













# NEW STUDENT CONFERENCE AT McALLEN

## 2019 SCHEDULE

TIME	SESSION	LOCATION
6:45 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.	<b>Engineering MPE Check-In</b>	<b>Room 320</b>
Students registered for this administration check in for their Math Placement Exam at this time.		
7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	<b>Engineering MPE Testing</b>	<b>Room 320</b>
Students in the College of Engineering sit for a proctored Math Placement Exam if they have not done so prior to attending the conference. Disability accommodations will be made through virtual proctoring prior to the conference.		
7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	<b>Check-In and Breakfast</b>	<b>Lobby</b>
	Students and family members/guests check in for the New Student Conference at this time. Breakfast is included in the New Student Conference registration fee.	
8:45 a.m. - 9:05 a.m.	<b>Welcome &amp; Joining a Community of Scholars</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
	This session is the formal welcome to the Aggie Family and Texas A&M Higher Education Center at McAllen. The session will also provide important information about the opportunities, rights and responsibilities as new member of Texas A&M's Community of Scholars.	
9:05 a.m. - 9:25 a.m.	<b>Faculty &amp; Advisor Insights</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
	Students & family members/guests will receive information regarding classroom behavior, academic rigor and the role of their academic advisor.	
9:25 a.m. - 10:05 a.m.	<b>Student Services</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
	Students & family members/guests will learn more about academic services and campus resources available to Texas A&M University Higher Education Center at McAllen students.	
10:05 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.	<b>Texas A&amp;M University Libraries</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
	Students & family members/guests will learn more about the Texas A&M Libraries.	
10:50 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	<b>Keys to Financial Matters</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
	Staff will discuss tuition and fees, methods of payment, direct deposit, important due dates, and financial resources including scholarships, grants, and loans.	
11:40 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	<b>Aggies Respect</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
	<b>STUDENT SESSION</b>	Centered around Texas A&M's Core Values of Respect, students will learn to foster an inclusive community and respect others.
1:10 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Room 119</b>
	<b>STUDENT LUNCH</b>	Enjoy lunch (included in the conference registration charge) and the opportunity to interact with staff and Student Ambassadors.
11:40 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Room 119</b>
	<b>FAMILY LUNCH</b>	Meet other family members and learn about ways to get involved and support your students. You'll hear from the Aggie Moms Club and a panel of current students.
1:10 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.	<b>Partners in Success</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
	<b>FAMILY SESSION</b>	Explore the challenges facing new students during their transition to college and how the university and families can partner to provide support that will increase student success.
2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	<b>College of Veterinary Medicine &amp; Biomedical Sciences Meetings</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>

### JULY 16

Students will receive academic information and instructions from their Academic Colleges.

*Deans' Presentations*

*Group Advising*

*Schedule Building & Registration*

<b>2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>School of Public Health Meetings</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
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**JULY 17**

Students will receive academic information and instructions from their Academic Colleges.

- Deans' Presentations*
- Group Advising*
- Schedule Building & Registration*

<b>2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>College of Engineering Meetings</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
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**JULY 22-23**

Students will receive academic information and instructions from their Academic Colleges.

- Deans' Presentations*
- Group Advising*
- Schedule Building & Registration*

<b>2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Meetings</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>
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**JULY 24**

Students will receive academic information and instructions from their Academic Colleges.

- Deans' Presentations*
- Group Advising*
- Schedule Building & Registration*

**Key to reading the schedule:**  Spanish Translation Available  For Family Members  Students Only