



SUMMER I 2017 ORIENTATION – MAY 8, 2017

We are excited that you plan to attend UK and your “see blue.” U University Orientation. **During Orientation, you will meet with an academic advisor and register for classes.**

ARRIVAL

You should arrive at the **White Hall Classroom Building between 8:00 a.m. and 8:45 a.m.** It is important that you arrive on time. The program begins at 9:00 a.m. and concludes around noon. You must participate in the entire program. The program does not include a lunch break. Any students not arriving by 9:00 a.m. on May 8 will not be able to register for the Summer I 2017 term.

THE PROGRAM

A summary of the “see blue.” U program is below. Please ensure that you are prepared to stay for the entire mandatory program.

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Check-in – White Hall Classroom Building

9:00 a.m. Welcome and Presentation

9:45 a.m. Meet with your academic advisor and register for courses. Most students finish by noon.

ORIENTATION FEE

The “see blue.” U University Orientation fee is \$25 for students. The fee will be added to your tuition statement. **Do not** mail the fee to the University before your orientation. This fee covers all orientation materials, course registration and daily parking on the day of your Orientation.

COURSE PLACEMENT

Math Placement Exam

All incoming students are required to take the ALEKS math placement exam unless they have an ACT math subscore of 30 or above (or SAT math score of 710 or above) or have completed a college-level math course equivalent to UK MA 109 (College Algebra) or MA 111 (Introduction to Contemporary Math) or higher at UK or another institution.

The ALEKS placement exam is an online placement test that will place students into their first college math course based on their ALEKS score. Students will consult with their academic advisor before registering for courses during orientation. To see where your subscore places you please see the math placement chart at www.uky.edu/AE/math.

To access the ALEKS online placement test please visit www.uky.edu/AE/aleks. The ALEKS online placement test allows students access to an initial assessment and an additional attempt once the student has spent a minimum of three hours working in the online learning modules. The student then has access to the online learning modules for six months.

You will access the test by using your Link Blue username and password (the same as they would with your myUK web portal). If you have any problems with sign on, please contact the **UK Help Desk at 859-218-4357**. If you are having any other technical problems, contact ALEKS at **714-619-7090** or <http://support.aleks.com>

TECHNOLOGY

The University of Kentucky **strongly** recommends that each student purchase a personal laptop computer or equivalent tablet device. Visit <http://www.uky.edu/its/student-hardware-software-guidelines> to learn more about our recommendation. **If you already have a laptop (preferred device) or tablet device, we request that you bring that with you to “see blue.” U. Please note that students bringing an iPad should download the Google Chrome browser which supports our course registration systems.**

ASSISTANCE

If you, your parents or your guests require any additional assistance due to disability, please contact us at (859) 257-3256 at least one week before you arrive. We will be glad to assist you.

MAJOR CHANGES

If you wish to **change** your major, contact the Office of Undergraduate Admission and University Registrar in writing, 100 Funkhouser Building, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0054, or by e-mail at orientation@uky.edu immediately so your academic advisor can be notified. Changing majors during your “see blue.” U University Orientation is restricted. We recommend that you research your major prior to arrival. You can access information about majors at <http://seeblue.com/academics>.

**PARKING PERMITS
FOR SUMMER I
2017**

Please note that it is not essential to bring a car to campus. Many students find that it's just as quick, easy and convenient to get around campus and Lexington by using the alternative transportation resources that the University and city offer - including the BluPass program, which allows students to ride all Lextran routes free with a Wildcard ID. In fact, less than half of our residential students and fewer than a third of all students bring a vehicle to campus, a decision from which everyone benefits – our campus, our community and our environment. Be sure to check out the options available in our alternative transportation network at www.uky.edu/pts/alternative-transportation. Eligible students who choose to bring a car to campus are encouraged to purchase permits online at www.uky.edu/pts.

**GUEST ACCESS
AND DIRECT
DEPOSIT**

Authorize parents, relatives or others to view your student account transactions and make payments on your behalf by enrolling in Guest Access. You will also need to enroll in Direct Deposit for refunds. Go to the **myUK** Financials tab and select Account Services for access to these services.

QUESTIONS

We will be glad to assist you with any questions you may have. Just give us a call at (859) 257-3256 or send an e-mail to orientation@uky.edu. We look forward to seeing you on campus. Also, check out our web site at www.seeblueU.com.

RESOURCES

Learn more about the many services offered at the University of Kentucky by viewing presentations and other informational documents at the "Presentations" and "Resources" links on our website – www.seeblueU.com.

"SEE BLUE." U PARKING INSTRUCTIONS

WHERE TO PARK

In South Limestone Garage (PS #5) – enter off Limestone or Upper Street (see map). The gates will be open for entry and exit. (Cars must be removed from the South Limestone Garage by 6 p.m., when the structure is locked.) The street address for the South Limestone Garage (PS #5) is 409 South Limestone, Lexington, KY 40506.

**WHERE NOT TO
PARK**

1. **E Permit** controlled zones.
2. **Handicap zones** (for UK handicapped parking information, call 257-3256).
3. **Service zones** (yellow and white striped lines) and **yellow lines**
4. **Parking meters.**
Note: Each University-owned parking area (street or lot) has a permit control sign posted near the entrance. Failure to comply with the information on these signs can result in ticketing and towing. Call the Parking Office at (859) 257-5757 if you need additional information about parking on campus. Parking control officers are on duty at Gates 1, 2, 3 and 4 to assist you if you have any questions.

