Congratulations, you are now registered for a partial schedule of UB courses. But you’re not done yet ... Be sure to complete each of the following to finalize your UB class schedule.

1. **Review Your Class Schedule.**

   Visit myub.buffalo.edu and click on the HUB Student Center to view your class schedule. You will see your list of courses, including the days, times, location, and instructor of each course. You can also select the “Weekly Calendar View” display option to view your schedule in a weekly format.

2. **Choose Your Remaining Courses.**

   - **UB Curriculum:** To begin, get to know the UB Curriculum and how it relates to your first year, at buffalo.edu/getstarted.
   - **UB Seminar:** All students are required to complete a UB Seminar course in their first semester. Browse the selection of these “big ideas” courses and choose one that fits both your interests and your existing course schedule (be sure to consider class times and locations). To choose your UB Seminar, go to buffalo.edu/ubseminar.
     
     Please note: If you are an accepted engineering, computer science or architecture major, you are already registered for a UB Seminar specific to your program (look for the 199 course number on your schedule).
   - **Pathways:** Many students may be advised to complete a Global or Thematic Pathway course during their first semester. If this applies to you, your advisor will provide you with specific information on Pathway courses and how to enroll. To explore and select Pathway courses, go to myub.buffalo.edu/path_finder, and begin with the tutorial.

3. **Register for Classes to Complete Your Schedule!**

   Add the courses you selected to your existing schedule through the HUB Student Center. For the best selection of courses, complete this within 5 days. After registering, view your class schedule again.

If you still have questions about courses, contact your academic advisor. If you’re confused about anything else concerning UB, we’re here to help. Contact the orientation office at 716-645-6125 or ub-newstudent@buffalo.edu and check back at orientation.buffalo.edu to be sure you have completed all the steps required to enroll.
Why am I registered for these classes?
A typical first-year student schedule is made up of courses that fulfill major and/or UB Curriculum (general education) requirements. To graduate, students need a minimum of 120 credits consisting of requirements from their major, UB Curriculum, and electives. Students take approximately 15 credits each semester.

What is a major?
Your major is a focused concentration in one area of study that leads to a degree. Your major may require you to complete from 31 credits to 85 credits or more, depending on the field and degree you choose. Most majors have introductory or prerequisite courses that must be completed before you’re accepted into the major.

What if I don’t have a major yet?
Don’t worry. Many students need to explore at this point in their college experience. After initial course registration, your advisor will direct you to resources that will help you select courses that meet the UB Curriculum requirements and help you discover your academic interests.

What is the UB Curriculum?
The UB Curriculum is our innovative, student-centered approach to general education for all undergraduates. Courses in the UB Curriculum will challenge you to connect concepts across experiences, and that is how they become more than requirements—they will inspire your intellectual discovery and prepare you to succeed in a diverse and dynamic world.

How does my advisor know I’m ready for a particular course?
Placement is based on the following criteria:
- Writing-SAT/ACT/AP scores and/or previous writing course experience
- Math-SAT scores, previous math course experience, and placement exam score
- Foreign language—previous language course experience

What if I took AP, CLEP or IB courses?
Tell your advisor and have official score reports sent to UB Admissions, 12 Capen Hall, Buffalo, NY 14260. For more information, visit registrar.buffalo.edu/tc/alt-exam.

What if I’ve taken college courses?
If you’ve taken or are currently taking college-level courses, tell your advisor and have an official transcript sent to UB Admissions, 12 Capen Hall, Buffalo, NY 14260.

Why don’t I have the same schedule as my friend?
Class schedules are designed to meet each student’s individual interests, needs and abilities, and to fulfill different UB Curriculum or major requirements. You may not take the same required courses at the same time as your friends.

What if I want to change my class schedule?
Your schedule was built with these considerations in mind:
- Courses required for your major
- Your placement into UB Curriculum requirements, primarily:
  - Math and Quantitative Reasoning
  - Communication Literacy

In most cases you will be adding UB Curriculum courses to your schedule. These requirements are mandatory, so course drops are not permitted. Other than adding any additional courses you need (detailed on the front), changes to course schedules are not permitted at this time. Contact your academic advisor if you have a circumstance that requires a change to your schedule.

When will I be billed for my classes?
As a registered UB student you are now financially and academically liable for your courses. You can view the billing dates online at studentaccounts.buffalo.edu/billing/billingdates.

What if I change my plans and choose not to attend UB?
You must complete the Not Enrolling at UB form at registrar.buffalo.edu/pdfs/notEnrolling.pdf and notify your advisor. There are deadlines for dropping courses, so contact your academic advisor right away to ensure all of your enrolled courses are dropped. If you believe you’ll be able to enroll at UB for a future semester, contact UB Admissions.

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