

Summer

Bridge to Student Success

UW System Student Success Summit | Scaling Up Summer Bridge Programs

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COLLEGE
AMERICA**

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Perspective...



“Whatever you do...do not let your student come home within the first two months of being on campus!”



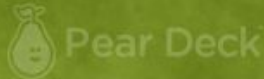
UNCG Summer Launch

- Earned 4 credit hours
- Social + Cultural + Experiential Learning Experiences
- “Fall Follow-ups”
- Peer-to-peer mentoring
- Network of peers, faculty, and staff
- Funding

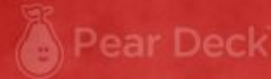


Who Can Relate: Did you participate in a summer bridge program?

Yes!



No...



Students choose an option

2020...

2020

A Year in Review

COVID-19

Heightened attention on continued
social and racial injustices

Changing political landscape

Economic Turndown a.k.a The
Coronavirus Crash

Historic U.S. Job Losses

66%

Report that the pandemic has resulted in **more financial stress**

13%



Gap between Black and white households reporting **home internet service**

20%

College student have issues accessing **working technology** - laptops, high-speed internet, etc.

13%



Decline in **freshman enrollment** in Fall 2020

91%

students reported **negative impact** of the pandemic

27%

Increase of **new businesses** started in 2020

2021

Looking ahead...

Economic Impact Payments

Return to campus

New Engagement

Innovation

Pause for the Cause

New Opportunity

Renewed Purpose

Summer Bridge

Stress Check



I'm excited
to scale
summer
bridge
programs

Adding this
to my to do
list!

I don't even
know where
to start



Students, drag the icon!

Populations Served

Who?

- First-Year Students
- Academically underprepared students
- First-Generation students
- Students from economically disadvantaged backgrounds
- Racially minoritized students
- Adult students
- Students with disabilities
- Students within a particular major (i.e. STEM)
- General admission
- Students whose learning was affected by COVID-19...

Types of Programs

What?

- 1 Orientation to College Life & Resources
- 2 Academic Advising
- 3 College Success Skills
- 4 Accelerated Academic Coursework

Length of Programs

When?

2-8

Weeks



Taking place during the two weeks before New Student Orientation, the Summer Bridge First-Year Experience (FYE) and Summer Bridge Math programs prepare select incoming first-year students to flourish at Trinity.

“This is a great opportunity to take advantage of. You finish early and get introduced to campus early, which is a great advantage. You also have many resources: TLC staff, your professors, advisors that will all help you succeed.”



Students choose an option

Facilitation

On-Campus Participation

Within the Community

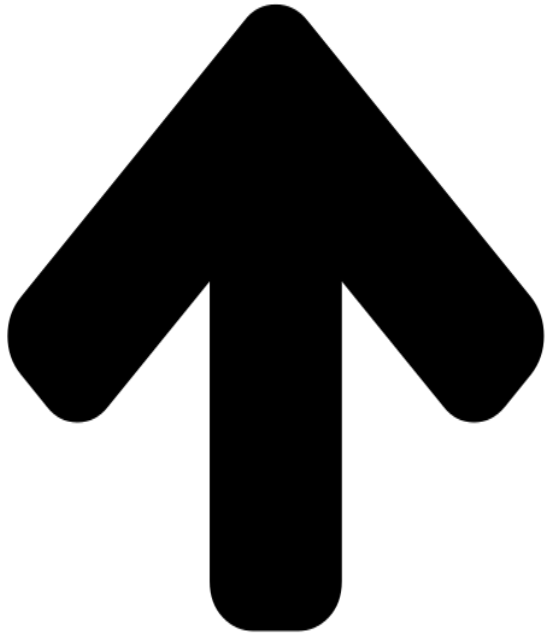
Hybrid

Virtual

Where?



The Goal



Why?

Transition

Retention

Progression

Graduation

Associated Activities & Topics

How?

- Study Strategies
- Transition to College
- Goal-Setting
- Time Management
- Campus Resources
- Socioemotional Wellness
- Volunteering
- Technology
- Pre-College To Dos
- Academic Success Strategies

- Campus Scavenger Hunts
- Campus Resource Workshops
- Academic Coaching
- Workshops
- Peer Mentors
- Academic Courses
- Leadership Development
- Individualized support
- Explore Community Resources

Georgia State University



Panther Excellence Program

The Panther Excellence Program gives you a unique and exciting opportunity to quickly establish yourself at Georgia State and set yourself up for academic and interpersonal success.



Success Academy

The Success Academy program is a three-semester extended learning community. This is your opportunity to get on campus early and start using the resources, meeting the people, taking the initiative and developing the skills to make the most of your college education. We offer you the support and guidance while at the same time inspiring you to new and exciting levels of academic achievement, extracurricular involvement, and leadership development.

What's Next...

