

WELCOME TO UW-MILWAUKEE!

We are excited to meet you at Transfer & Adult Student Orientation (TASO). TASO is a program packed with information about UWM. At orientation you will meet other transfer and adult students, learn about campus resources and student life, and if you selected this option, you will meet with an Advisor to enroll in classes. Current UWM students will guide you through the entire day-long orientation program

WHAT DO I NEED TO DO BEFORE I COME TO ORIENTATION?

- Take a photo of yourself for your student ID and submit it through "GET UWM," PantherCard's online management system. Go to the PantherCard Office website for detailed instructions and requirements for your photo. Be sure to upload your photo at least 48 hours prior to your Orientation date this summer to ensure an easy pick-up.
- Pay your Transfer Confirmation Deposit on PAWS (click on "make a payment" under the Finance section). This must be paid in order to enroll in classes. Please complete this payment as soon as possible as it may take 1-2 business days to process your payment.
- Complete your credit agreement on PAWS (uwm.edu/paws). This must also be completed in order to enroll in classes for the fall semester.
- Optional: Apply for or transfer your Financial Aid (fafsa.gov). Complete any outstanding Financial Aid items listed on your PAWS to do list.
- If you have not already enrolled in courses for your first term at UWM, visit the schedule of classes (uwm.edu/schedule) and course catalog (uwm.edu/catalog) to view the major requirements and courses available prior to attending orientation.

CAN FAMILY AND GUESTS ATTEND TRANSFER & ADULT STUDENT ORIENTATION WITH ME?

- Families and guests (limit 2) are welcome to attend but they are not required.
- If family or guests attend Transfer & Adult Student Orientation with you, there will be portions of the day where you are separated. Academic advising and some conference sessions are exclusively for students.

WHAT SHOULD I BRING WITH ME TO TRANSFER & ADULT STUDENT ORIENTATION?

- E-panther Id and password (you will need this to enroll in classes)
- Comfortable walking shoes
- Umbrella (as needed)
- Jacket

WILL MEALS BE PROVIDED FOR ME?

Students and their guests will be provided a light breakfast and lunch at orientation.

I WANT TO CHANGE MY MAJOR. HOW DO I DO THAT?

- **If you have already registered for a Transfer & Adult Student Orientation program and have not enrolled in courses:** Please (1) Sign in the Orientation Website and cancel your orientation registration, (2) Click "Major Change at the top of the page and fill out the form, (3) Wait 3-5 business days for major change request to process, and (4) re-register for the program.
- **If you are enrolled in courses and want to change your major:** Contact the advising office of the school/college in which your new major is housed. You will work directly with the school/college to get your major changed.

We are here to help! Please give us a call or email us with any questions or concerns. Contact New Student Programs at 414-229-5842 or orientation@uwm.edu