-student checklist to help you get ready for **Move-In Day on August 23, 2019.**



TUITION & FINANCIAL AID:

- Understand your costs by reviewing tuition and fees at www.usd.edu/admissions/tuition-and-fees.
- USD suggests completing your FAFSA by April 1. List USD's code of 003474 on your FAFSA. www.fafsa.ed.gov

Your 2017 income (and or your parents/legal guardian income) will be used in determining your financial aid eligibility for the 2019-2020 year.

There's a great tool within the FAFSA that will import your income directly from the IRS. This tool is known as the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT). Not only does it save a lot of time but it also reduces the chances your information will need to be verified later by the college.

Beginning mid-April, financial aid award letters will be mailed to your permanent address. Read all information enclosed with the letter before accepting your financial aid package. Please call the Office of Financial Aid at 605-658-6250 with any questions.



THE NUTS AND BOLTS:

- Submit your \$100 university housing deposit to reserve your spot at USD. apps.usd.edu/administrative/deposits
- Set up your USD account. apps.usd.edu/accounts/pickup
- View your Financial Aid Self-Service.
- Fill out and submit your online housing application or housing exemption request to live off campus. (The housing application opens on January 22, 2019)

ALL students must complete either the housing application or housing exemption form prior to enrolling in classes.

- Send your immunization records to USD. (Fax to 605-312-9017 or mail to USD Student Health, 20 S. Plum, Vermillion, SD 57069)



REGISTRATION:

- Complete your registration survey. <https://yote.us/2IM3bu7>
- Select a registration option. (Check the email used on your application for instructions and options.)

- Register for classes.
- View class schedule in Registration Self-Service.
- Placement tests may be required. You may schedule a test at another Board of Regents institution or national testing site.
- Send the Office of Admissions your final official high school transcript after you graduate. (Required)
- Send official AP exam scores to USD.
- Send the Office of Admissions your final official college transcripts to receive any dual enrollment credit.



IT'S GETTING REAL:

- Residence hall and roommate assignments will be available mid-June and sent to your USD email account.
- Buy or rent your textbooks online. www.usd.edu/textbooks
- Purchase your parking pass. <http://link.usd.edu/parkingpermit>
- Beginning August 1, your bill will be available online at your SDePay account. You will NOT receive a paper copy of your bill when the bill is due. Access SDePay in the Student tab of your Financial Aid Self-Service.



LET THE FUN BEGIN:

- Move-In Day is August 23, 2019. For move-in information, visit www.usd.edu/welcomeweek or call 605-677-5666. Contact us at admissions@usd.edu or 605-658-6200 with any questions. We'll see you on August 23.

To access the links in these steps, go to www.usd.edu/NewStudentChecklist.