



# SUFFOLK UNIVERSITY | BOSTON

## WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY!

### GET TO KNOW US ONLINE

**Suffolk.edu/admitted** is the go-to information hub for all accepted students. You'll find even more information on your admission portal. Log in at **uga.suffolk.edu/status**.

### REVIEW YOUR FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

We will send an award letter to the email address you provided on your admission application detailing your financial aid package for you to share with your family. The priority financial aid deadline is **December 1, 2023**. However, you can submit an application after that date at **fafsa.gov**, and we will do our best to work with you. Our federal code is **002218**.

If you have questions about your aid package, the Student Financial Services staff can help. Find your counselor, assigned based on the first letter of your last name, at **suffolk.edu/student-financial-services/contact-us**.

### SUBMIT YOUR ENROLLMENT DEPOSIT

To confirm your place, please submit your enrollment deposit. If you want to request University-sponsored housing, submit an \$800 resident student enrollment deposit. If you will be commuting, submit a \$500 off-campus student enrollment deposit. Submit your deposit as soon as possible either in your application portal or by visiting **suffolk.edu/deposit**.

The enrollment deposit deadline is **January 1, 2024**, or the date on your acceptance letter.

All students—including those with outside scholarship and/or government funding—must submit an enrollment deposit.

### CHECK YOUR SUFFOLK UNIVERSITY EMAIL

By the end of November, once you submit your enrollment deposit, we'll create a University email account for you. You'll receive your account information via the email address you shared on your admission application. Suffolk University email is the primary way we will communicate with you; check your Suffolk inbox regularly for updates. If you need help with this email account or your portal login, contact the Information Technology Service Desk at 617-557-2000 or **servicedesk@suffolk.edu**.

### ARRANGE YOUR HOUSING

University-sponsored housing is first-come, first-served, based on the date we receive your enrollment/housing deposit.

In late December, the Department of Residence Life & Housing Services will contact you if you're eligible for University-sponsored housing and offer guidance on completing the housing process. We will inform you about your housing assignment in early January. You can reach Residence Life & Housing Services at 617-305-2500, **reslife@suffolk.edu**, or **suffolk.edu/reslife**.



## OFF-CAMPUS HOUSING

If you plan to live off campus, the Department of Residence Life & Housing Services has resources for every stage of your housing search. Email [reslife@suffolk.edu](mailto:reslife@suffolk.edu) for more information.

## TAKE THE ONLINE MATH PLACEMENT EXAM AND WRITING PLACEMENT SURVEY & REGISTER FOR COURSES

New students must complete the Math Placement Exam and Writing Placement Survey and register for first-semester courses before arriving at orientation. This will help you build a schedule that fits your academic and personal interests. Beginning on November 20, we will email instructions on accessing the Canvas portal for completing these important steps to students who have submitted their enrollment deposit.

Note: If you are a transfer student who has completed Suffolk's math requirement through a transferred course, you do not need to take this exam but should still register for courses before orientation.

## FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Suffolk's International Student Services Office (ISSO) works with international students who need immigration documents to apply for their student visas. To begin the process, submit a completed Certificate of Finances form (found at [suffolk.edu/isso](http://suffolk.edu/isso)), plus a bank statement and a copy of your passport ID page, to the Office of Undergraduate Admission. Once we have received these documents, you will be issued an I-20 or DS-2019 form for your visa application.

You may schedule an interview at the nearest U.S. consulate after you receive your immigration documents from us. Please note: The U.S. consulate will issue visas up to 120 days before the start of your program, so it is important to begin the process as soon as possible. Allow time for security checks, holidays, and delays. **You are allowed to enter the U.S. on your new visa no more than 30 days before the start of your program, so please be careful when scheduling your travel plans.**

If you are already in the United States in F-1 or J-1 status, please submit a copy of your current I-20 or DS-2019, a copy of your current visa, and the Suffolk transfer release form to the international advisor at your current school so that your SEVIS record can be released to our office. Once we receive your completed transfer release form, as well as your other required documents, we will create your Suffolk I-20 or DS-2019.

