

International Student Arrival Checklist

Tasks

Attend International Student Orientation

- International Student Orientation is mandatory for your first semester at Metro State

Complete International Student Check-In Form

- The U.S. government requires all international students in F-1 status to report their arrival to their schools.

Upload immigration documents (*I-20, passport biographic page, and F-1 visa stamp*)

Get your Student ID card (*Library and Learning Center*)

Submit an immunization form

- All students are required to complete a Metro State University Student Immunization Record form. Your student immunization record needs to be submitted within the first 45 days of your first semester or you cannot remain enrolled.

Take placement assessments

- Placement results provide important insights into students' skill levels in math, reading and writing. Students and their advisors use the information to select or recommend those courses most suited to students' academic needs.

Register for classes

- Undergraduate students are required to be enrolled in at least 12 credits (only 3 of these credits can be ONLINE)
- Graduate students are required to be enrolled in at least 8 credits (only 4 of these credits can be ONLINE)

Buy your books

Pay for International Student Health Insurance

- All international students are required to purchase the Minnesota State colleges and universities approved health insurance plan.

Pay tuition in full or set up a payment plan

- Tuition and fees for all registered classes must be paid by **tuition due dates**

Enter local Minnesota address in e-Services (*verify your address on the **USPS website** and enter it exactly as it appears*)

- If you fail to update your U.S. address, you are at risk of losing your lawful status in the U.S.