



Admitted Student Checklist
2011-2012

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Get Prepared for BYU-Idaho

The Admitted Student Checklist was created to help guide you in your preparations to attend BYU-Idaho. Do not hesitate to contact your Student Ambassador as they are eager and willing to help you with each of these steps.

1. Accept/Decline BYU-Idaho Admission Offer

- Accept or decline your BYU-Idaho admission offer online at byui.edu/response. Accepting your offer lets you create your new BYU login information, access your BYU email account, and more. You won't be able to register for classes or finalize a housing contract until you accept.
- Once you accept your offer, a Student Ambassador volunteer will be assigned to you to answer any questions you have, and walk you through each step of this checklist.

2. Access your Student Portal (my.byui.edu)

- Access your BYU email account. Note that email is BYU-Idaho's official communication.
- Having problems with web access, Net ID's, password, computer issues, etc.? Contact the Technology Help Desk at byui.edu/helpdesk.
- Start reviewing the New Student Updates sent to your BYU email account from Student Support and/or your Student Ambassador.

3. Apply for Financial Aid & Scholarships / Create Financial Plan

- Look under New Student Guide tabs: 'Financial Aid/Employment/Internships' & 'Financial Information.'
- For Federal Financial Aid, including Pell grants and loans, fill out the FAFSA as soon as possible at byui.edu/financialaid/fa/apply.htm. If you will be getting married please contact your Financial Aid Advisor before completing the FAFSA.
- Fill out the 2011-2012 scholarships and grants application (typically available November-April) at byui.edu/financialaid.
- Create a financial plan on how you will pay for college. For projected expenses, see the Academic Catalog at byui.edu/Catalog, then search in the Admissions & Financial Policies section for the Tuition, Fees and Expenses link.
- Be prepared to pay for tuition, reserved books and student account charges without using Visa. MasterCard is accepted but with a 2.1% service charge (subject to change).
- Explore student employment options, on or off campus, at byui.edu/StudentEmployment.
- If planning on working while in Rexburg, please remember to bring the required documents that verify your ability to work in the U.S.
See byui.edu/studentemployment/acceptableID.pdf.



4. Plan Now to Participate in Get Connected

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Get Connected/Discipline Preparation Center.'
- Make travel arrangements now to move into your student housing and join Get Connected.

5. Reserve Student Housing

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Housing and Student Living.'
- Begin your search for single or community housing. All single students must live in BYU approved housing. See Housing Policy/Exemption Form: byui.edu/housing/approved/eligibility.htm.

6. Send transfer & AP course credits to Student Records and Registration

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Transfer Student Information.'
- Obtain credit approval for transfer and AP course work.

7. Prepare to Register for Classes

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Registration/Online Learning.'
- Determine your registration date. Registration is determined by the number of college credits already completed and posted to your BYU-Idaho transcript.
- The BYU-Idaho Student Records and Registration Office will e-mail you information regarding the registration process. Review its documents about student privacy and parental requests to receive midterm/final grades, as well as the BYU-Idaho Academic Standards.
- Consider online course options.

8. Review Academic Advising Plan

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Career and Academic Advising.'
- Find out who your academic advisor is.
- Change your major, if needed.
- Determine what classes you should take.
- Find out when you will be required to complete an internship.
- Create a four-year (grad) plan.

9. Register for Classes

- Register for classes beginning on your designated day. Opens 6:00 a.m. (MST).

10. Reserve Textbooks / Review Laptop Initiative / Approved Exercise Clothing

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'University Store.'
- Reserve textbooks. Textbooks reserved online will be charged to your Student Account.
- Review BYU-Idaho's Laptop Initiative at byui.edu/laptop and determine your best option.
- Purchase, or plan to rent for each use, approved exercise clothing.

11. Submit Insurance Waiver / Medical Requirements

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Student Health Center.'
- All students are required to have insurance coverage, even when off-track. If your current insurance qualifies, submit an insurance waiver the first time you log onto my.byui.edu. Otherwise, all students are automatically enrolled in the BYU-Idaho insurance plan.
- Answer tuberculosis survey. You may have to do a tuberculosis skin test (TB test) prior to attending classes. You can go to the Student Health Center; no appointment is needed.

12. Obtain Campus / City Parking Permits - Optional

- Bringing a car to campus? Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Parking.'
- Apply for a campus or city permit. For city permit, see Rexburg.org or call (208) 359-3020.

13. Explore Dining Options

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Food Services.'
- Review Dining Dollars program.

14. Learn How to Get Involved at BYU-Idaho

- Look under the New Student Guide tab: 'Get Involved.'

Have Questions?

Contact a Student Ambassador



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