



**Welcome to the
SIUE Community**

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY
EDWARDSVILLE

Freshman Checklist

 **Apply and be admitted – Congratulations!**

Keep this packet of information. Your student ID (*sometimes referred to as your Banner number*) is most important in assisting you as you enroll at SIUE. Also, don't forget your password.

- Check Cougar Net siue.edu/cougarnet — the secure way to manage your personal, academic and financial aid information. Most importantly, check this out for details regarding any college level credit you would be transferring in to SIUE. Approximately 15 working days (*if not sooner*), you can check here for a review of your credit. For more details on this process, visit siue.edu/registrar/transfer/index.shtml.
- Visit SIUE – check out our visit opportunities at siue.edu/prospectivestudents.
- Apply for Financial Aid as soon as possible. If entering in the fall semester, don't forget to check out our scholarships at siue.edu/financialaid.
- Take placement tests (if needed). For more details on the tests and signing up for a test, visit siue.edu/IS/TEST/PLACE.
- Disability Support Services provides a variety of services to students. Inquire at siue.edu/dss.
- If planning to live on campus, submit your housing application, contract, and deposit by **May 1st**.
- BEGIN YOUR REGISTRATION/ENROLLMENT PROCESS**
(*see enclosed registration checklist for complete details*).
- Activate and check your SIUE e-mail account (*your e-ID*). This is especially important as financial aid and payment information and updates will be sent to your SIUE e-mail.
- Submit your final high school transcripts before the start of the term you intend to enroll. The transcripts should show your graduation date.

If you have any questions, contact your Admission Counselor. You can find your counselor at siue.edu/prospectivestudents/admissionsstaff.shtml.