

# WESTERN NEW ENGLAND UNIVERSITY Exchange Student Checklist

## Before Arrival

- ✓ Download your official acceptance letter from your [Applicant Status Page](#)
- ✓ Confirm enrollment by returning [Response Form and paying deposit](#)
- ☐ Read [Visa Application Process](#), see the [videos](#), schedule visa interview and receive your visa
- ☐ Initiate your Western New England University email account (your default password is the number 9, two digits for your birth month, two digits for your birth date and 0000)
- ☐ Apply for [on-campus housing](#)
- ☐ Plan for your expenses and [payment of tuition](#)
- ☐ Schedule classes with your advisor
- ☐ Choose your arrival date and submit the International Arrival Form from your [Applicant Status Page](#)
- ☐ Complete any required immunizations. Submit your [Health Record](#) to Health Services at [healthservices@wne.edu](mailto:healthservices@wne.edu). Complete the Health Record paperwork **BEFORE** you leave your home country. Otherwise you must pay for the immunizations and doctor's appointment in the U.S.
- ☐ Pack your bags (keep your passport/visa, DS-2019, acceptance letter, and financial documents in your carry-on luggage)
- ☐ Arrive in the U.S. and arrive at the university via bus, taxi, etc.

## After Arrival

- ☐ Check in to housing; key may be picked up from [Public Safety](#)
- ☐ Attend [International Student Orientation](#)
- ☐ Complete Document Check (bring passport/visa and DS-2019 to ensure SEVIS compliance)
- ☐ Obtain student ID from [Public Safety](#)
- ☐ [Buy/rent textbooks](#) from the campus bookstore found in the Campus Center
- ☐ Register for classes with the [Academic Success Center](#)
- ☐ Unless waived, [Enroll in](#) the university's health insurance
- ☐ Pay your bill through [Self-Service](#) or [Connect2U](#) (available 24 hours after registration)
- ☐ Attend University-wide Orientation
- ☐ Start classes