1

Assemble your Summer Bridge Student Success Team

**Scaling Summer Bridge Programs
requires participation from & impacts
all areas across campus.**

Faculty, Advisors, Registrars, Orientation
Leaders, Admissions & Outreach
Representatives, Institutional Researchers,
Academic Administrators, Executive
Leadership, ...

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2

Identify target population, model of program, and goals

Why are you focusing on this target population?

How can we best serve are most vulnerable students?

How does this summer bridge program connect to your college/university's equity goals?

3

Create a Community of Practice

Connections within the system

Shared resources

Wins & Biggest Learnings



4

Communicate!

Key messages that will be communicated to students, parents, K12 partners, university partners, and external stakeholders.

5 weeks
100+ peers
10 mentors
2-3 classes
4-7 academic units
Countless resources

YOU WILL

- Get a head start on your academic journey
- Have a smooth transition to SDSU
- Learn more about EOP and other campus resources
- Connect with peers, staff and faculty
- Build essential college skills & talents
- Learn about social justice and diversity

July 8th - August 13th
Monday - Friday
9 am - 3 pm
(Breaks Included!)



San Diego State University BEST SUMMER BRIDGE 2021

eop.sdsu.edu/summerbridge

The EOP Summer Bridge Program is an intensive academic preparation program designed to enhance student educational achievement, timely progress towards degree and successful transition to the university. This is achieved by working collaboratively with faculty and staff in providing students with the fundamental academic skills, social networks, and personal development essential to their success at SDSU

“Thanks to the EOP Summer Bridge program, I was able to have a smooth transition as I started my first semester in college, by earning 6 academic units, learning about campus resources, obtaining my first job, and creating long lasting friendships.”

-Fabiola Moreno, Political Science



HOW TO APPLY:

tinyurl.com/bestsummerbridge

Complete the FAFSA or Dream Act application for both 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 **ASAP**.

Deadline: June 1, 2021

To get a glimpse of our 2020 Virtual Summer Bridge experience, visit:



QUESTIONS? CONTACT US AT:
[BEST-SUMMERBRIDGE@SDSU.EDU](mailto:best-summerbridge@sdsu.edu)

MATH SUCCESS CAMP



STEM SUMMER BRIDGE PROGRAM

Earn college math credits this summer...and get paid for it!

APPLY BY MAY 6

Five-week program:
May 27–June 26, 2014

- **RECEIVE FIVE COLLEGE CREDITS**
- **GET PAID \$35 PER DAY**
Full stipend paid after completion
- **FOUR DAYS PER WEEK**
(Monday–Thursday)
- **LIMITED SPACE: SMALL CLASS WITH PERSONALIZED AND SPECIALIZED LEARNING**

CLASS SCHEDULE

MAT 121 Intermediate Algebra (4 credits)
Monday–Thursday, 8–10:40 a.m.

AAA 115 Creating College Success (1 credit)

Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday, 10:50–11:40 a.m.
Inform and connects you to college resources such as advising, financial aid, library, tutoring, etc., giving you the tools and confidence for success.

Lunch (on campus) Monday–Thursday,
11:40 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Lunch is not provided

Tutoring Monday–Thursday, 12:30–1:30 p.m.

STEM Speakers & Activities

Thursday, 10:50–11:40 a.m.

Every Thursday students will have the opportunity to meet and engage with successful community professionals to learn more about careers in STEM.

WHO?

- Recent high school graduates who placed into Math 121
- Students interested in exploring STEM (Science/Technology/Engineering/Math) majors and careers
- Underrepresented students (U.S. Hispanics, African-Americans, Pacific Islander/Alaska Native and Native American)*

WHY?

- Increase your awareness and interest of STEM-related careers.
- Enter your freshman year of college in a transfer-level college course.
- Facilitate a smooth transition from high school to college.
- Develop your awareness of how to access college resources.
- Develop and apply study strategies based on your learning style.

HOW?

- Complete application
- Include personal typed essay AND teacher's letter of recommendation
- Sign contract (student and parent/guardian)
- Return/send application
- Pay \$15 registration fee

WHEN? Important Dates

- Priority application deadline: May 6, 2014
- Notification of acceptance by: May 12, 2014
- \$15 registration fee: May 22, 2014

Apply by May 6. Call 623 935 8428.

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*The National Science Foundation (NSF) funding dictates that student stipends can only be awarded to qualifying underrepresented students (URM), only members of Hispanic, African American, Native American, and Pacific Islander/Alaska Native ethnic/racial groups. The NSF does NOT consider Asian-Americans or Anglo women or men to be underrepresented as part of its funding guidelines for this program. Non URM applications will be considered and non URM students are welcome to apply, however, they will be required to cover all program costs, including tuition and fees.



5

Program Evaluation & Assessment

Pre-test & post-test evaluations

Quantitative student data over time

Identify underlying strategies
specifically improving student success

Compare to control group

Disaggregate the data

Reflection:

Strengths

Challenges

Questions

Big Ideas



Students, draw anywhere on this slide!

Q&A

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