



*SPRING & FALL 2025*  
**ADMITTED STUDENT GUIDE**

**UNK**<sup>®</sup>

UNIVERSITY of NEBRASKA at KEARNEY



# NEXT STEPS >>>

## BE READY!

### SET UP MYBLUE / DO NOW

Your MyBLUE account is an important tool as a student; it's available immediately after you submit your application.

- Go to [myblue.nebraska.edu](https://myblue.nebraska.edu). Log in requires the 8-digit NUID# you received upon application and the password you set up in TrueYou.
- Go to [trueyou.nebraska.edu](https://trueyou.nebraska.edu) to claim your identity, enroll in two-factor authentication, and create your password.
- Check MyBLUE for any items in your "My To Do's" list.
- Visit [go.unk.edu/TRchecklist](https://go.unk.edu/TRchecklist) for more instructions.
- Questions? Contact the UNK Help Desk at 308-865-8363 or email [nusupport@nebraska.edu](mailto:nusupport@nebraska.edu).

### SUBMIT OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS

- Official transcripts from all colleges and/or universities you have attended since graduating from high school are required.
- If you earned any college credits while in high school, your institutions must send us official college transcripts.
- If you were admitted based on "in-progress" transcripts, send us your "final official transcripts" so that your coursework may be evaluated and credit is applied to your student record.
- Official transcripts must be sent to UNK before you can enroll in classes.

### MAXIMIZE FINANCIAL AID / DO ASAP

Pursue as many types of aid as possible to help offset the investment of college. Contact Financial Aid at 308-865-8520 or [finaid1@unk.edu](mailto:finaid1@unk.edu) with any questions.

### FAFSA IS IMPORTANT

- The **FAFSA** (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) provides eligibility for grants (money you don't repay), loans, and work study. Visit [FAFSA.gov](https://FAFSA.gov) and [unk.edu/finaid](https://unk.edu/finaid).
- When the 2025-26 FAFSA opens in December at [FAFSA.gov](https://FAFSA.gov), submit it as soon as possible. UNK's school code: 002551.

### NEVER ASSUME YOU WON'T QUALIFY FOR AID

80.7%\* of full-time undergrads receive scholarships and/or grants.

### SCHOLARSHIPS – MARCH 1 & 31 ARE BIG DEADLINES

- Some scholarships are based on your admission application and transcripts.
- Complete the **UNK Transfer Scholarship Application** in your MyBLUE. This is ONE application to be eligible for many scholarships. **The deadline is March 31.**
- Some scholarships require a separate application and your ACT/SAT scores. Visit [unk.edu/scholarships](https://unk.edu/scholarships) to see deadlines and how to apply. Some deadlines are **March 1.**
- Non-residents receive in-state tuition automatically with their admission application (does not apply to exclusively online degree programs). No other application is needed.

\*2023-24 Common Data Set reporting 2022-23 financial aid.



**HAVE OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS  
SENT BEFORE ENROLLING**

### CHECK YOUR EMAIL OFTEN. WATCH FOR:

- > Emails reminders for scholarships and FAFSA.
- > Emails about applying for housing (opt.) – in January.
- > Emails to submit Confirmation Form.



## SECURE HOUSING / OPTIONAL

Campus living connects you to great experiences. When the housing application opens, complete your contract. Questions? Contact Residence Life at 308-865-8519 or [housing@unk.edu](mailto:housing@unk.edu).

- Housing Application will be open **Sept. 15** for students starting in the spring 2025 semester.
- Housing Application will be open **Jan. 7** for students starting in the fall 2025 semester.
- **Residence Halls** – See all halls at [unk.edu/housing](http://unk.edu/housing).
- **Meal Plans** – Learn more at [unk.edu/dining](http://unk.edu/dining).



Watch for emails when the housing application opens.



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See all your steps in more detail, or visit [go.unk.edu/TRchecklist](http://go.unk.edu/TRchecklist)

## HEALTH RECORDS / REQUIRED

Must be submitted before you enroll in classes.

