FIRST-YEAR AND TRANSFER STUDENTS
SPRING 2019

CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS AMHERST!

INTENTION TO ENROLL

Take the following steps to accept our offer of admission:

1. Verify your personal information on your SPIRE admitted student page using your NetID and password.

2. Pay the nonrefundable $500 enrollment fee with an electronic check or major credit card. To do so, visit yes.umass.edu/register/your_decision.

[NOTE: While there is no convenience fee for e-check payments, there is a 2.7 percent convenience fee for credit card payments.]

To ensure your space in the spring 2019 class, your enrollment fee must be paid by November 1 or within two weeks of receipt of your admission notification. If you need to know your financial aid award and have not received this information within this two-week time frame, contact an admissions counselor at 413-545-0222.
IMPORTANT INFORMATION
FOR ENROLLING STUDENTS

NSO ADVISING AND COURSE REGISTRATION
Advising and registration occur at New Students Orientation (NSO) programs that are held in December and January. Once we have received and processed your enrollment fee and the registration site opens, you will be able to register online for your orientation session on the NSO website (umass.edu/newstudent). In order to sign up for orientation, you will need your NetID and password. You will receive an email confirmation of your orientation session date shortly after completing your online registration.

TRANSCRIPTS
Mail transcripts to Admissions Office, UMass Amherst, 37 Mather Drive, Amherst, MA 01003.

FIRST-YEAR: Arrange for UMass Amherst to receive a final official high school transcript with graduation date notation, which is required of all entering first-year students. If you have completed AP exams or college coursework, request that an official score report or transcript be sent as well.

TRANSFER: Arrange for UMass Amherst to receive a final official transcript from the college you are currently attending, or most recently attended, so those credits may be added to your student record. You will find it helpful to bring your fall and intersession course schedule or grade report to advising and course registration.

FINANCIAL AID
If you intend to apply for financial aid and have not already done so, file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form immediately. FAFSA is the sole form used to determine eligibility for federal, state, and institutional funds. This form is available fasfa.gov. UMass Amherst’s FAFSA school code is 002221. To avoid delays in award processing, please ensure that the name and Social Security number on your admission’s application and FAFSA form match the name and number on your Social Security card. If you completed your FAFSA for another college, you must request that your FAFSA information be sent to UMass Amherst so that we can determine your financial aid award.

BILLING
UMass Amherst electronically bills students. Your bill will be posted to the finances section of SPIRE self-service in early December, with payment due in early January. You will receive an email in your UMass student email account letting you know when the bill is available to view on SPIRE. If someone else is helping to pay your bill, please set that person up as an authorized payer in the QuikPAY system. More information on QuikPAY is available at umass.edu/bursar/bill-and-payments.

HOUSING
A variety of living options are available for students. Go to umass.edu/living to learn more about on-campus housing and the housing application process and deadlines.

All students with fewer than 27 transferable credits are required to live on campus unless they commute from home. Transfer students who apply for housing by the deadline will receive housing. Sophomores and juniors may choose to live either on or off campus. (Exception: Family housing is not guaranteed since spaces are limited and a separate application process is required.)

DISABILITY SERVICES
If you have a learning or other disability and would like more information on the services available to UMass Amherst students, contact the Office of Disability Services, 161 Whitmore Administration Building, 413-545-0892.

MAINTAINING ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE
Admission is contingent upon maintaining your current level of academic performance. It is your responsibility to notify the Admissions Office of any significant decline in academic performance or additional disciplinary/criminal history that occurs after your application. UMass Amherst reserves the right to rescind admission based on this information.

ACADEMIC YEAR COSTS
For a full list of costs, visit umass.edu/bursar/tuition-and-fees.
FOR MORE INFORMATION

Academic Majors – Information
umass.edu/academics/undergraduate

Admissions Office
413-545-0222
umass.edu/admissions

Commonwealth Honors College
413-545-2483
honors.umass.edu

Disability Services
413-545-0892
umass.edu/disability

Financial Aid
413-545-0801
umass.edu/umfa

New Students Orientation
413-545-2621
umass.edu/newstudent

Office of Parent Services
413-577-4444
umass.edu/parents

Residential Life Student Services
413-545-2100
umass.edu/living

Visitors Center (Campus Tours)
413-545-0306
umass.edu/visitorsctr

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SPRING 2019 CALENDAR

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DECLINING OUR OFFER OF ADMISSION

If you decide to decline our offer of admission, please notify us by email at admreq@admissions.umass.edu. Include your name, date of birth, and your intention to decline our offer of admission.

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