

2025

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

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2025 NSO SCHEDULE

- Student-Only Sessions
- Parent & Family Sessions

TIME	SESSION	
7:30 A.M. - 9:00 A.M.	ID Card Photos LBJ Student Center	NSO Check-In Student Recreation Center
9:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.	Welcome To Texas State University LBJ Student Center Grand Ballroom (3rd Floor) Learn what to expect and how to make the most of your New Student Orientation experience.	
9:30 A.M. - 10:15 A.M.	Student-to-Student Groups Various Locations Learn more about Texas State and engage with your peers to begin fostering connection in your new community.	Student Success LBJ Teaching Theater (4th Floor) Hear how campus partners facilitate student success and how you can best support your student throughout their time at TXST.
10:30 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.	Bobcat Essentials LBJ Grand Ballroom (3rd Floor) Learn vital information students need about dining services, ID services, and campus technology resources during their transition to Texas State.	
11:00 A.M. – 11:30 A.M.	Financial Matters LBJ Grand Ballroom (3rd Floor) Listen and learn how to navigate financial matters while attending Texas State such as billing and payments for tuition and meal plans, as well as how financial aid offerings can assist with college expenses.	
11:45 A.M. – 12:45 P.M.	Student Lunch LBJ Marketplace (2nd Floor) Lunch will be provided for students to enjoy together in their small group.	Parent and Family Lunch LBJ Ballroom Lunch will be provided for all parent and family members attending orientation.
1:00 P.M. – 1:30 P.M.	Health and Well-being LBJ Grand Ballroom (3rd Floor) Learn how students can thrive in their holistic wellness journey by utilizing helpful campus resources as they navigate life during college.	Parent and Family Support LBJ Teaching Theater (4th Floor) Find out how the university partners with you to help your student navigate college and experience campus life.
1:30 P.M. – 2:00 P.M.	Student Involvement LBJ Grand Ballroom (3rd Floor) Find out about the wide variety of student involvement and engagement opportunities on campus, and take a step towards involvement and success.	Academic Essentials LBJ Teaching Theater (4th Floor) Learn how to effectively support your student's transition to college life, academic success, and exploration of future pathways.
2:00 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.	Academic Essentials LBJ Grand Ballroom (3rd Floor) Gain insight into the academic expectations of college life at Texas State, the advising support available, and the tools students will use to plan, register, and succeed.	Health & Wellbeing LBJ Teaching Theater (4th Floor) Identify how you can support your student's holistic wellness journey as they navigate life during college.
2:45 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.	TXST Course Registration Help Lab Alkek Library, 4th Floor The Course Registration Lab, located in Alkek Library, is designed for students are not yet registered or are enrolled in fewer than 12 credit hours. This lab provides dedicated support from the New Bobcat Enrollment team to help students complete their fall course schedule. Students will be notified during NSO Check-In if they need to attend. Please note: Due to limited space, only students may enter the lab. Families and guests are encouraged to explore the Alkek Library – including the Wittliff Collections (7th Floor) and Alkek One (1st Floor) – or participate in other scheduled programming.	Educational Sessions Various Locations Meet representatives from university departments, programs, and services who will provide information and answer questions.
3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Boko's Browse LBJ Ballroom (3rd Floor) Meet representatives from university departments, programs, and services who will provide information and answer questions.	NSO Check Out LBJ Ballroom (3rd Floor) Students will officially record their NSO participation. Students who previously uploaded an ID card photo in advance of New Student Orientation or took their photo this morning may pick up their BobcatCard at this time.

2025 NSO | EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

ACTIVITY	TIME	
Pre-Health Advising LBJSC 325 This session provides advice for students interested in medical, dental, pharmacy, veterinary, optometry, or PA school (not nursing or PT).	2:45 - 3:15	
First-Gen Proud LBJSC 315 Are you the first in your family to attend college? Learn how Texas State University supports first-generation students and their families.	2:45 - 3:15	
McCoy College of Business LBJSC 316 Learn about various business degree programs, the McCoy Experience student development program, and the college's special admission requirements.	2:45 - 3:15	
Fraternity and Sorority Life LBJSC 322 Learn about the TXST fraternity and sorority community of 42 organizations and 2,200+ students and their recruitment and membership intake processes.	2:45 - 3:15	
Unlocking Opportunities: Jobs, Internships, & Career Resources LBJSC 323 If you are interested in finding a job, both on- and off-campus, learning more about the value of an internship, or connecting with additional career resources, please attend!	2:45 - 3:15	3:25 - 3:55
Military-Connected Students - VASC & Veterans Affairs LBJSC 324 If you are a veteran or a dependent of a veteran and are eligible for veteran's educational benefits, you don't want to miss this important session.	2:45 - 3:15	3:25 - 3:55
Dining Services LBJSC 325 Dining Services will provide an overview of meal plans, eating locations, and more.		3:25 - 3:55
Education Abroad LBJSC 314 Interested in Education Abroad? Learn more about different education abroad programs, some financial options, and next steps for applying for these programs.	2:45 - 3:15	3:25 - 3:55





FINDING YOUR WAY AROUND CAMPUS

- Alkek Library
- Harris Dining Hall
- LBJ Student Center
- McCoy Hall
- Student Rec Center

- Residence Halls
- Student Health Center

- Shuttle Stops
- Dining at NSO

PARKING

- P1 Blanco Garage
- P2 Moore St. Parking Lot
- P3 Speck St. Garage
- P4 San Jacinto Garage
- P5 LBJ Parking Garage (Pay-to-Park)

CAMPUS MAP

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