

## **TRANSFER UNDERGRADUATE - International Students Fall 2006 semester**

**Transfer Student** = has completed secondary/high school and attended another college or university in the U.S or abroad but has not completed a four-year bachelor's degree.

### **Part I: Pre-Orientation Activities**

#### **A. There are THREE important activities required for new transfer students:**

1. UNT Drive-In Transfer Orientation – All new transfer students must attend
2. New International Student Orientation – F-1 and J-1 visa holders must attend
3. Document Check-in – All new transfer students in every visa status must complete this process before registering for UNT classes.

#### **B. Register for UNT Drive-In Transfer Orientation**

- All transfer students (all visa types and all in Permanent Pending status) must register for and attend one of the five mandatory UNT Drive-In Transfer Orientations. UNT Orientation seats are limited, so register early.
- A “UNT Drive-In Transfer Orientation” registration and payment form is available at [www.unt.edu/orientation](http://www.unt.edu/orientation) or by contacting this office:  
New Student and Mentoring Programs, University Union, Room 319  
Post Office Box 311274, Denton, TX 76203, U.S.A.  
Phone: 940-369-8397 Email: [transfer@unt.edu](mailto:transfer@unt.edu)
- Register & pay online or by postal mail before the registration deadline for the UNT Drive –In Transfer Orientation that you choose.

#### **C. Talk to UNT about the THEA Test**

At UNT, all undergraduate transfer students must demonstrate university-level math, writing, and reading skills before registering for classes in one of the following three ways:

1. Take the THEA test at UNT (more THEA information on page 4)
2. Receive an exemption authorized by UNT
3. Receive a temporary waiver so you can register and take the THEA later

For information about the THEA in your specific case:

Contact the Program for Academic Readiness (PAR), Stovall Hall 117

Phone 940-565-4403 Email: [England@unt.edu](mailto:England@unt.edu)

Website: [www.unt.edu/par](http://www.unt.edu/par)

## Part II: UNT Orientation

**Section A: Information for transfer students who will attend UNT Drive-In Transfer Orientation from June to early August. (See pages 1, 2, 3, 5)**

**Section B: Information for students who will attend Orientation during regular UNT Fall Registration Week--August 21-25. (See pages 4 - 5)**

### Section A: Transfer students who will attend Sessions 1 - 4

**A. Register for and attend the earliest possible UNT Orientation** because more Fall 2006 classes will be available for your enrollment.

Session	Orientation Date	Registration Deadline	Cost
1	Friday, June 23	June 20	\$48
2	Friday, July 7	July 5	\$48
3	Friday, July 21	July 18	\$48
4	Friday, August 4	August 1	\$48

### B. UNT Drive-In Orientation Schedule (all dates) Details given at orientation.

<b>7:30 – 9:00 a.m.</b>	Check-in at the Main Auditorium, Auditorium Building See campus map at <a href="http://www.unt.edu/mapsandtours.htm">www.unt.edu/mapsandtours.htm</a>
<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Welcome and Overview
<b>9:15 a.m.</b>	School/College information & academic advising meetings
<b>11 a.m. – 2 p.m.</b>	Lunch available at Kerr Hall Cafeteria.
<b>1:00 - 5:00 p.m.</b>	Class registration and payment – as required by your major

**ALL VISA HOLDERS and STUDENTS IN PENDING PERMANENT STATUS:**  
**Sometime during UNT Drive-In Orientation, allow one hour (between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.) to complete the New International Student Orientation and/or Document Check-In (See Section “D,” page 3).**

**This is required before you can register for UNT classes.**

### C. What to bring to UNT Orientation

1. Admission letter from International Admissions Office
2. Copy of evaluated transcript received from UNT in the acceptance letter, or you may obtain another copy from UNT International Admissions Office, Kendall Hall 173 on the day of your Drive-In Transfer Orientation
3. Picture identification (Passport or drivers license)
4. If currently in summer classes at another college/university, bring a list of your current classes and the catalog from the school you are attending
5. Cash, check, credit card (Visa, MasterCard, or Discover) for tuition and fees  
Current UNT tuition/fees: <http://essc.unt.edu/saucs/tuition/htm>
6. All pertinent correspondence and scholarship award letters from UNT
7. Wear comfortable walking shoes and be prepared to stay until 5 p.m. or later.

## **D. New International Student Orientation and Document Check-In**

**BRING:** Admission letter, passport, I-20 or DS-2019, I-94 & all immigration documents

**F-1 and J-1 visa-holders:** Because your day at UNT will be very busy, F-1 and J-1 visa-holders must read important information for new international students **in advance**.

1. Go to this website: <http://www.international.unt.edu/welcome/FALL2006.pps>  
If you cannot view the website, go to <http://www.international.unt.edu/welcome/> and click on Fall 2006 Orientation Slide Show.
2. Read the information carefully. You may print the information and bring a copy with you to UNT.
3. At the International Welcome Center, Kendall Hall 103, complete the information review test. You may retake the test if necessary.
4. After completing the review test, proceed to Document Check-In at the International Advising Office, Kendall Hall 171.

