NEXT STEPS FOR NEW STUDENTS 2018
ADMISSION & SCHOLARSHIP OFFER

Accept your offer by June 1st

• Once an official admission decision has been made, you will receive notification by email.
• Scholarship offers will be emailed to eligible students after admission decisions are made.
• Follow the steps in your offer letter to accept.

Note: Students who receive an offer after June 1 will be assigned an alternate deadline date.

VOCABULARY YOU SHOULD KNOW

Term is the timeframe during which courses are offered. Not all courses are offered each term.

Fall Term: September to December
Winter Term: January to April
Summer Term: May to August*

*Course length and start dates vary.

Credit hours are values assigned to courses. Students must complete a certain number of credit hours to graduate from a degree program. Typical courses are valued at 3 credit hours (1 term) or 6 credit hours (2 terms).

Courses are identified by Course Number and Department Code. Introductory level courses are indicated by course numbers in the 1000s; e.g., ENGL 1200 is an introductory English course. Most second level (2000) courses require completion of the introductory level (1000) course.

W & M requirements are the written and math compulsory courses required by all students to complete a degree program.

Academic advisors are faculty representatives who can assist you with course selection and developing a successful academic plan. Advisors can also help you to understand the university’s rules and regulations.

Registration is the process of signing up for courses.

Aurora is the U of M’s online registration and student information system used to register for courses, view class schedules, access booklists, obtain tuition fee statements and more!
FIRST YEAR PLANNING GUIDE

The First Year Planning Guide is your go-to resource for everything you need to know to get started. Use the guide to find out which courses to take in first year, how to create a timetable and register for courses.

→ umanitoba.ca/firstyear

The Academic Calendar contains course descriptions, program and graduation requirements as well as the University of Manitoba’s regulations and policies.

→ umanitoba.ca/calendar

Watch the Online Registration Tutorials to learn how to log in to Aurora, search for courses and schedules, and register for classes.

→ umanitoba.ca/student/records/tutorial

Timetable Planning Forms can be used to design your fall and winter course schedules once you have looked up information about your classes.

→ umanitoba.ca/u1/timetable

Claim your UMnetID to access computer accounts and activate your @myumanitoba email.

→ umanitoba.ca/ist/accounts/claimid.html

BE SURE TO CONNECT WITH AN ACADEMIC ADVISOR BEFORE REGISTRATION!

CONSENT FORMS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE ADMISSIONS OFFICE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE THIRD PARTY ACCESS TO YOUR APPLICATION INFORMATION.
You can add or drop classes after your initial Registration Time. Log in to Aurora to manage your course registration and to view a detailed schedule of your classes, your tuition fee assessment, a textbook list and more!

DID YOU KNOW?

REGISTER EARLY TO ENSURE
THE MOST OPTIMAL SCHEDULE
IS AVAILABLE TO YOU.

Once you have selected courses and created your timetable, you are ready to register!

Visit Aurora on or after July 6 to view your Registration Time (your personalized registration access time).

Log in to Aurora during your specific access time, which will be sometime between July 11-17, and follow the steps you learned in the tutorials to register for courses. You will register for both your fall and winter courses at this time.

→ aurora.umanitoba.ca

DON'T FORGET TO REGISTER FOR BOTH FALL AND WINTER COURSES!
Did you know?

Colleges offer a unique, small community experience within a larger university setting. Each college serves as a home base for student members where you can attend class, study, eat, socialize and relax.

umanitoba.ca/colleges

Head Start

June 2, 2018

Head Start is a half-day event designed to introduce you, your family and friends to university life and help you succeed in your new community.

→ umanitoba.ca/orientation/headstart

Get Ready to Register Sessions

Attend an information session hosted by First Year Centre advisors to learn more about preparing for registration and scheduling your classes. Sessions are offered in early July – see the First Year Centre website for details.

→ umanitoba.ca/firstyear

Summer University Advantage

Summer University Advantage offers you the opportunity to begin your studies in the summer. Earn 3 credit hours towards your degree by taking the popular course Arts 1110 - Introduction to University and participate in a range of activities to help make a successful transition to the U of M.

→ umextended.ca/summer

Orientation

September 4, 2018

Orientation is an event designed to welcome you to campus and help prepare you for university life.

→ umanitoba.ca/orientation

Qualico Bridge to Success

Indigenous (First Nations, Inuit, Métis) students are invited to join the Qualico Bridge to Success (QBTS) program. The goal of QBTS is to facilitate the transition of new Indigenous students to the University of Manitoba by offering pre-orientation programming, academic learning support, advising and special events.

→ umanitoba.ca/qualicobridgetosuccess

Sign up for the Indigenous Student Weekly in Aurora to receive communications about the opportunities, supports and orientation events designed specifically for you!

→ aurora.umanitoba.ca

Download the UManitoba mobile app to access an interactive campus map, bus routes, book lists, your new student checklist and more!
NEW STUDENT CHECKLIST

MAY
- Accept admission and scholarship offer
- Receive information from U1 or your faculty (timing may vary by faculty)
- Apply for parking: umanitoba.ca/parking

JUNE
- Attend Head Start on June 2
- Apply for student loan
- Residence students: select dorm room and pay deposit
- Review the Online Registration Tutorials
- Meet with an academic advisor to discuss course selection
- Indigenous students: register for Qualico Bridge to Success program
- Apply for Summer University Advantage
- Register with Student Accessibility Services (if applicable)
- Activate your @myumanitoba email account

JULY
- Submit AP/IB results to Admissions Office
- Attend a Get Ready to Register session
- View your Registration Time on July 6
- Register for fall and winter courses July 11-17

AUGUST
- Confirm your class schedule and textbook list
- Pick up your student ID card
- Purchase your textbooks
- Pay tuition fees

SEPTEMBER
- Residence move-in weekend — September 1 & 2
- Attend Orientation on September 4
- Classes begin on September 5
- Activate your Recreation Services membership
- Apply for bursaries (deadline October 1)

The Student Recruitment team is available to assist you during the transition from high school to university. Please contact us at 204-474-8808 or student_recruitment@umanitoba.ca