

September 1, 2024

Dear MSUB Student,

## Welcome, all new and returning students, to Fall Semester 2024 at MSU Billings!

Please take advantage of all the MSUB Fall Kickoff and Welcome Week events and activities! If you haven't taken time to read the message from our Dean of Students sent earlier in the week, please take a moment to review that message.

Classes begin Wednesday, September 4, 2024. Be sure to pay attention to important academic dates throughout the semester by using the academic calendar.

**Class Locations**: We encourage you to look at your class schedule online or get an updated printout as some of the class locations likely have changed since you first registered. You can do that, as well as manage other important details through <u>myInfo</u>.

**Construction and Office Locations:** You might notice that we've had a busy summer at both City College and the University Campus related to some construction-related projects. Some finishing and some ongoing - please help us embrace the progress! Note the following office relocation:

- Business Office Student Accounts, Cashier, and Parking are in the Student Union Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Yellowstone Conference Room
- Parking map noting areas impacted

**Important Details:** You can find information on <u>parking</u>, <u>financial aid and scholarships</u>, and <u>fee payment/student account information</u> at these links and also in your <u>myInfo</u> student account.

**eLearning**: If you haven't logged into <u>D2L</u>, please make sure you know your NetID and <u>password</u> so you can access online, hybrid, and HyFlex courses and materials for on campus classes. Courses will show up in D2L at midnight on the first day of classes, September 4, 2024.

Remember to download the <u>Navigate @MSUB</u> student app for resources, To-Dos, Events, Study Buddies, appointment scheduling and more!

- Use Navigate to sign up for advising appointments and newly added, Academic Support Center tutoring appointments.
- The Hand Raise feature will help get you connected!

Look for the waving hand icon to request help discreetly and get support from staff who can connect you with appointments and resources - tutoring or academic support, getting involved on campus, or basic needs such as food, school supplies, and more.

## Quick Advice to start the semester:

- Go to Class
- Get books and course materials as soon as possible
- Get to know your Instructors
- Read your course syllabus for every class

- Ask Questions
- Use our resources to help
- Get involved!

## Office of Academic Success units can help!

Need assistance with your class schedule, contact Advising

Curious about tutoring, need someone to edit a paper, or just want a great place to study, stop into our <u>Academic Support Center</u>. Looking for a part-time or work-study job, want to learn about career and employment opportunities, or need help with a resume, connect with <u>Career & Employment Services</u>.

Still don't have your student ID card or have a question, contact the <u>Registrar's Office</u>. Interested in Global Studies, consider our <u>International Studies Global Themed</u> programming

It's going to be a great year!

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