

**Student Success** 

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### What to Expect: College vs. High School

- Increased self-motivation and responsibility
  - You should know assignment due dates and meet deadlines
  - More independent work outside of class
- High School Teachers vs. Professors/Faculty
  - High school teachers are trained in teaching and then learn their subject areas
  - Professors are experts in their subject fields
    & are expected to research, publish, and teach.





### What to Expect: College vs. High School

- Classes are more intense
  - More independent reading & learning
  - Often responsible for content not covered during class
  - Students usually report "you actually have to study for tests/quizzes/exams" compared certain HS experiences

High School	University
1 Year	1 Semester
5 classes/ 35 week	3 class hours/ 14 week
175 instruction days	42 instruction days

15 credits = 40 - 60 hours of work a week!



1 college class = content of  $\underline{4}$  high school classes

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### **First Year Experience**

- University 101 (UNIV101)
- Peer Anchor
- UNIV101 Faculty Member
  = Co-Advisor & Advisor
- Free Programs
- 1-1 Student Consultations
  & Specialized Follow Up

### **Student Success**

- The Learning Center
- Office of Accessibility Resources
- Early Alert Program
- Entry Assessments
- Raider Academic Center
- Barber Shop & More





### What is UNIV 101?

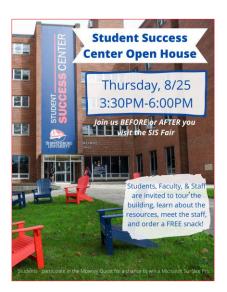
- <u>Required</u> 3 credit college course every student must pass the course in order to graduate
- A supportive community helping you to succeed and make the most of your Ship experience
- Empower you to have the skills you needed to navigate the college experience
- Real time advising & problem solving



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## **Advice for First-Year Students**

- Check your Ship Email every day
  - Respond to important messages and appointments
- Introduce yourself to all your professors
- Know your resources and ask for help if you need it
- Get involved & attend events (PAs will have sponsored events)
- Make the most out of your Ship experience
- · Get to know your Peer Anchor
  - (Required PA Meetings during the first 3 weeks)



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### Course-based tutoring

- Review and share information collaboratively in an open environment
- Learn new study methods and strategies
- Improve your understanding by applying concepts and listening to different perspectives

### Writing Support

- Review assignment requirements
- Focus and organize ideas
- Integrate sources and follow formatting guidelines
- Learn skills and strategies for planning, drafting, revision, and proofreading.

### **Learning Specialists**



### Office of Accessibility Resources (OAR)

### **Our Office**

The Office of Accessibility Resources (OAR) coordinates accommodations and services for students with documented disabilities.

#### Staff

Director: Shelbie D'Annibale, MS Assistant Director: Kerry Harbst, MS

Secretary: Brandy Linn

### **Requesting Accommodations**

- Step 1: Complete an Accommodation Request Form
- Step 2: Provide Documentation
- Step 3: Intake Meeting

### Contact

ship.edu/oar

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### **Student Success**



**Our Division** 

This division houses two collaborative offices, the Early Alert Program and the Kathryn Hughes Seaber Raiders Academic Center for Student Athletes.



**Our Mission** 

To support SHIP students as they navigate their academic and social path toward their professional future in a diverse world.



# Programs & Services supported by Student Success

- Entry Assessments
- Barber Shop
- Course Materials Grant
- Lending Library
- Men of Color Conversation
- Student Success Coaches



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### **Early Alert Program**

#### **Vision**

To provide timely assistance for Shippensburg University students who may be at risk during the semester.



The Early Alert program is a student success initiative in which the campus community collaborates to identify students who may be at risk of academic, financial, and personal challenges.





### Raiders Academic Center

#### Mission

To empower, uplift, and educate student-athletes at Shippensburg University by providing holistic support that is aimed toward enhancing

• Campus resource liaison







