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| **Dear (name),**  Welcome to Texas State University!  We are excited to welcome you to the Bobcat family. Your employment as a (job title) in (name of department) will begin on (date). Below you will find information about onboarding with the university. | | |
| **Before Your First Day:**  **Step 1: Activate Your NetID\***  Your Net ID will be used to log in to most TXST systems. To activate your net ID, you’ll need to access the Net ID Activation in the [Online Toolkit](https://tim.txstate.edu/onlinetoolkit/Login?returnurl=%2fonlinetoolkit%2fHome%2fProceedIdVet%2fTrue). For more information on this process, please visit the [NetID Support page](https://itac.txstate.edu/support/netid).  **Your Net ID: [insert Net ID]**  **Your TXST ID: [insert A########]** | | Programmer male with solid fill |
| Open envelope with solid fill | **Step 2: Set up Your Bobcat Mail**  You’ll need to use your newly activated Net ID and password to [log in](https://doit.txstate.edu/services/email.html) to Bobcat Mail. | |
| In preparation for your employment, we ask that you review the [Virtual Binder](https://facultyresources.provost.txstate.edu/work-at-txstate/binder.html), [Faculty Handbook](https://www.provost.txst.edu/resources-faculty.html), and the [required notices](https://www.hr.txstate.edu/New-Employee-Welcome/Get-Started/notices.html) for new employees at Texas State.  We look forward to seeing you on (date)!  Please feel free to call me at 512.245.#### or contact Human Resources at 512.245.2557 if you have any questions.  Sincerely,  (your name) (your title) | | |
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