



Comprehensive Academic Support & Success

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COMPASS PROGRAM PROVISIONAL ADMISSION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT (Fall 2019)

Student Name _____ T# _____

FRESHMAN PROVISIONAL ADMISSION (C1 Academic Probation) : The COMPASS (Comprehensive Academic Support and Success) Program is a support program for students who are provisionally admitted to SUU for an associate degree. Through this program, students can achieve admission to the bachelor's degree. Freshman admission is based on the combination of the cumulative unweighted GPA and highest composite ACT score, or the average of the SAT English and Math scores. An index between 75 and 90 may qualify students for provisional admission to the SUU COMPASS program.

SUPPORT FOR COMPASS SCHOLARS: In Fall 2019, COMPASS Scholars should take advantage of support from...

- Britnee Ramirez, COMPASS Program Coordinator (britneeramirez@suu.edu; ELC 114, 435-586-7951)
- Amy Thorpe, COMPASS/Academic Literacy Specialist (amythorpe@suu.edu; ELC 210, 435-865-8716)
- COMPASS Peer Academic Coaches
- Student Success Advisor (SSA) (435-586-5420)
 - Ammon Harris (ammonharris@suu.edu) A.S. General Studies
 - Ryan Avery (ryanavery20@suu.edu) A.A.S. Aviation
- Assistant Coaches for Excellence & Success (ACES) and First-Year Experience: <https://www.suu.edu/fye/>
- Practical assignments in UNIV 1050: College Student Success focused on achieving semester academic and personal goals.
- Optional one-on-one tutoring for a class (\$10/wk value; limitations apply; Grant \$ dependent)
- Free, required career assessment through SUU Career Services (\$15 value)
 - <https://www.suu.edu/careercenter/majors-careers.html>
 - On the payment website, enter the promotional code: Academic Success
- All other applicable free campus resources. See <https://my.suu.edu/orientation/resources>

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: COMPASS scholars are required, as a condition of their admission to SUU, to...

- Achieve a cumulative GPA of a 2.0 or higher within 2 semesters
 - e.g. a C average or higher; "Good Standing"
- Successfully complete UNIV 1050: College Student Success
 - Minimum course grade of C (73% or higher)
- Any other stipulation outlined in admission letter

UNIV 1050 EXPECTATIONS: In UNIV 1050, students are expected to...

- Maintain regular attendance (Maximum of 6 absences for any reason)
- Submit all course assignments in a timely manner, so it is clear you are active in your own learning and committed to your own success
- Attend all instructor (3+), peer mentor (6+) and advisor (1+) meetings required by the course
- Actively pursue & track their progress towards personal goals for the semester

SECOND SEMESTER PROVISIONAL ADMISSION (C2 Academic Probation): COMPASS Scholars who do not earn a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher in their first semester and/or do not pass UNIV 1050 will remain admitted on Academic Probation for a second semester. They will be registered for a required support course, either a retake of UNIV 1050 or an alternative course (i.e. UNIV 1020: Academic Recovery or UNIV 1020: Academic Literacies). By the end of this second probation semester, they must achieve a 2.0 Cumulative GPA and pass UNIV 1050, or they will be required to withdraw from all upcoming courses and be suspended for a minimum of one year. COMPASS scholars should work closely with their Student Success Advisor and/or COMPASS Coordinator regarding retaking any necessary courses to raise their GPA. (COMPASS scholars are not eligible for additional provisional admission semesters, i.e. Probation 3.)

EARNING YOUR GE CERTIFICATE & ASSOCIATES DEGREE: A General Education certificate may be earned in as few as 2-3 semesters depending on your starting level for math. COMPASS scholars (with rare exception) are conditionally admitted to associates degrees. Associates degrees may be completed in 4-6 semesters. It is recommended that students take classes towards their math & writing general education requirements within 1-3 semesters. Delaying these courses can extend these estimates of time-to-degree.

DECLARING A BACHELOR'S DEGREE MAJOR: COMPASS scholars who are initially admitted for an associate degree *only* may declare a bachelor's degree/major after they have achieved "Good Standing" with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher. However, at any time, COMPASS scholars may take classes towards a bachelor's degree major and meet with the Student Success Advisor for any major. (Advising appointments may be made by calling 435-586-5420).

RAC REGISTRATION HOLD: All SUU students with fewer than 30 completed or in-progress credits have a registration hold (often called a Registration Access Code or RAC) on their account that prevents them from registering for next semester's courses until after they meet with an academic advisor to make a semester plan.

COMPASS REGISTRATION HOLD: Students who are provisionally admitted and drop UNIV 1050, miss 6 or more class periods, stop submitting assignments, or otherwise discontinue participation in the COMPASS program may have a registration hold placed on their account. This hold would restrict students from dropping or registering for courses unless they work with a Student Success Advisor and/or COMPASS coordinator (within normal add/drop deadlines). This hold will be lifted at the end of the semester or when academic concerns are addressed.

UNIV 1050 AS AN ELECTIVE: The above standards **ONLY** apply to students who are required to take this class, not those who have elected to take the course. If you are unsure if you are required to take the course, please ask your instructor.)

Student Name (Printed)

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By initially and signing below, I acknowledge that I have been notified of my status in the COMPASS program, and I have read and understand the acknowledgement statements.

Initials

- _____ ***Freshmen Provisional Admission (C1 Academic Probation)***
- _____ ***Support for COMPASS Scholars***
- _____ ***Admission Requirements***
- _____ ***UNIV 1050 Expectations***
- _____ ***Second Semester Provisional Admission (C2 Academic Probation)***
- _____ ***Earning your GE Certificate and/or Associate Degree***
- _____ ***Declaring a Bachelor's Degree Major***
- _____ ***RAC Registration Hold***
- _____ ***COMPASS Registration Hold***
- _____ ***UNIV 1050 as an Elective***

I have read and understand the acknowledgement statement regarding the requirements of the the 2019-2020 COMPASS program.

Student Signature

Date

If at any point I have questions about the resources, requirements, or expectations of the COMPASS Program, I will contact my UNIV 1050 professor and/or the COMPASS Program Coordinator.

Student Signature

Date