What’s happening Week 1?

New Student & Transition Programs Now Hiring
New Student & Transition Programs is hiring New Student Advisors (NSAs) for Summer 2020! Being an NSA is a big commitment with great rewards! While helping students and families make a successful transition to UCLA, you will instill in them Bruin pride, motivate them for the road ahead, and help them to succeed. In addition, you will build valuable counseling, public speaking, and leadership skills. Attend an info session on Wednesday, January 9th from 12pm-1pm at 2408 Ackerman Union, or on Tuesday, January 14th from 5pm-6pm at 230 Covel Commons. For more information on the positions available and the application process, please visit newstudents.ucla.edu/recruitment. Applications are due by Wednesday, January 15, 2020.

Aleph Undergraduate Research Journal
Do you have an academic paper, study, review, or project that you'd like to see in print? Submit your work to Aleph for publication! Aleph is UCLA’s official student-run, peer-reviewed journal for the Humanities and Social Sciences! The goal of the journal is to disseminate a diverse group of papers that reflects the quality and breadth of undergraduate research at UCLA. Aleph offers an opportunity for motivated UCLA undergraduates to have their academic work published online and in print. Each year, Aleph publishes undergraduate research articles from the best and brightest UCLA students. Articles submitted by January 19, 2020 will be considered for the 2019-2020 publication. For more information about submission guidelines, click here. To read the latest issue, click here!

UCLA Financial Wellness Program Coaching Hours
Want to learn more about being financially secure? Looking to improve your budgeting skills? Looking to meet your goals in saving and wisely using money? Attend coaching hours with the UCLA Financial Wellness Program. The program offers many personal tools students can use to navigate their financial well-being. During coaching sessions, we review topics such as creating a monthly budget, savings goals, student loans, debt repayment, credit, introduction to investing, and navigating finances as a UCLA student. Coaching hours are available for both undergraduate and graduate students. Hours begin week 1! To make an appointment, click here!
How to Add & Drop Classes

If you’re confused about how to add or drop classes, then look no further, because we have compiled all you need to know about adding or dropping classes by the appropriate deadlines!

Adding Classes
The last day to add classes without a fee is Friday of Week 2 (January 18th). You simply log on to MyUCLA to add a class. After Week 2, you may still enroll in a class on MyUCLA via a PTE number or Enrollment Petition (which you can submit to the Registrars Office at 1113 Murphy Hall). Be advised that not all departments offer PTE numbers. After Friday of Week 3, you must submit a Late Add Petition to your counseling unit in order to enroll in a class. As a reminder, there is no guarantee of approval for Late Add Petitions.

Dropping Non-Impacted Classes
You can drop a non-impacted class via MyUCLA or with a petition. Non-impacted classes can be dropped on MyUCLA through Friday of week 2 without a fee; or between weeks 3-4 with a fee that is charged to your Bruin Bill. During week 5 through Friday of week 7, non-impacted classes can be dropped via MyUCLA with a transcript notation and a fee. During week 8 through Friday of week 10, you must submit a Restricted Drop Petition with your instructor’s signature to your counseling unit. To drop after Friday of week 10, you must submit a Red Drop Petition. There is no guarantee of approval for Red Drop Petitions. All petitions are available at ASK Peer Counseling stations and College counseling units.

Dropping Impacted Classes
Impacted courses are classes that are often either very popular or high in demand. These classes have high instructor-to-student ratios or involve large commitments for both the student and the university. Unlike non-impacted courses, impacted courses can only be dropped on MyUCLA without a petition through Friday of Week 2. After Friday of Week 2, impacted classes can only be dropped by submitting a Red Drop Petition to your counseling unit. Since Red Drop Petitions are rarely approved, please discuss this option your counseling unit before submitting your petition. To check if a class is impacted, visit the schedule of classes and click on the individual lecture for the class that you wish to see. The class page will list the status as either impacted or non-impacted under Enrollment Information. A list of all impacted courses can also be found here!

Getting Off the Waitlist
If you are still on the waitlist for a class after Friday of Week 2, the class will automatically be dropped from your study list. For this reason, it is important to constantly check your study list, especially if you are waitlisted for an impacted class. Communicate with your instructors regarding the waitlist policy for a class.

CONDUITS

Are you looking for hidden campus gems to enhance your time at UCLA? Look no further! Every week Conduits will feature a campus resource, selected by our very own ASK Peer Counselors, that will help you maximize your academic and social experience at UCLA.

Need quick access to a computer or printer on campus? The Community Programs Office (CPO) located at the Student Activities Center offers a computer lab available to all UCLA students! All you need is your MyUCLA login information to access a computer. Computers are equipped with common Microsoft applications (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.) to work on assignments and papers. Students get up to 100 free pages of printing (front and back, total 50 sheets of paper) every quarter. The Computer Lab is open Monday through Thursday at 8am-12am, and Friday at 8am-6pm. For more information and general inquiries, you can visit the CPO front desk on the second floor of the Student Activities Center. You can also contact them at support@cpo.ucla.edu or (310) 825-5969.