Important Fall Semester Dates!

November 11
Veteran’s Day, No Classes

November 16
Registration for spring classes begins

Make the Most of a Tutoring Session in 1, 2, 3!

1. Go prepared! Look through your textbooks and class notes to recognize areas that cause confusion. Note page numbers, key concepts and ideas, and bring all materials to the session with you.

2. Ask questions! Ask the tutor to help you solve a practice problem. Ask about specific concepts and ideas. Take notes to help you recall the information.

3. Within 24 hours of your tutoring session, make sure you truly understand the information. Combine notes from the tutoring session with those you took in class. It is in your best interest to continue attending tutoring sessions to reinforce the information throughout the semester.

Sophomore Success Strategy: Organize Yourself for Finals!

Congratulations! You are more than halfway through the fall semester! This is a perfect time to start gaining confidence for your final exams. Look at each class individually and review the syllabus. Gather quizzes and exams that have been graded. Create questions that you have about learned material. Visit your professor and TA during office hours to receive answers to your concerns. Create an outline by utilizing your personal notes and the textbook. Having one document to relate to can ease your preparation for finals week!

Resource Reminder!

Registration for the spring semester begins on November 16! Schedule an appointment with your academic advisor to discuss your options for the upcoming course selection. Remember to bring a curriculum guide with you to steer the conversation. If you are interested in a minor outside of the College of Engineering, be sure to review the requirements either on your Degree Audit or on the College’s website. This information will assist in choosing courses.

Roadmap to Success Workshop

Reading with a Purpose
Wednesday, November 18
6-7pm, 105 Shillman

Utilizing your textbook is an important part of understanding course material, but how can you make the most of your reading? Gain tips and tactics to further digest a dense textbook.

Just a thought …

“I always did something I was a little not ready to do. I think that’s how you grow. When there’s that moment of ‘Wow, I’m not really sure I can do this,’ and you push through those moments, that’s when you have a breakthrough.”

-Marissa Mayer

Wise Words of Wisdom from Husky Engineers

“If you are interested in anything, whether it be snowboarding, robotics, dance, band, whatever it is, get involved early. Take a position, make a position, something as simple as PR (Twitter, Facebook) or if you are comfortable, an Executive Board position, as club positions are both fun and look great on your resume.”

-Taylor Skilling, Electrical & Computer Engineering ’17

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