Visit [suffolk.edu/isso](http://suffolk.edu/isso) for more information and email [isso@suffolk.edu](mailto:isso@suffolk.edu) with any questions.

## SUBMIT REQUESTS FOR DISABILITY SERVICES

The University's commitment to the success of all students means we ensure full access to Suffolk programs and services. If you have a learning disability, attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder, physical/mobility disability and/or system disorder, autism spectrum disorder, mental health condition, neurological disorder, deafness or hearing loss, blindness or low vision, and/or a medical condition, the University provides services to accommodate your needs.

You must provide relevant diagnostic documentation clearly identifying a disability that requires services. Please send all diagnostic documentation and supporting materials to the Office of Disability Services by mail, fax, or email. You will find more details, including contact information, at [suffolk.edu/disability](http://suffolk.edu/disability).

## REGISTER FOR & ATTEND ORIENTATION

Once you have submitted your enrollment deposit, you can register for **virtual** new student and family orientation via your admission portal at [uga.suffolk.edu/status](https://uga.suffolk.edu/status). You'll find registration instructions at [suffolk.edu/orientation](https://suffolk.edu/orientation).

You may register for orientation beginning in **mid-October**. The registration deadline is **January 5**.

### Veterans or Students Currently Serving in the Military

All veteran, active service, and reservist students are required to attend orientation. If you have trouble attending due to deployment, travel, or location, please contact the Office of Orientation, New Student & Family Programs at 617-573-8321 or [orientation@suffolk.edu](mailto:orientation@suffolk.edu). If you have additional questions regarding veteran educational benefits, please contact the RAM Registration & Financial Center at 617-573-8488 or [RAMCenter@suffolk.edu](mailto:RAMCenter@suffolk.edu).

### Special Accommodations

If a student or family member has a disability that may affect participation in orientation, please contact Disability Services at 617-573-8034 or [disabilityservices@suffolk.edu](mailto:disabilityservices@suffolk.edu).

If you have questions about orientation, new student programs, or registering for classes, please contact Orientation, New Student & Family Programs at 617-573-8321 or [orientation@suffolk.edu](mailto:orientation@suffolk.edu).

## SUBMIT YOUR HEALTH INFORMATION

Please review the spring New Student Health Requirements checklist at [suffolk.edu/student-life/health-wellness/health-services](https://suffolk.edu/student-life/health-wellness/health-services).

### Health Insurance

All registered Suffolk students (domestic or international) enrolled in at least 75 percent of a full-time academic program must have a comprehensive health insurance plan for the academic year in accordance with Massachusetts regulations. If you do not have one, you must participate in the Suffolk Student Health Insurance Plan (SSHIP). Eligible students will automatically be enrolled in SSHIP and charged the policy premium for coverage date effective January 1 through August 19, 2024. Your health insurance card will be mailed to the address you supply at e-Checkin upon arrival at Suffolk.

Those students who do not wish to subscribe to SSHIP and who are enrolled in another qualifying health plan must go to [universityhealthplans.com](https://universityhealthplans.com) to waive the plan for 2023–2024. If you have questions about this process, please call University Health Plans at 1-800-437-6448.

**Please note: All international students must purchase SSHIP**, with the exception of:

Those international students whose sponsoring institutions have a signed agreement with Suffolk that satisfies the University's health insurance waiver requirements

or

International students covered by health insurance companies with a home office based in the United States, and whose policy provides coverage comparable to that of SSHIP.

International students who do not fall under the conditions above must purchase SSHIP and therefore **are not eligible for a waiver**.

**All other students** with insurance plans that do not provide comprehensive coverage for both emergency and routine services with Massachusetts medical and mental health providers are also required to purchase SSHIP.

### Waiver Information

If you have an alternative qualifying health insurance plan, you must complete the online waiver form by **February 10, 2024**, to opt out of SSHIP. We will notify you when the waiver is available and provide more detailed information.

### Required Immunization Records

If you are enrolled in a full-time academic program or you are an international student, the Massachusetts Department of Public Health requires that you submit certain immunization records to Suffolk University. Please visit [suffolk.edu/chw](https://suffolk.edu/chw) for detailed information and instructions for submitting required documentation to the Counseling, Health & Wellness office by **February 10, 2024**. Failure to comply will result in a hold on your course registration.

