Before you Arrive at LSU

NOTE: “ECA desk” refers to GSB’s desk in Room 2 of the East Campus Apartment Activity Center.

Lodging
Room assignments are made prior to registration. You will receive a memo indicating your housing and elective assignments prior to your arrival on campus. Apartments will be available for occupancy beginning at 9:00am Monday, May 25, through Noon on Friday, June 5.

The School furnishes a pillow, pillowcase, set of sheets, and a lightweight blanket. A supply of 5 towels and 10 washcloths is provided along with detergent to launder these as needed. LSU housekeeping staff will enter the apartments daily to clean the bathrooms and make beds; bed linens will be changed on Friday only. Many students bring a twin mattress topper for extra comfort.

Each bedroom maintains its own locking system. GSB is not responsible for any lost items, computers, etc. left in your apartment.

Each apartment has a kitchen with a refrigerator, stove, microwave, dishwasher, and garbage disposal. No detergent, kitchenware or utensils are provided. The School does NOT furnish an alarm clock, telephone, television, iron, or hair dryer. Each apartment has a clothes washer and dryer; detergent is provided to launder towels. Additional detergent should be brought for your personal use. Each bedroom has a basic cable TV jack and Ethernet data connection. If you bring a TV, you must also bring the cable for connection. You should also bring your cell phone and charger.

Clothing
Casual dress (jeans, slacks, t-shirts, walking shorts, tennis shoes, sandals) is suitable attire for all class lectures and official assemblies, except for graduation. The median temperature in Baton Rouge in May is 80 degrees, and the average rainfall is about 4 inches. It is advisable to bring lightweight clothing and a raincoat or umbrella.

Mail Delivery
Listed below is the mailing address for students during the session.

(StUDENT’S NAME)
Graduate School of Banking at LSU
4273 Highland Road
Baton Rouge, LA 70808-4541

Mail is delivered every morning except Sunday to the ECA desk. Outgoing mail is also collected.

UPS is located on the first floor of the LSU Union in Room 101 is available Monday-Friday from 7:30 am-5:00 pm. Services include black and white copies, color copies, binding, faxing and scanning. Their telephone number is 225-578-6756.

Back Packs
Each Freshman will receive a GSBLSU back pack along with a temporary luggage tag to be used during their three years at the school. Junior and Senior students should bring your backpack from the previous year.

Arrival on Campus—Monday, May 25

Airport/Bus Transportation
Bus transportation is provided from the BR airport to the LSU campus Monday, May 25, from 9:00am to 6:00pm. Special buses chartered by GSB will leave the airport every 15-30 minutes. Bus service will also be provided to transport students to the BR airport on Friday, June 5 from 7:30am until 11:30am.

Apartments will close at Noon.

GSBLSU App—(free App) You should download this app which contains lots of information: Important Session information, course materials, interactive map of LSU campus, and news alerts.
**Parking**
Spaces are available around the apartments and across from the BEC (Business Education Complex) and PFT (Patrick F. Taylor building). Permits for parking only in apartment/BEC & PFT lots are available at registration, and should be placed on the rear view mirror. Violators will be ticketed by Campus Security, and violations will normally result in a $50 fine payable at the Office of the Bursar. Cars parked in unauthorized areas will be towed away at the owner’s expense. Parking is limited on campus, but you are allowed to park across the street from your classes in the BEC and PFT buildings this year. If you have a bicycle on campus, you should bring a bicycle lock.

**Registration**
Registration begins at 9:00 am on Monday, May 25. Upon arrival on the LSU campus, **ALL students will check in at the Nora Power ACTIVITY BUILDING at East Campus Apts.** Go to Room #2 (GSB desk) where you will receive your schedule and nametag. Freshmen will also pick up a backpack. **HANG ONTO YOUR KEYS.** The charge for replacing a lost apartment bedroom key is $80.