ROUTES TO CAMPUS/LIMESTONE GARAGE (PS #5)

**FROM THE
BLUEGRASS
PARKWAY**

Turn right off the exit onto Route 60 (Versailles Road). Follow until it becomes a one-way street, West Maxwell Street. After crossing Broadway, take a right at the second light onto South Upper Street. Enter the South Limestone Garage (just after Fazoli's restaurant).

**TRAVELING SOUTH
ON I-75 OR
EAST/WEST ON
I-64**

Take Exit 113 (marked Paris/Lexington). Turn right off the exit ramp onto North Broadway (US 68). Follow through downtown for 3.5 miles. One block past Hyatt Regency Lexington, turn left onto Maxwell Street. At the second light, make a right onto South Upper Street. Enter the South Limestone Garage (just after Fazoli's restaurant).

**TRAVELING
NORTH ON I-75**

Take Exit 104 (marked Athens/Lexington). Turn left off the ramp onto Athens-Boonesboro/Richmond Road and follow to downtown Lexington for approximately 8 miles (Please note that Richmond Road will become Main Street and will be one-way). Turn left onto South Upper Street. Go through four stoplights and turn left into the South Limestone Garage (just after Fazoli's restaurant).

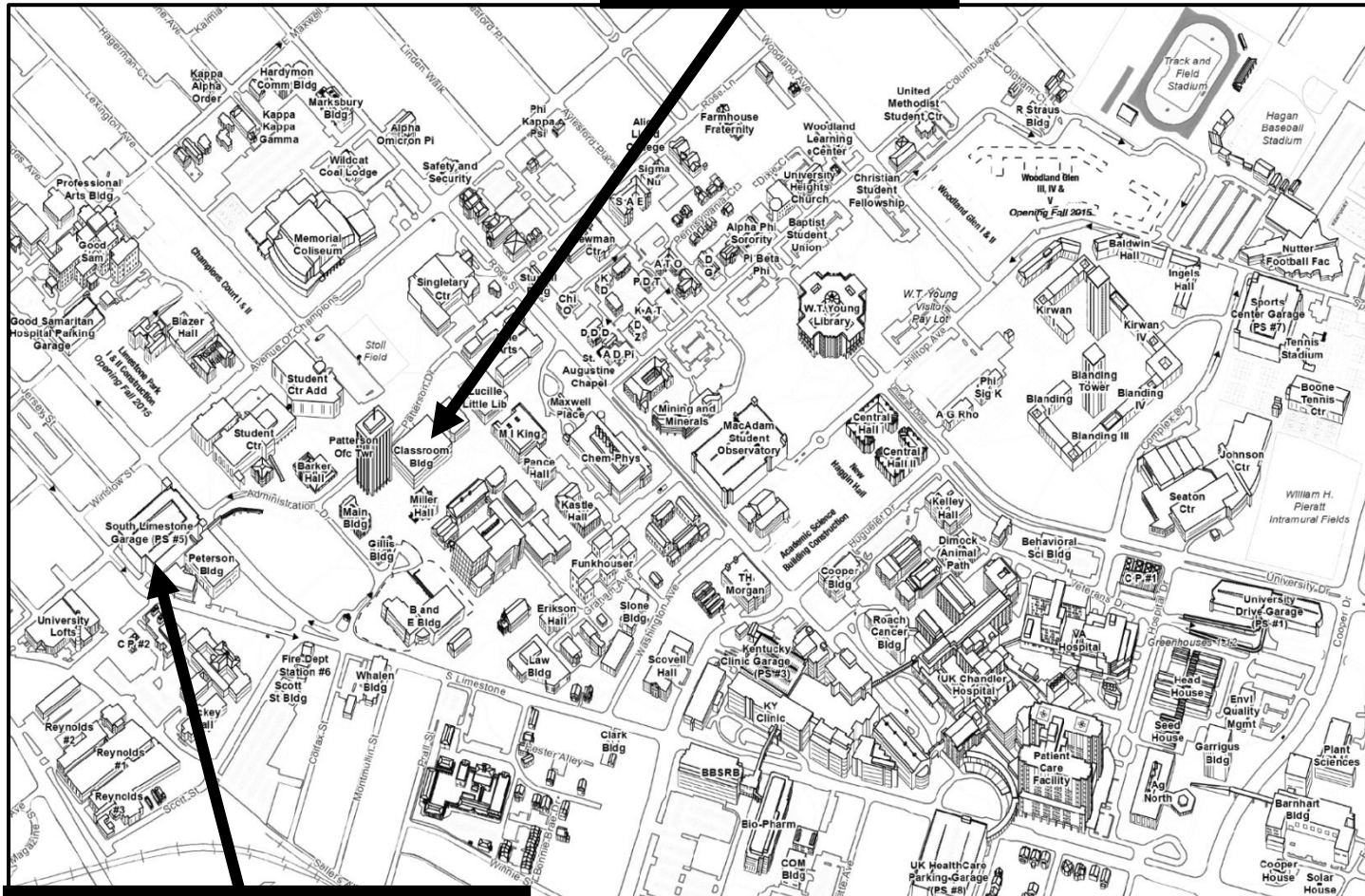
**TRAVELING
NORTH ON US-27**

Take US 27-N (Nicholasville Road) and continue straight (27-N turns into Limestone Street). After driving under the third skywalk, turn left into the South Limestone Garage.



Once you have parked in the South Limestone Garage (PS #5), proceed to the pedway on the **third floor**.

**White Hall
Classroom Building
(Orientation Check-in)**



**South Limestone Garage (PS #5)
(Approved Parking Location)**