## TRANSFER YOUR CREDITS

Your transfer credit equivalency report and your program evaluation can be found in your admission portal. Please be sure to have an official updated transcript sent from your previous institution once you have completed your final classes. It is important that we receive this information before orientation so that you can build an appropriate course schedule with an academic advisor. As these final transcripts are received, any new coursework approved for transfer will be posted to your online evaluation. Please note that all transcripts must be received within 30 days of your initial enrollment. For more information on our transfer policy, please visit [suffolk.edu/advancedstanding](https://suffolk.edu/advancedstanding).

## THE DIVISION OF STUDENT SUCCESS

The Division of Student Success is made up of five offices with a single goal: to help you make the most of every academic opportunity available to you at Suffolk—from your first day and beyond. Four of these offices are located at 73 Tremont Street on the ninth floor, while the Career Center is on the ground floor:

- Academic Advising
- Career Center
- Disability Services
- International Education & Study Away
- Learning & Academic Success

Learn more about the many ways these resources can help you by visiting the division or calling 617-573-8034. You will find more details at [suffolk.edu/studentssuccess](https://suffolk.edu/studentssuccess).

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## PAY YOUR TUITION BILL

We'll post your spring 2024 tuition bill to SU Pay, your online billing and payment gateway, for **you and your parents/guardians to view**. This bill, which will exist only in SU Pay and will not be mailed to you, is due on **January 3, 2024**. Please set up your parents/guardians as authorized users on SU Pay so they will have access to this bill too. To access your SU Pay account, log into the Canvas portal and navigate to the My Finances tab. If you have questions about your bill, including how to pay it, please contact the RAM Registration & Financial Center at [RAMCenter@suffolk.edu](mailto:RAMCenter@suffolk.edu).

*NOTE: Some or all instruction for all or part of the academic year may be delivered remotely. Tuition and mandatory fees have been set regardless of the method of instruction and will not be refunded in the event instruction occurs remotely for any part of the academic year.*



# NEW STUDENT **TIMELINE**

- **Mid-October:** Orientation registration opens at [suffolk.edu/orientation](https://suffolk.edu/orientation) (required for all new students)
- **November/December:** Resident students: make the resident student enrollment deposit
- **November/December:** Non-resident students: connect with Residence Life & Housing Services for information on the rental market
- **November 20:** Online Math Placement Exam/Writing Placement Survey and course registration available; follow the instructions you'll receive via email after you've submitted your enrollment deposit\*
- **December 1:** Financial aid priority deadline
- **Late December:** University housing portal instructions emailed to deposited students
- **January 1** or date on acceptance letter: Enrollment deposit deadline
- **Early January:** Residence Life & Housing Services will email housing assignments to resident students via their Suffolk email addresses
- **January 3:** Spring semester tuition due
- **January 5:** Registration deadline for new student orientation session
- **January 8:** Online Math Placement Exam/Writing Placement Survey and course registration priority deadline\*
- **January 10:** Required virtual first-year student, transfer student, and family orientation session. Please note all presentations and group sessions will happen live.
- **January 14:** Move-in for new students living in University-sponsored housing
- **January 16:** Spring classes begin
- **January 20:** All new incoming international students must participate in a mandatory event on immigration from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. More information to follow.
- **February 10:** Deadline to waive or enroll in University-sponsored health insurance plan and to review and submit required immunization records.

*\*Please remember to take the online Math Placement Exam (and Writing Placement Survey, if required) and complete your course registration before attending your orientation. Instructions for completing these important steps will be emailed starting on November 20 if you have submitted your enrollment deposit.*