**Email/Internet Access**
Wireless access to the Internet can be received in your apartment living area, bedroom, and common areas. An Internet connection is also available in your bedroom. Your computer must have an Ethernet adapter, and you need a Category 6 (CAT6) cable to connect from your computer to the outlet. Make sure your computer is set to obtain an IP address automatically. Instructions to connect your computer to the LSU Network for an Internet connection, including username/password are found on General Information page on gsblsu.org under Computer Users’ Responsibilities.

**Nametags**
Nametags are issued at registration and should be worn at all times. They are required for admission to classes, meals and athletic facilities. The color scheme used is:

- **Brown** ------ Faculty  
- **Red** -------- Juniors  
- **Blue** -------- Seniors  
- **Green** ------- Freshmen

**Food Services**
The School will provide food service at “The 459 Commons” Dining Unit (see your LSU campus map). Meal service begins at 5:00 pm Monday, May 25, and continues through breakfast on Friday, June 5. On Friday evening May 29, a school party for students and faculty will be held in the LSU Mini Barn at 6:00 pm. Additional information concerning food service will be in each student’s packet of materials.

Food service hours are listed below:

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                        | May 31: 5:30-6:45pm |

**School Party—LSU Mini Barn**
On Friday, May 29, a school party will be held at 6:00 pm in the LSU Mini Barn (near the Parker Coliseum) for all students and faculty. Guests will have the opportunity to sample some of the fine Louisiana cuisine such as crawfish, jambalaya, and barbecue chicken.
Recreational Facilities
The Student Recreational Sports Complex will be open on May 25—June 4. The hours are:

- Monday - Thursday 5:45am—9:00pm
- Friday 5:45am—8:00pm
- Saturday—Sunday Noon-8:00pm

The fee will be $35.00 for 1 week; $50.00 for 2 weeks. You will need to complete and fax the University Recreation Form prior to the Session; fax to the SRSC office. Once you have arrived at LSU, you will need to go to the University Recreation Guest Services, located in the SRSC, during their registration hours which are listed on the University Recreation Form, to make payment and receive your validated pass.

Jogging—Jogging paths are located around the L.S.U Lakes.

Golf—The L.S.U. Golf Course and the Golf Range will be open daily. Electric carts and pull carts will be available for rental. Green fees will be charged.

Tennis—Tennis courts are normally open for free play on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Racquetball Courts—Outdoor 3-wall courts (located near tennis courts) are usually open for recreational play seven days per week. The Student Recreational Sports Complex will be open for recreational play.

Swimming—The Student Recreational Sports Complex will be available for swimming laps and water basketball.

Messages
During the Session, GSB personnel will be in Room 2 during posted office hours in the ECA Activity Center. Messages will be posted on the dry eraser board in Room 2. Students cannot be called out of class for messages except in case of medical emergency.

LSU personnel will be at the Activity Center’s main desk from 7:00am to midnight. After hours, the name and phone # of an “on call” LSU staff member will be posted on the door. Report apartment maintenance or any emergency problem to the LSU front desk at 225-334-4248, or after hours, call the LSU “on call” staff. The doors to the Center will be locked at midnight.

Newspapers
The Red Stick Times, the official School newsletter, will be available on-line by 10:00 am each day at www.gsblsu.org, click on Session Info, then Red Stick Times or you can find it on the GSBLSU app. Newspapers are available for purchase in the LSU Union.

Church Services
The churches listed below are located on or close to the campus. Service times are subject to change so you may want to give them a call.

- University Presbyterian—3240 Dalrymple Drive 225/383-0345
- Chapel on the Campus—3355 Dalrymple Drive 225/387-4416
- University Baptist—203 Leeward Drive 225/766-9474
- Christ the King Catholic—Highland @ Dalrymple 225/344-8595
- University United Methodist—3350 Dalrymple Dr. 225/344-0343
- St. Alban’s Episcopal—Highland at Dalrymple Dr. 225/343-2070

Medical Services
Routine medical services are available through the LSU Student Health Center (578-6271) located on the corner of Infirmary Road and West Chimes Street. Center hours are from 8:00am until 4:15pm Monday through Friday.