### **Students with other visas or Permanent Pending status:**

Go directly to Document Check-In: International Advising Office, Kendall Hall 171.  
You do not have to take the information review test.

## **Section B: Students who will attend Orientation during regular UNT Fall Registration Week (August 21-25, 2006)**

### **There are THREE important activities required of new transfer students:**

1. New International Student Orientation, August 21, 2006 – F-1 and J-1 visa holders must attend
2. UNT Drive-In Transfer Orientation, August 23, 2006 – All new transfer students must attend
3. Document Check-in – All new transfer students in every visa status must complete this process:
  - \*Monday, August 21: 11 a.m. – 12 noon, Eagle Student Services Center #255
  - \*Additional times for students not on F-1 or J-1 visas:  
Tuesday – Friday, August 22-25, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m., Kendall Hall, Room 171

### **New International Student Orientation -- F-1 and J-1 Visa holders must attend**

Date:	Monday, August 21
Registration deadline:	Attendance is mandatory for F-1 and J-1 visa holders.
Pre-registration:	No pre-registration is required.
Cost:	None
Location:	Eagle Student Services Center, Room 255
Time:	Orientation --8:30 –11 a.m. Document Check-In—11 a.m. – 12 noon
Bring:	Admission letter, passport, I-20 or DS-2019, I-94 & all immigration documents

### **UNT Drive-In Orientation – All new transfer students must attend**

Date:	Wednesday, August 23
Registration Deadline:	August 17
Cost:	\$48
Location:	Auditorium Building, Main Auditorium
Time:	8:30 a.m. until finished. Allow 6-8 hours.
Bring:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Admission letter from International Admissions Office</li><li>B. Copy of evaluated transcript received from UNT in the acceptance letter or you may obtain another copy from UNT International Admissions Office, Kendall Hall 173</li><li>C. Picture identification (Passport or drivers license)</li><li>D. If you were in classes at another university during the summer, bring two updated transcripts. Give one to your Academic Advisor and one to the International Admissions Office, Kendall Hall, Room 173.</li><li>E. Cash, check, credit card (Visa, MasterCard, or Discover) for tuition and fees Current UNT tuition/fees: <a href="http://essc.unt.edu/saucs/tuition/htm">http://essc.unt.edu/saucs/tuition/htm</a></li><li>F. All pertinent correspondence from UNT and scholarship award letters</li><li>G. Wear comfortable walking shoes and be prepared to stay until 5 p.m.</li></ol>

## Texas Higher Education Assessment (THEA)

Test sections: Reading, Writing, Math

TEST STUDY SITE: [www.thea.nesinc.com](http://www.thea.nesinc.com)

1. This test is required for new undergraduate (Freshman and Transfer) students.
2. If you are new to UNT, before you register for UNT classes, you must do one of these things:
  1. Take the THEA or a comparable test,
  2. Receive an exemption
  3. Receive a temporary waiver from UNT (with a contract to take THEA before classes begin).
3. All transfer students should contact the UNT Program for Academic Readiness Office (PAR) to see if they must take the THEA or if they have an exemption.

It may be possible to consult with the PAR Office on the day of Transfer Orientation. To do so, arrive at their office at 8 a.m. on Orientation Day.

UNT Program for Academic Readiness Office (PAR)  
Stovall Hall 117 Phone: (940) 565-4403 Fax: (940) 565-4323  
Email: [England@unt.edu](mailto:England@unt.edu) Website: [www.unt.edu/par](http://www.unt.edu/par)

4. THEA Tests are available at UNT according to this schedule:

Saturday, June 3	Wednesday, August 23	Saturday, August 26
**Saturday, July 8	Thursday, August 24	Saturday, Sept. 3
**Saturday, August 5	Friday, August 25	

Location: Eagle Student Service Center, Room 255

\*\*July 8 and Aug. 5 tests only: Location is Business Building, Room 116

Time: 8:30 a.m. (Be on time!)

Allow six hours – one hour for registration and five for testing

Cost: \$29 (no cash). Pay with personal check or money order payable to “NES” or by credit card: Visa or Master Card (no Discover or American Express)

Bring:

1. Official Picture identification: Drivers license, student ID, or passport
2. Several sharpened #2 pencils with erasers
3. You may use a four-function, non-programmable, non-graphing calculator with square root and percent keys.

Do NOT Bring:

1. Cash for payment
2. Cell phones, beepers, alarm watches
3. Scientific or graphing calculators
4. Backpacks, briefcases
5. Food or drinks

NOTE: No one is allowed to enroll in any college level English or math class until the requirements for the THEA test have been met. (For details, see [www.unt.edu/par](http://www.unt.edu/par))

Students who do not pass one or more sections of the THEA will be placed in a developmental program every semester for the section(s) failed until the student either passes the test or passes the developmental program.