

New Student Information Session (NSIS)

Information Guide

The NSIS Information Guide consists of a series of fill-in-the-blank items critical to a new student's success. As you continue through the slides complete the statements and keep this document as part of your academic folder for future reference.

Publications

1. The Lane _____ will have the answers to most questions about going to school at Lane.
2. Upon enrolling at Lane, you will need to complete your degree/certificate within _____ years before you are bumped to a more current catalog year.
3. The most efficient way to search for class offerings is by using the _____.

Registration

4. Choosing inappropriate courses could cost you _____ and _____.
5. If you decide that you don't want to take a class after registering for it, you **MUST** drop the class by using _____.
6. Another important date for continuing and/or returning students is the beginning of _____ (AR).

College Organization

7. Financial Aid will only fund credit(s) that fulfill _____ and transfer credit.
8. Most educational experts believe that being enrolled in 12 credits is comparable to a full-time _____.
9. Credit students are those enrolling in courses that fulfill _____ or _____ requirements or courses working towards transfer to a four-year college or university.

Campus Resources/Academic

10. Each student has the opportunity to consult with a program advisor or counselor. If you have not chosen a subject/program of interest you can always consult with a general counselor located at the _____.
11. If a student was having difficulty with writing, he/she could speak to the instructor and/or receive tutoring at _____ Central in the Center Building.

12. The Library is located in the _____ Building, directly across from Tutor Central and the Titan Store.

Career Exploration

13. A 3-credit course called _____ (CG140) assists students with career exploration, identifying interests, and decision-making.

14. Simply having informational _____ with professionals, family members, and friends can lead to new opportunities you may never have considered.

15. Two free services available to all students that assist with career related needs are _____ and _____.

Financial Aid

16. Not paying your Lane bill on time could result in a hold on your _____, your account going to collections, and Advance Registration courses being dropped.

17. For Financial Aid students to remain in “good academic status” they would need to complete _____% of attempted credits and earn a GPA of _____ or better.

18. Paying your Lane bill can be achieved by postal mail, in person on the main campus, or electronically using Higher One found on _____.

Financial Resources

19. Each year, during the month of _____, Career Employment Services and the Work Force Network sponsor a financial aid/scholarship workshop.

20. “Show Me the Money” (CG105), a 2-credit learning community offered during the _____ term, can help with scholarship research and preparation.

21. As you consider all funding sources available it is recommended that you dedicate your educational resources exclusively to your _____.

Preparing for Classes

22. Success will likely be a result of good _____ and the relentless _____ of your goals.

23. Full-time students who achieve B's or better in their courses tend to study about _____ hours a week.

24. Parking at Lane's main campus tends to be an issue. Several students plan on using the _____ bus system for the first couple of weeks, if not for the entire term.

Learning Experiences

25. Although most Co-op's are non-paid, they do provide valuable work _____ and networking opportunities.
26. Learning Communities are a great way to learn! They help you stay _____ and motivated while you pursue your college and life goals.
27. Distance Learning includes the following options: On-line, _____, and Live-Interactive.

Campus Resources/Student Life

28. Developing a "_____ Team", consisting of advisors/counselors, tutors, Instructors, LCC staff, mentors, family/friends, and general supporters, is essential to a student's success.
29. The Health Clinic, located in _____, is a low cost resource used by many students and employees throughout the academic year.
30. Free legal guidance/consultation can be found at _____.

Your next step is to identify your program advisor/counselor should you need to clarify on anything that was covered in the NSIS, discuss academic/career goals, or develop an academic plan. A directory with advisor/counselor contact information can be found at the following website - <http://www.lanec.edu/stuser/advisorcounselors.htm>

<i>Program Advisor/Counselor Name</i>	
<i>Building/Room Location</i>	
<i>Phone #</i>	
<i>E-Mail</i>	