A small first-aid kit is available for minor injuries at the GSB desk. Medical service is available through local hospitals, clinics and walk-in clinics such as Lake After Hours or MED AID. Contact the GSB desk for assistance.

Miscellaneous Services
- The LSU Union has a snack bar, and several restaurants. You are invited to make use of these facilities that are open during the Session.
- The Barnes and Noble bookstore is located across the street from the Union. Starbucks coffee is available on the first floor.
- Several fast food chain restaurants are located adjacent to campus—Chimes, Raising Cane’s, Louie’s Cafe, Burger King, Wendy’s, Subway, Jack in the Box, Panera Bread (in PFT).
- ATMs are located in the LSU Union.
Graduation Exercises

Graduation Exercises: Friday, June 5
Graduation exercises will be held at 9:00am on Friday, June 5, in the LSU Union Cotillion Ballroom. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Senior men are expected to wear coats and ties and senior women should dress appropriately for the occasion. All graduates and guests are invited to the graduation reception in the LSU Royal Ballroom immediately following the ceremony. The graduation ceremony lasts approximately 30 minutes immediately followed by a reception.

Listed below are several hotels located close to campus where your guests may make advance reservations for overnight visits.

- Lod Cook Conference Center & Hotel
  3848 W. Lakeshore Drive, B. R., LA 70808
  225-383-2665 or 1-866-610-2665

- Courtyard Acadian Centre/LSU Area
  2421 S. Acadian Thruway, B. R., LA 70808
  225-924-6400 or 1-800-321-2211

- Embassy Suites by Hilton
  4914 Constitution Avenue, B. R., LA 70808
  225-924-6566 or 1-800-362-2779

- Holiday Inn
  4848 Constitution Avenue, B. R., LA 70808
  225-448-2030 or 877-410-6681

- Baton Rouge Marriott
  5500 Hilton Avenue, B. R., LA 70808
  225-924-5000 or 1-800-627-7468

- Best Western Richmond Suites Hotel
  5668 Hilton Avenue, B.R., LA 70808
  Baton Rouge, LA 70808
  225-924-6500 or 1-800-528-1234

Check Out and Departure

Freshmen and Juniors may depart after their final exams which will conclude by 5:45pm on Thursday evening or Friday morning if they choose.

Seniors are free to leave after 9:00 am graduation exercises which should be concluded by 9:30 am on Friday.

Buses will begin transporting bankers to the BR airport on Friday morning from 7:30am until approximately 11:30am. The East Campus Apartments close at Noon.

ALL STUDENTS must give their name and keys (including plastic key card) to the LSU front desk at the ECA Activity Center. If your keys are not returned AT CHECK OUT on Thursday/Friday, you will be billed $80 to replace your bedroom key and/or $155 to replace your apartment’s outside door key or $170.00 for both keys.

Students are provided with extra garbage bags which should be used to empty the refrigerator, discard any personal bedding, toiletries, etc. that are frequently left at the end of each session. LSU cannot donate these discarded items. All items should be removed as LSU will charge $50 per bedroom if the apartment is not like you found it. Dumpsters and recycle bins are available around the complex for your use.

Important Telephone Numbers

Request for Excused Absence ……….. John Jordan (Due to personal emergency) ……….. 225-766-8595

Information:
GSB Office ……………………….. 225-766-8595
L.S.U. Campus Information ………….. 225-578-3202
L.S.U. Campus Police ……………….. 225-578-3231

East Campus Apartment Activity Center:
LSU Desk & Apartment Maintenance ……….. 225-334-4248

Hospitals:
L.S.U. Student Health Center ………….. 225-578-6271
Our Lady of Lake Regional Medical Ctr. ……….. 225-765-6565
BR General Medical Ctr. — Bluebonnet ……….. 225-763-4000

Emergency, Fire, Ambulance …………………. 911