Prepare for Your Advising Appointment

Please write your answers to the following questions. Bring this completed information sheet and your degree audit with you when you meet with your advisor.

Go to this website and review the information regarding degree audit and follow instructions to run a copy of your own audit as you proceed to the remaining questions: http://www.baylor.edu/advising/degreeaudit

Degree:____________________ Major(s):_________________________________________________________

Minor(s), if any:_________
If the major on your degree audit is not correct, contact University Advisement so that corrections can be made before your advising appointment. (Sid Rich 103; walk-in hours, 11 a.m. – 4 p.m., M – F)

Are you participating in any of the following programs? Check all that apply:

___Pre-healthcare (Please specify: _________) ___Pre-Law ___ROTC ___ A Living-Learning community

Part I (On your own)

1. Do you have any transfer credit that is not yet on your Baylor record? If so, for which courses?

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Contact the college or university you attended to request that your transcript(s) be sent to Baylor. If you completed the course work prior to enrolling in Baylor, have the transcript(s) sent to Admission Services, Baylor University, One Bear Place #97056, Waco TX 76798. For course work completed after you begin taking classes at Baylor, send transcript(s) to Registration and Records, Baylor University, One Bear Place #97068, Waco TX 76798.

2. Do you plan to receive test credit that is not yet on your Baylor record? If so, list courses:

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(www.baylor.edu/advising > “Credit by Exam” (Quicklinks) or contact Institutional Research and Testing at 710-2061.

3. Do you plan to take courses for college credit in a mini-mester or summer session? If so, where?

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We encourage students to take summer classes at Baylor. If you are not staying at Baylor, you will need to follow Baylor’s transfer credit policies: www.baylor.edu/advising > “Transfer Work Policies” (Quicklinks)

Important: Discuss your plans with your advisor. List courses you are planning to take:

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4. What courses are you planning to take next semester? These tools will help you prepare your tentative schedule:

**Schedule of Classes** and **Major Academic Planners**: www.baylor.edu/advising > Quicklinks

**Your degree audit**: http://www.baylor.edu/advising/degreeaudit

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In the event that some of the above courses will not work out for your schedule, please also list some alternate courses.

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Part II (In U1000 Class)

1. Have you done the following? (Check all that apply.)

   ___ Contacted Career and Professional Development (See http://www.baylor.edu/careercounseling/ for information.) Their process is a must for undecided students.

   ___ Talked to faculty in your intended academic field

   ___ Talked to a professional in the field

   ___ Reviewed the Baylor University Undergraduate Catalog and/or Degree Requirement Guide

   ___ Researched options on the web

   ___ Volunteered or worked part-time in the field

2. Reflect on your semester so far:
In which course(s) do you feel most successful?

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Least successful?

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What were your areas of strength and weakness revealed in your MAP-Works report?

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What goals have you set for this semester?

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3. What study strategies are you applying? If you are experiencing academic difficulties this semester, have you sought assistance from Baylor's Academic
Support Programs? ________ (Free tutoring and workshops are available. See http://www.baylor.edu/support_programs/ for information.)

4. Are you involved or planning to participate in any activities with groups or organizations that will enrich your academic and personal experiences at Baylor? If so, what are your expectations of that involvement?

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What are your goals for next semester?

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5. Why did you choose your academic program? If you are undecided, please indicate other degrees and majors/minor(s) you are considering and why:

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6. How do you think your academic program will fit with your goals after graduation?

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