Get ready for Spring 2018 at Stephen F. Austin State University!

READ ALL OF THE INFORMATION SHEETS INCLUDED IN YOUR ACCEPTANCE PACKET CAREFULLY – they will answer many of your questions

Below we have provided some more information to help with preparing for your arrival:

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<td>See the <em>Obtaining a US Visa</em> document.</td>
<td>International Programs provides a bus to bring students from the Houston Bush (IAH) airport to campus on <strong>Wednesday, January 10</strong>th.</td>
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<td>We also suggest that you go to the US State Department website for info - <a href="https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/study-exchange/student.html">https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/study-exchange/student.html</a></td>
<td>- See the <strong>TRANSPORTATION TO CAMPUS</strong> sheet regarding pickup and how to reserve your seat.</td>
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<td>It is important to make housing arrangements <strong>as soon as possible.</strong></td>
<td>We want to help you become well acquainted with your new campus and the amenities that it provides. <strong>A REQUIRED Orientation Session is on Thursday, January 11 and will begin at 10:00 am.</strong> International Programs is located on the 4th floor of the Liberal Arts North Building, Room #402. You will find us on the enclosed map, listed as building #39.</td>
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<td>- See the <strong>LIVING AT SFA</strong> sheet about applying for housing on campus.</td>
<td><strong>If you are arriving on your own and will live in campus housing, please let us know – we will need to inform SFA Residence Life of your arrival time!</strong></td>
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<td>- For living off campus, we suggest you join our Facebook pages to connect with students who may be looking for roommates.</td>
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<td>Bring all of your immigration / important documents with you to Orientation on January 11 – your SIGNED, ORIGINAL I-20 Form (or DS-2019), passport, any insurance papers, etc.</td>
<td>Maybe – please read the enclosed paper about <strong>CLASS REGISTRATION</strong> to see if you will be able to choose and register for your classes BEFORE you arrive at SFA.</td>
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