Thriving in your Transition to UConn
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Where are you from?

A) In state
B) Out of State
Welcome & Congratulations!

Is this your

a) 1st
b) 2nd
c) 3rd
d) 4th or more

child attending college??
Another question...

Did your student come from an institution?

A) Larger than UConn
B) Smaller than UConn
Parental Expectations...

What do you want your student/child to learn?

Question time:

A) Life Skills, Independence
B) Problem solver
C) Who they are- Identity
D) Healthy Relationships
E) Marketable skills- Get a job
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Question:
How many of you have texted or received a text from your child since we started this presentation?

A) Yes
B) No
FYE courses provide an overview of the university experience with a focus on acquiring learning skills and understanding resources available for academic success.

Approx. 90% of UConn students take FYE in their first year.
First Year Programs Course Suite

- Honors? UNIV 1784
- Living Learning Community? FYE/UNIV 1810 1840 UNIV 3820
- All other 1st year students FYE/UNIV 1800
- Any 1st or 2nd year student FYE/UNIV 1820
FYE Core Components & Outcomes

- Writing Center
- Academic, Life, & Professional Skills
- CCD Résumé
- Transition
- Resources
- Relationships
Just a few options…
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LEARNING COMMUNITIES
Non-Residential Learning Communities

Non-Residential Learning Communities are developed by having students who share a major, or interest in a profession, enroll in a 1-credit course in their first semester. These unique FYE courses are taught by a professor or advisor from the major.

- Allied Health
- Animal Science
- Chemistry
- Communication
- English
- Environmental Studies/Environmental Science
- Kinesiology
- Nutritional Sciences
- Pathobiology
- Physiology & Neurobiology
- Pre-Journalism
- Psychological Sciences
- Pre-Teaching: Contemporary Issues in Education
Academic Achievement Center

Located in ROWE 217

Strategic Academic Counseling
Drop-in Coaching Hours
Strategies for Deeper Learning
Workshops and Presentations
Supplemental Instruction
Academic Achievement Center

Average GPA

3.29

Sign in growth by year
Culture of Support

Peer Mentoring

Network of staff & faculty
Connect with us!

UConn First Year Experience
UConn Learning Communities
UConn Connects/Academic Achievement Center

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