Admitted students are required to submit a copy of their immunization records showing two measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR) vaccinations or a positive rubeola and mumps titer. Questions? Contact Student Health & Counseling at 308-865-8218 or [unkhealth@unk.edu](mailto:unkhealth@unk.edu). **If you are pursuing an exclusively online degree, health records are not required.**

### TO UPLOAD IMMUNIZATION RECORDS:

- To obtain immunization records, most states have an immunization database. For Nebraska, google “NESIIS.”
- Go to [myblue.nebraska.edu](http://myblue.nebraska.edu). Use your NUID# and password.
- Go to **Profile**, then **Immunization**. Follow instructions.
- When you upload your immunization records, this can be a scan or photo of your immunization records saved as a .jpg, .pdf, or Word document.

## STUDENT EMAIL / BEFORE ENROLLING

- You will be assigned a “LoperMail” email account prior to enrolling in classes.
- The password is the same password you use to log into MyBLUE. Visit [unk.edu/office365](http://unk.edu/office365) for details.

## ENROLLING IN CLASSES / DO EARLY

### Before you can enroll in classes:

- > Official transcripts and health records must be sent to UNK.
- > Two-Factor Authentication and MyBLUE must be set up.

## COMPLETE THE CONFIRMATION FORM IN MYBLUE

Available in October for spring 2025 term and March for fall 2025.

- Submit the Confirmation Form in **MyBLUE** that tells us you plan to enroll in classes at UNK.
- Once you submit the form, you will be assigned an advisor.
- Make an appointment with your advisor who will help you choose classes. You can meet via Zoom, phone, in-person, or email. You will fill your cart in MyBLUE with your classes.
- When registration opens, you will proceed to enrollment checkout in MyBLUE.

## QUESTIONS?

Reach out to our Transfer Specialist Tim Moulton at [transfer@unk.edu](mailto:transfer@unk.edu) or 308-865-8435.



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## SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL AID

308.865.8520 | [finaid1@unk.edu](mailto:finaid1@unk.edu) | [unk.edu/finaid](http://unk.edu/finaid)

## OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS

308.865.8526 | [transfer@unk.edu](mailto:transfer@unk.edu) | [unk.edu/transfer](http://unk.edu/transfer)

## HOUSING & RESIDENCE LIFE

308.865.8519 | [housing@unk.edu](mailto:housing@unk.edu) | [unk.edu/housing](http://unk.edu/housing)

## ACADEMIC ADVISING & CAREER DEVELOPMENT

308.865.8501 | [careerserv@unk.edu](mailto:careerserv@unk.edu)

## OTHER RECOMMENDED STEPS

### VISIT CAMPUS

Haven't visited our campus yet? We encourage you to visit during a Transfer Tuesday which will cover the admissions process, financial aid, and housing. You'll also hear from current transfer students about their experiences – [unk.edu/visit](http://unk.edu/visit).

### PLAN FOR CAMPUS LIFE

- See 150+ organizations – [unk.edu/studentlife](http://unk.edu/studentlife)
- Fraternity & Sorority Life – [unk.edu/FSL](http://unk.edu/FSL)
- Office of Intercultural Engagement & Leadership – [unk.edu/iel](http://unk.edu/iel)

### DISABILITY SERVICES FOR STUDENTS (DSS)

Students with a documented disability may arrange for accommodations in and out of the classroom. Schedule an appointment at [unkdso@unk.edu](mailto:unkdso@unk.edu) or **308-865-8214**, or visit in person at Loper Success Hub, 2nd floor of Calvin T. Library. Visit [unk.edu/dss](http://unk.edu/dss) for details.

### MILITARY-CONNECTED STUDENTS

UNK supports our military and veteran students with services, resources, and military education benefits. For assistance, contact Lori Skarka at **308-865-8677** or [unkveterans@unk.edu](mailto:unkveterans@unk.edu). Visit [unk.edu/military](http://unk.edu/military).