## **IMPORTANT CONTACTS**

<b>Academic Advising Center</b>	617-573-8034	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/advising">suffolk.edu/advising</a>
<b>Career Center</b>	617-573-8034	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/careers">suffolk.edu/careers</a>
<b>Counseling, Health &amp; Wellness</b>	617-573-8226	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/chw">suffolk.edu/chw</a>
<b>Disability Services</b>	617-573-8034 (TTY 617-994-6813)	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/disability">suffolk.edu/disability</a>
<b>Information Technology Service Desk</b>	617-557-2000	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/its">suffolk.edu/its</a>
<b>International Student Services</b>	617-573-8034	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/isso">suffolk.edu/isso</a>
<b>Learning &amp; Academic Success</b>	617-573-8034	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/clas">suffolk.edu/clas</a>
<b>Orientation, New Student &amp; Family Programs</b>	617-573-8321	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/orientation">suffolk.edu/orientation</a>
<b>Residence Life &amp; Housing Services</b>	617-305-2500	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/reslife">suffolk.edu/reslife</a>
<b>Student Accounts</b>	617-573-8488	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/sas">suffolk.edu/sas</a>
<b>Student Financial Services</b>	617-573-8470	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/finaid">suffolk.edu/finaid</a>
<b>Undergraduate Admission</b>	617-573-8460	<a href="https://suffolk.edu/undergraduate-admission">suffolk.edu/undergraduate-admission</a>

# SO. MANY. CHOICES. **WHAT'S YOURS?**

## MAJORS

**Accounting**<sup>2</sup>

**Advertising**

**Art History**

**Biochemistry**

**Biology**

Biotechnology

Health Careers

Marine Science

**Business Analytics  
& Information Systems**<sup>2</sup>

Business Analytics

Cybersecurity

FinTech (Financial  
Technology)

Information Systems

**Business Economics**

**Chemistry**

**Computer Science**

**Corporate Accounting &  
Finance**<sup>3</sup>

**Criminal Justice**<sup>1</sup>

**Economics**

**English**

Creative Writing

Literature

Public & Professional  
Writing

**Entrepreneurship**<sup>2</sup>

Corporate

Entrepreneurship

Family Entrepreneurship

Launching a New Venture

Social Entrepreneurship

**Environmental Science**

**Environmental Studies**

**Finance**<sup>2</sup>

Corporate Finance

Financial Institutions

Financial Planning

FinTech (Financial  
Technology)

Investments

**Financial Wealth  
Management**<sup>2</sup>

**Global & Cultural  
Communication**

**Global Business**<sup>3</sup>

**Global Cultural Studies**

Culture, Conflict &  
Communication

Global Business

Interdisciplinary Arts

Regional Practices

**Graphic Design**

**History**

Public History

Regional & Global  
Histories

United States History

**Interdisciplinary Business  
Studies**

**Interior Design**

**International Relations**<sup>1</sup>

**Journalism**

**Law**

**Management**<sup>3</sup>

Business Analysis

Diversity, Equity &  
Inclusion

Leadership

Nonprofit Management

**Marketing**<sup>3</sup>

Digital Marketing

Global Marketing

Product Innovation &  
Brand Marketing

Sports Marketing

**Mathematics**

Actuarial Science

Pure Mathematics

**Media & Film**

**Philosophy**

Applied Ethics

**Political Science**<sup>1</sup>

American Politics<sup>1</sup>

Political Theory<sup>1</sup>

Public Policy & Law<sup>1</sup>

**Politics, Philosophy &  
Economics**

**Psychology**

**Public Relations**

**Radiation Science**

**Radiation Therapy**

**Sociology**<sup>1</sup>

**Spanish**

**Sports Management**

**Studio Art**

**Theatre**

## MINORS

**Most majors and  
select concentrations  
are available as minors.  
Students may also  
minor in:**

Arts Administration

Asian Studies

Black Studies

Business Law

Forensic Science

Foundational Studies (Art)

Innovation Strategy

International Business

Physics

Public Service

Real Estate

Religious Studies

Social Impact

Social Media

Women's & Gender Studies

Youth & Community Studies

<sup>1</sup> Offered as a 3-year or 4-year degree  
program

<sup>2</sup> Major courses available in evening

<sup>3</sup> Some major courses available in  
evening

Note: This publication reflects the most recent data available as of August 2023.

**Pre-professional advising is available for students interested in  
pre-dental, pre-law, pre-medical, pre-optometry, and pre-veterinary.**



[suffolk.edu/academics](https://suffolk.edu/academics)

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